



Faith Lutheran College, Redlands SENIOR SCHOOL AWARDS

The Mission of Faith Lutheran College, Redlands

Faith Lutheran College, Redlands is committed to providing quality learning opportunities while nurturing the development of all students in a Christ-centred community.

Awards are part of that celebration of living in a Christ-centred community. Awards are a celebration and recognition of the gifts and talents our Lord has blessed us with. Awards are a celebration and recognition of the growth in the lives of the students. As well as the Mission Statement and Aims of Faith Lutheran College, Redlands the Life Long Qualities developed by Lutheran Education Australia form over-arching criteria on which to base decisions regarding awards. It is expected that students would be exemplary in the values and qualities that Faith aims for the students.

LIFELONG QUALITIES

As central to their mission and ministry, Lutheran schools seek to nurture integrated individuals, aware of their humanity and open to the influence of the Holy Spirit, who are growing in and living according to a cohesive worldview

while

living in community, guided by core values and reflecting the characteristics of God, especially love, justice, compassion, forgiveness, patience and service

and

serving their communities by being:

- **self-directed, insightful investigators and learners**
- **discerning, resourceful problem solvers and implementers**
- **adept, creative producers and contributors**
- **open, responsive communicators and facilitators**
- **principled, resilient leaders and collaborators**
- **caring, steadfast supporters and advocates**

Awards will fall in two main categories:**1. End of Semester Awards:**

- *Academic Achievement:* Distinction and Credit
- *Service and Loyalty:* Distinction and Credit
- *Cultural:* Distinction and Credit
- *Sport:* Distinction and Credit

Students awarded a Distinction Certificate at the End of Semester 1 or the End of Semester 2 Awards Assemblies in any area, are eligible to receive a Colour Bar in their appropriate House colour. Only one Colour Bar can be awarded per Semester for each area of Engagement.

2. The End of Year Awards are presented at the *Senior School Valedictory Worship and Senior School Awards Evening* at the end of the year, these are:

- *Academic Achievement:* Gold Medal, Book and Certificate
- *Service and Loyalty:* Gold Medal, Book and Certificate
- *Cultural:* Gold Medal, Book and Certificate
- *Sport:* Gold Medal, Book and Certificate
Sportsperson of the Year (Male and Female)
Name on Honour Board, Gold Medal, Book and Certificate
State Sport representative in College-recognised Sport
- *Andrew Laming Perpetual Service and Loyalty Award:*
Name engraved on Trophy, Miniature Trophy, Gold Medal, Book, Certificate and Name on Honour Board
- *Award for Outstanding Contribution to the Community:*
Name engraved on Trophy, Miniature Trophy, Gold Medal, Cheque, Certificate and Name on Honour Board
- *Australian Defence Force Long Tan Leadership Award Year 10:* Certificate and Cheque
- *Australian Defence Force Long Tan Leadership Award Year 12:* Certificate and Cheque
- *First in Subject - Year 12:* Book and Certificate
- *Dux - Year 12* \$600 Bursary from FLC,R Parents and Friends Association and Name on Honour Board

All staff in the Senior School are encouraged to adopt strategies and practices which celebrate and recognise the positive contributions of the students, both in the subject classroom and in the PCG groups, as well as in the wider school community. Heads of Houses have a great opportunity to recognise students for their positive behaviours. Structures to celebrate in the Houses need be to in place and used often.

It is important that the College recognises and celebrates all positive behaviours of the students, not only the outstanding achievements or work products. Therefore, the recognition of excellence in effort and improvement made by students needs to be part of our classroom practices and our House celebrations. Students who have made an ongoing positive contribution to our College community are awarded a Service and Loyalty Credit Certificate.

Students are encouraged to actively participate in Service Learning initiatives. Those students who perform service above and beyond that which is required, will be considered for the Gold Award at the Year 12 Valedictory Worship.

