



Student Award Scheme

Attendance Award:

Students who attend every school day for one term are eligible to receive an exemplary attendance award. This includes students who are at school but off site due to school business e.g. approved excursion. Awards are given quarterly at the end of each half semester. These awards are presented on year parade. They are decided by year level Deputy / DOS / Year Coordinator on the basis of student attendance records.

Certificate Of Appreciation:

Awarded to students for a particular activity they have positively participated in that supported the school. Certificate presented on year parade. Granted by Administration, HOD's, DOS, Year Coordinators or staff.

Community Service Award:

Students are eligible for this award if they demonstrate commitment to a project that supports curricular or extra-curricular activities that directly benefits the school community. This commitment needs to be demonstrated over an extended or consistent period of time e.g. one term. Teachers provide written nomination via a positive comment on OneSchool to the Year Co-ordinator and/or DOS for final approval. Presented on Year Assembly. Granted by Administration, HODs, DOS or Year Coordinators.

Certification Of Recognition – Incorporating the Positive Point Program

Students can gain a Certificate of Recognition through their efforts in the four pillars of academic, sporting, culture and the arts and the community through the positive points program. Every teacher at Elanora can award points under the above four pillars through ID Attend. Guidelines for allocating the points are:

- One point is given per lesson or the equivalent i.e. 70 minutes of effort
- To achieve the certificate students need to accumulate 30 academic points and 15 points for sport, culture and the arts and community.
- Students are awarded points for 'stepping out of their comfort zone' and consistently demonstrating the five school rules of do the right thing, say the right thing, bring the right thing, be on time, and show respect for self, others and property.

Each week the top 20 students who earn the most points are awarded with a bar-be-que lunch and a positive comment is added onto the students' OneSchool record.

The academic Certificate of Recognition award is subject related and recognises academic effort for students in Junior Secondary at the end of each school reporting cycle. The award is decided by year level Deputy Principal / DOS / Year Coordinator based on report card results and presented on Year Parade. Outstanding Achievement Award = all As, Excellent Achievement Award = combination of As and Bs and High Achievement Award = all B's. These certificates also contribute positive points to the students' profile.

This award can also be presented to students who in the judgment of the Year Coordinator, DOS and / or Deputy Principal have made significant improvements in their attitude, attendance, and/or contribution to the school community and/or have achieved an outstanding accomplishment which deserves public recognition.

All Certificates of Recognition are recorded on the students' OneSchool record under positive comments.

Integrity Award

Awarded to a student who demonstrates through his/her behaviour, values and standards consistent with a high level of ethical practice. The Award is presented on Year Parade.

Term Award Scheme

Students can earn term awards leading to a Merit, Bronze, Silver and finally a Gold Award. A graphic representation of the scheme is presented below. The awards are issued each term on the basis of effort and behavior teacher comments on mid and end of semester report cards. Students need to have achieved Excellent for effort and behavior for each subject but can include two Very Goods. Year Coordinators process the awards at the end of each reporting cycle. All awards are presented on year assemblies. Gold award recipients are also recognized at a full school assembly and on Awards Evening. Bronze, Silver and Gold awards received a certificate and badge. Students who enrol after Year 7 and/or 8 would be able to enter at the term award for that year e.g. if they enrol at the beginning of Year 9 they would be considered at the Bronze Award stage and would be working towards a Silver Award.

Student Term Award Criteria

To gain an Excellent in behavior and effort on report cards and be eligible for the award a student must demonstrate for one term the following behaviours:

- Polite and respectful behaviour to staff, fellow students and visitors to the school.
- Maintain a satisfactory attendance record.
- Punctuality to class.
- Completion of homework.
- Meet time requirements and acceptable standards of assessment.
- Always present in correct and tidy uniform.
- Participate positively in class.
- Maintain work books so they are up-to-date, organised and neatly presented.
- Contribute towards ensuring a clean school environment.
- Bring all necessary equipment to class.
- Adhere to Elanora SHSs Code of Conduct.
- Receive no detentions, litter duties, RTC referrals or other negative behavioural consequences.

