

CELEBRATION OF EXCELLENCE COLLEGE AWARDS PROGRAM ver.2023

The College awards must be College nominated and determined to qualify. Award winners determined by outside organisations do not qualify.

Event	Awards		Timing
College Instrumental Music Showcase Evening	 Whole College Instrumental Music Showcase Arts Distinction and High Distinction for instrumental students only 		Thursday Week 2 Term 4
College Creative Industries Gala	Arts Distinction and High Distinction (except instrumental students)		The Creative Industries Gala Event Tuesday Week 3 Term 4 (Evening event)
College Sports Awards	 Half Blue and Full Blue Football Excellence Winner – Primary, Junior and Senior male and female winners Touch Excellence Winner – Primary, Junior and Senior male and female winners Sportsperson of the Year Winner – Primary, Junior and Senior male and female winners 		Annual Sports Awards Ceremony Friday Week 3 Term 4 (Daytime event) The Senior Sportsman and Sportswoman will be presented at the Celebration of Excellence Awards Ceremony
College Awards Night	 Academic Distinction and High Distinction Apprentice/Traineeship awards Year 12 Subject Awards Year 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 11 Dux Awards Year 10 UniSC "Engagement Award" Senior Academic Student of the Year Arts Excellence Awards - Primary, Junior and Senior male and female winners Dux of the College 	 Artist of the Year College Charter (5 C Award) Adem Crosby Excellence in Community Spirit Award ADF Long Tan Award ADF Future Innovators Award Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Student Award Caltex All-rounder award Buderim Lions Leadership Executive Principal Awards 	Celebration of Excellence Academic and Community Awards Night Thursday Week 7 Term 4

Academic Awards

Junior Secondary to Year 10

Awards are determined using Grade Point Average (GPA) for subjects studied for at least two lessons/week for a semester. Additionally, Year 7 LOTE will not be included in the calculations as only half the cohort studies this in Semester 1.

Year 11 and Year 12

Students must be ATAR eligible. Applied subjects are awarded the general subject cut-off score for the respective grade achieved.

Award	Criteria	Certificate/Badge/Trophy/prize
Distinction	Primary: Awards committee 7-12: GPA of 4.5 – 4.79 in either semester	Badge and Certificate
High Distinction	Primary: Awards committee 7-12: GPA of 4.8 or higher in either semester	Badge and Certificate
Apprentice/Traineeship awards	Nominated by VET teacher and endorsed by VET HoD	Prize and certificate
Year 12 Subject Awards	Top student in each subject. If multiple students have the same score then all students receive the award	Book prize and certificate
Year 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 11 Dux Awards Year 10 UniSC "Engagement Award"	TrackEd and Awards Committee	Medal (Year 10 supplied by USC) and certificate
Senior Academic Student of the Year	Sum total of units 1, 2 & 3 for top 5 subjects as a percentage. Applied subjects awarded the general subject cut-off score for the respective grade	Medal, trophy and Certificate
Dux of the College – Year 12 student	Highest ATAR Score	Medal

Sports Awards

Award	Criteria	Certificate/Badge/Trophy/prize
Half Blue	A student who has been selected in a Sunshine Coast Schools Regional Sports team or a school/ district age champion.	Badge and Certificate
Full Blue	Selected in national or state school sport team or receives any of the following: • Football Excellence Winner • Touch Excellence Winner • Sportsperson of the Year Winner	Badge and Certificate
Football Excellence Winner – Primary, Junior and Senior male and female winners	Commitment to developing skill level in practical sessions, participating in additional training sessions, widening knowledge of the sports through involvement in the theory component of the sport and participating in a range of school teams.	Trophy and Certificate
Touch Excellence Winner – Primary, Junior and Senior male and female winners	Commitment to developing skill level in practical sessions, participating in additional training sessions, widening knowledge of the sports through involvement in the theory component of the sport and participating in a range of school teams.	Trophy and Certificate
Sportsperson of the Year Winner – Primary, Junior and Senior male and female winners	Highest performing male and female student from Primary, Junior Secondary and Senior Secondary in school sport as decided by the awards committee.	Trophy and Certificate