Nominations for the ADF Long Tan Leadership Awards, and the Contribution to Community and Andrew Laming Perpetual Trophies will come from Heads of House. These nominations will be forwarded to the Head of Senior School and the Dean of Students who will work through the nominations to develop a list of recommended recipients to ensure no anomalies exist.

The Arts/Performance Music Department and the Sport Department will determine the recipients of the Cultural and Sport Awards respectively.

Wherever possible, Award winners will be acknowledged in College publications.

In all areas of College life, all staff are encouraged to recognise student achievement at any time. This can be done within the classroom setting and the Head of Senior School or Principal could be available to recognise any achievement.

SENIOR SCHOOL – Hauser Cup

Each Semester, the Senior School Houses are given points for their place in each of the four areas of engagement. The two Semester totals give the year total and the winner of the Hauser Cup for the Senior School.

Each area of engagement will provide a rank order of Houses which is then passed to the Principal's Office where an overall FLC,R Hauser Cup winner is determined.

'COLOURS' ON BLAZER POCKETS

Students who receive Gold Medals for; Academic, Sport, Service and Loyalty or Cultural are invited to have the area of engagement and the year embroidered in Gold on their College blazer pocket.

SENIOR SCHOOL AWARDS SELECTION CRITERIA

Academic Achievement *(for grades awarded in all subjects)*

AWARD	CRITERIA	WHO SELECTS	WHEN DECIDED	AWARD	PRESENTED BY	WHEN PRESENTED
Academic Achievement Gold Medal	Receive a Distinction for Academic Achievement in both Semesters 1 & 2 *PLEASE NOTE: Due to the close timing of end of year events, Semester 2 Academic Awards are determined using Term 3 report data for Year 10 and 11 and up to and including Verification for Year 12.	DoS HoSS	Term 4	Gold Medal Certificate and Book	Principal or guest	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
Academic Achievement Distinction (including Religion & Ethics)	Year 10 (9 subjects) Receive 6 A's and not less than a C in remaining subjects Year 11/12 (5 Subjects) Receive 4 A's and not less than a C in remaining subjects Year 11/12 (6 Subjects) Receive 5 A's and not less than a C in remaining subjects Year 11/12 (7 Subjects) Receive 5 A's and not less than a C in remaining subjects	DoS HoSS	Each Semester	Certificate and Colour Bar	Principal or Delegate	End of Semester 1 and 2 Awards Assembly
Academic Achievement Credit (including Religion & Ethics)	Year 10 (9subjects) Receive 4 A's and not less than a C in remaining subjects Year 11/12 (5 Subjects) Receive 3 A's and not less than a C in remaining subjects Year 11/12 (6 Subjects) Receive 4 A's and not less than a C in remaining subjects Year 11/12 (7 Subjects) Receive 4 A's and not less than a C in remaining subjects	DoS HoSS	Each Semester	Certificate	Principal or Delegate	End of Semester 1 and 2 Awards Assembly

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT (for grades awarded in all subjects)

Year Level	Number of Subjects	Academic Achievement	Results	Award	Minimum Requirement
10	9	A+ A A-	5	Distinction	6A no>C
		B+ B B-	4	Credit	4A no>C
		C+ C C-	3		
		D+ D D-	0		
		E+ E E-	0		
11 / 12	5 Including Religion & Ethics	A+ A A-	5	Distinction	4A no>C
		B+ B B-	4	Credit	3A no>C
		C+ C C-	3		
		D+ D D-	0		
		E+ E E-	0		
11 / 12	6 Including Religion & Ethics	A+ A A-	5	Distinction	5A no>C
		B+ B B-	4	Credit	4A no>C
		C+ C C-	3		
		D+ D D-	0		
		E+ E E-	0		
11 / 12	7 Including Religion & Ethics	A+ A A-	5	Distinction	5A no>C
		B+ B B-	4	Credit	4A no C
		C+ C C-	3		
		D+ D D-	0		
		E+ E E-	0		

SERVICE & LOYALTY

For these qualities:

1. positive attitude;
2. reliability, loyalty;
3. understanding, sensitivity;
4. willingness to act despite personal loss or disadvantage; and
5. positive role modelling.