Elanora SHS Term Award Scheme (each step represents one term)

Gold
Silver – Level 4
Silver – Level 3
Silver – Level 2
Silver – Level 1
Silver
Bronze – Level 3
Bronze – Level 2
Bronze – Level 1
Bronze Award
Merit – Level 2
Merit – Level 1
Merit Award
Term Award – Level 1

Student Leadership Award Eligibility Criteria:

School Captain and Vice Captains

- Demonstrate a high level of leadership within the student body
- Evidence of high level of involvement in school activities
- Evidence of committed industry towards their academic studies
- Gold Award
- Elected via senior student and staff voting process

Senior Leader

- Year 12 student who has been enrolled at Elanora since at least the beginning of Year 11
- Demonstrated leadership in an area of curricular or extra-curricular activity
- Evidence of committed industry towards their academic studies
- Selection as a Year 8 student mentor
- Silver Award or above

House Captain

- Demonstrated commitment towards house activities over a period of time
- Demonstrated leadership in school / sporting activities
- Bronze Award or above

Student Council President

- Year 12 student who has been enrolled at Elanora since at least the beginning of Year 11
- Evidence of a high level of involvement in a range of school extra-curricular activities
- Liaises with the teacher responsible for the student council to co-ordinate student council activities across the whole year
- Acts as a positive role model to younger student council
- Silver Award or above

International Student Leader

- Year 11 or 12 student who undertakes the responsibility of supporting international students to transition into Elanora SHS
- Willingness to act as a study tour buddy

Year 10 Leader

- Year 10 student who has been enrolled at Elanora since at least Year 9
- Demonstrated leadership in the Junior School
- Evidence of committed industry to academic studies
- Selected to act as a mentor for Year 7 students
- Bronze Award

Junior Secondary Form Leader (Years 7-9)

- Voted by class mates to support positive peer relationships
- Undertakes role of buddy to support new students enrolments at Elanora
- Puts forward issues from the form to Junior Council
- Indigenous Junior and Secondary Leaders
- Represent interests of indigenous students and liaises with Indigenous Support Officer

Leo's club

The Elanora SHS Leo's Club is sponsored by the Gold Coast Tallebudgera Lions Club and was chartered in 2015. Students are mentored by members of the Lions Club to plan, develop and implement community service projects. All year levels can be involved. The Leo club program motto is Leadership, Experience and Opportunity.

Elanora SHS Student Leadership Opportunities Overview

Student Award Scheme

Year 7	<p>Form leaders Junior council representative Student Council representative New student and International student buddies Primary School Ambassador House activities Leo's club ~ Extra-curricular activities</p>
Year 8	<p>Form leaders Junior Council representative Student Council representative Leadership Day for Year 8 and 9 leaders New student buddy Peer mediation House activities SC technical leader Leo's club ~ Extra-curricular activities</p>
Year 9	<p>Form leaders Junior Council representative Student Council representatives Junior Academy School Leaders Altitude Day –Ylead Leadership Day for Year 8 and 9 leaders New student and International student buddies Peer mediation SC Technical leader House activities Leo's club ~Extra-curricular activities</p>
Year 10	<p>Yr 10 Leaders – Yr 7 buddy Senior Council representative Indigenous junior leader Peer mediation Student Council representative New student and International student buddies Leadership day SC Technical leader House activities Leo's club ~ Extra-curricular activities Junior house leaders</p>
Year 11	<p>Citizenship program Senior Council representative Peer mediation Leadership Day Semester 2 Leadership and Business Week Student Council representatives SC Technical leader Yr 11 Committees – Digital Magazine, Webpage, Yr 12 DVD, Jersey, Yr 12 Formal Year 8 buddy House leaders Leo's club ~ Extra-curricular activities</p>
Year 12	<p>Yr 8 buddy School Captains Student Council Presidents International Leaders Indigenous Senior Leader House Captains SC Technical leader Senior Leaders Student Council Committees e.g. Formal, Graduation Leo's club ~ Extra-curricular activities</p>