The Arts Awards

Award	Criteria	Certificate/Badge/Trophy/prize
Distinction	To be a recipient of this award, the student will have demonstrated skill and commitment at a high level in the Arts as well as demonstrating exemplary leadership at a level recognised and respected by the College Community for their positive contribution to College life in the Arts. Has achieved success (first or second) in the arts at a district/Regional level or Student or teacher nomination and Teacher endorsement	Badge and Certificate
High Distinction	Has had success at the state or national level or Teacher nomination and endorsed by the HoD The Arts	Badge and Certificate
Arts Excellence Awards - Primary, Junior and Senior male and female winners	Highest performing student in Primary, Junior Secondary and Senior Secondary as decided by the awards committee.	Trophy/Medallion and Certificate
College Artist of the Year	Highest performing year 12 student as decided by the awards committee.	Trophy/Medallion and Certificate

College Charter and Special Awards – Community Excellence

Award	Criteria	Certificate/Badge/Trophy/prize
College Charter (5 C Award)	Demonstrated exemplary leadership at a level recognised and respected by the college community for their positive contribution to college life. Nominated by form teacher or student nomination	Badge and Certificate
Adem Crosby Excellence in Community Spirit Award – Year 12 student	 Recognises a student that has displayed the following qualities: Community Service – A student who is involved in external organisation/s to the school or who demonstrates in some other capacity a selfless contribution of a significant nature and whose primary aim is to improve the outcomes of others. School Service – A student who demonstrates commitment to key activities in the school that promotes the good name of the college both within the school and in the wider community. Character – A student that demonstrates daily a sense of responsibility, commitment, and above all, puts the needs of others above themselves. 	Certificate and badge Possible extra prize or trophy.
ADF Long Tan Award – Year 10 and Year 12 student	 Recognises a student who demonstrates leadership and teamwork within both the school and the broader local community. At the same time, they recognise those who display strong values, such as doing one's best, respect for others and "mateship", characteristics that are integral to Australian society. A student who achieves leadership results to a very good standard. A team player who fosters cooperation within teams and routinely makes a positive contribution to the team's performance. A student whose knowledge, appearance and behaviour demonstrate respect for the values of the school and the community. A student who generates workable solutions to problems. An enthusiastic student who is resourceful in completing tasks within guidelines provided by the teachers. A student who communicates well with others to complete a task. A student who cooperates well with others to complete a task. A student who is involved in some sort of community activity. 	Certificate and badge Possible extra prize or trophy.
ADF Future Innovators Award – Year 10 and Year 12 Student	 A student who demonstrates innovation and/or motivation in the learning area of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) an Australian Citizen, an Australian Permanent Resident or a New Zealand Citizen on an Australian Special Category Visa 	Certificate and badge Possible extra prize or trophy.

College Charter and Special Awards – Community Excellence (Continued)

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Student Award – Primary and Secondary student	This award honours Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students in the areas of community and or academic achievement at a curricular and extra-curricular level. To be a recipient of this award, the student will have demonstrated commitment at the highest level as well as demonstrating exemplary leadership at a level recognised and respected by the college community for their positive contribution to college life. All recipients of this award will have also demonstrated: • an exemplary manner in the representation of the College and in their commitment to the College Charter. • exemplary citizenship and have acted as a consistently positive role model within the College community. • an acknowledged commitment to preparation and assistance in developing the College ethos over an extended period of time.	Certificate and badge Possible extra prize or trophy.
Caltex All-rounder award – Year 12 student	Recognises a graduating Year 12 student whose achievements span a number of areas including: • studies, sport, community work, personal conduct and leadership. Recipients of this award should demonstrate the six key characteristics of the Best All Rounder Award: • Academic – achieves scholastically across a range of subjects • Attitude – willing to help others and makes selfless contributions • Personal Conduct – is exemplary at all times • Leadership – is a role model to other students • Service – participates in school and community activities • Sporting – represents the school without necessarily being a champion	Certificate and badge Possible extra prize or trophy.
Buderim Lions Leadership – Year 5/6 and Year 11 student	Recognises a student who has: contributed widely as a student to Chancellor college. developed good relationships, treating others with respect and care. given service to either college or community projects. been a good ambassador for the college and the region. This award will be presented to both a Year 5/6 student and Year 11 student. The award is sponsored by the Buderim Lions Club.	Certificate and badge Possible extra prize or trophy.
Executive Principal Awards	Executive Principal Awards are given to staff and students who have brought credit to themselves and Chancellor State College in endeavours that are not included in the other award categories but which, in the opinion of the Executive Principal, are highly worthy of recognition.	Certificate and badge Possible extra prize or trophy.