

The Winmalee Medal



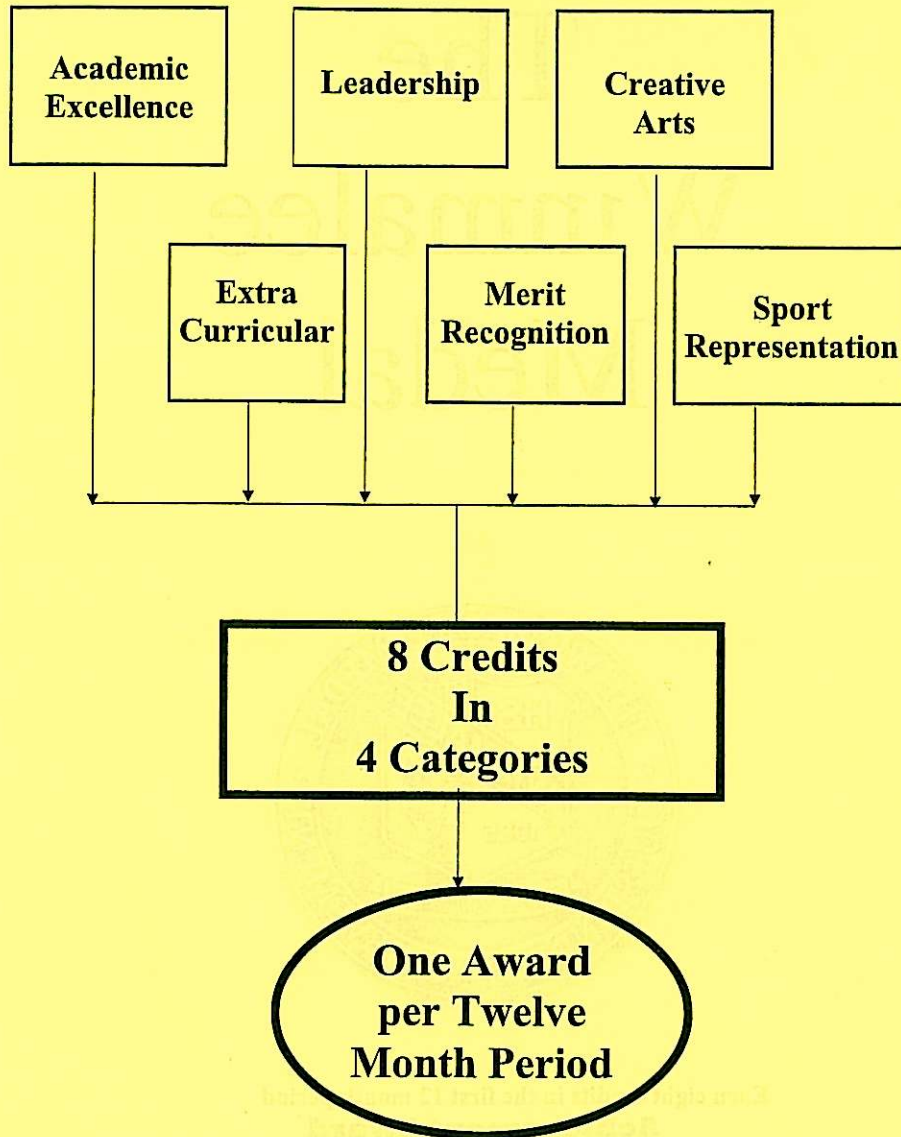
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Achievement Award

Earn another eight credits in the second 12 month period
Honour Award

Earn another eight credits in the third 12 month period
Winmalee Medal



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The school aims to give high recognition to students who display commitment. We value extensive participation in curricular and extra-curricular activities.

- To receive an award a student needs to earn **eight** credits in at least **four** of the following categories with a maximum of **three** credits per category. This encourages students to become involved in a number of areas of school life.

1. Academic Excellence
2. Leadership
3. Creative Arts (Music, Dance, Drama, Visual Arts)
4. Extra-Curricular Activities
5. Merit Program Recognition
6. Sport Representation

There are three levels of awards.

The first level is the “Achievement Award”.

The second level the “Honour Award”.

The third level is the “Winmalee Medal”.

- Only one Award may be gained in any one twelve month period (usually December to November).
- Students are required to maintain their own record signed, dated and stamped by the teacher in charge.
- When the credit record is completed students present it to their Year Adviser and then to the Winmalee Medal Coordinating Teacher (Ms. DalSanto).
- Credits within each category require a minimum of 85% attendance and participation in all aspects of preparation and performance. Participation should be enthusiastic and co-operative.
- The Credits Committee or principal will examine applications by students for activities not included in this document.
- To receive 8 credits, a student must be involved in at least four areas of school life. Some activities have a value of 2 credits. More detailed information regarding eligibility for credits is available from the supervising teacher.

1. Academic Excellence

- In semester reports the student scores above the class or course average in:
 - 7 units or more in Years 11 or 12 (2 credits)
 - 5 subjects or more in Years 7, 8, 9 or 10 (2 credits)
- In semester reports the student scores above the class or course average in:
 - 5 units or more in Years 11 or 12 (1 credit)
 - 3 subjects or more in Years 7, 8, 9 or 10 (1 credit)
- The student participates in any two of the external Competitions such as the English / Maths / Science / Geography / Computing / Language / Writing Competitions.
- Year 12 – Music, Dance, Drama, Visual Arts and other HSC students earn one credit for a meritorious HSC major body of work, performance, project, etc.
- Receive an academic excellence award for semester report.

2. Leadership

- Active member of the SRC
- Peer Support Leader
- Peer Reading Tutor
- Peer Maths Tutor
- Yr 11 Leadership group activities
- Coaching junior sporting team.
- Tutoring exchange student in English.
- Swim School Instructor
- Exchange visit student leader
- Year 10 leadership camp and follow up training
- Speak at Year 6 Information Nights
- Sell 3 or more books of tickets in Artfest raffle
- Chair school assembly
- Make presentation at assembly

3. Creative Arts

- School Musical
- Drama Production
- Dance Production
- Choir
- Music Ensemble or Band
- Winmalee Band
- Operation Art
- Art, Drama, Music Camps
- Dance Ensemble
- Shakespeare Festival
- Deliver flyers for Artfest
- Exhibit at Artfest
- Design a poster for a school event

4. Extra Curricular Activities

- Duke of Edinburgh – Bronze, Silver or Gold
- Sound / Lighting Crew
- Magazine Committee for Year 12
- Formal Committee for Year 12.
- First Aid Certificate
- Resuscitation Certificate
- Debating team
- Hosting billets during exchange visits
- Mock trial
- History Mastermind
- Working in canteen for a terms
- Technical / Computer Assistant.
- Completion of all sections of the School to Work Diary
- Chair debate
- Assist at Artfest
- Participate in a student centred item on assembly that highlights an aspect of school life
- Library Assistant
- Completion of Work Experience and diary

5. Merit Program Recognition

- Silver level.
- Gold level. (2 credits)
- 100% attendance in a semester.

6. Sport

- Grade sport representation in at least two terms
- KO sport representation in a sport team
- Zone representation in a sport or carnival
- Area representation in a sport or carnival
- State representation in a sport or carnival
- Participation in all of Swimming, Athletics and Cross Country school carnivals.

Where the contribution is outstanding, significant or over an extended period of time the student may ask the Winmalee Medal Coordinating Teacher (Ms. DalSanto) for it to be acknowledged as 2 credits.