AWARD	CRITERIA	WHO SELECTS	WHEN DECIDED	AWARD	PRESENTED BY	WHEN PRESENTED
Service and Loyalty Gold Medal	Receive a Distinction for Service and Loyalty in both Semesters 1 & 2	HoH DoS	End of School Year	Gold Medal Certificate and Book	Principal or Delegate	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
Service and Loyalty Distinction	All round excellence in the above qualities. Maximum of eight students across Senior School.	HoH DoS	Each Semester	Certificate and Colour Bar	Principal or Delegate	End of Semester 1 and 2 Awards Assembly
Service and Loyalty Credit	Display of 5 qualities but not to extent of above and displays no serious lack of Service & Loyalty qualities.	HoH DoS	Each Semester	Certificate	Principal or Delegate	End of Semester 1 and 2 Awards Assembly

CULTURAL

Students who demonstrate a high level of commitment, and, display the nominated qualities will be eligible for Cultural Awards. At all times the depth and breadth of the student's participation together with the qualities and the specific criteria will be considered in making the award decisions.

For these qualities and achievements;

1. Loyalty to College
2. Upholding College Mission
3. Leadership & encouragement
4. Cooperation, positive attitude, enthusiasm, regular attendance at rehearsals and performances (no less than 80% attendance),
5. Commitment over a long period of time to the performing group's goals and ideals
6. Commitment to other members of the group

The areas for cultural recognition are:

1. Drama, Backstage, Dance e.g Ballet
2. Art
3. Music:- Instrumental (bands and selected Ensembles), (AMEB/Trinity exams* certification required)
4. Music - Choral
5. College Productions e.g. Musical
6. Kaleidoscope, Robotics, Chess, Japanese Club
7. Public Speaking, Debating

AWARD	CRITERIA	WHO SELECTS	WHEN DECIDED	AWARD	PRESENTED BY	WHEN PRESENTED
<i>Cultural Gold Medal</i>	Students who receive a Distinction for Cultural activities in Semesters 1 & 2	Head of Extra Curricular Music P-12 & Group Coordinators	End of Year	Gold Medal Certificate and Book	Principal or Delegate	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
<i>Cultural Distinction</i>	An outstanding standard, in 2 or more Cultural areas, Instrumental or Choral Ensembles. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 80% for both rehearsals and performances over a 15 week/semester program in 2 or more areas. 	Head of Extra Curricular Music P-12 & Group Coordinators	End of each Semester	Certificate and Colour Bar (<i>Senior School</i>)	Principal or Delegate	End of Semester 1 and 2 Awards Assembly
<i>Cultural Credit</i>	An excellent standard in 1 Cultural area. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 80% for both rehearsals and performances over a 15 week/semester program in 1 area. 	Head of Extra Curricular Music P-12 & Group Coordinators	End of each Semester	Certificate	Principal or Delegate	End of Semester 1 and 2 Awards Assembly

SPORT

Award	Who Selects	When Decided	Who Presents	When Presented
Sportsperson of the Year , Gold Medal Male and Female	Head of Sport	End of Year	Principal	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
Sport , Gold Medal	Head of Sport	End of Year	Principal	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
Sport , Distinction	Head of Sport	End of Semester	Principal/HOS	Semester 1 or 2 Awards Assembly
Sport , Credit	Head of Sport	End of Semester	Principal/HOS	Semester 1 or 2 Awards Assembly

Selection Criteria – Semester Awards and Sports Person of the Year

Points	Involvement	Description
1	TAS Carnival	Girls AFL, Mixed Touch Football etc
1	Runner Up Age Champion	Interhouse Carnivals
1	TAS Sport Team (partial participation)	Participating in a second TAS Sport in the same Trimester. Must play a minimum 50% of available fixtures.
2	Age Champion	Interhouse Carnivals
2	TAS and District Carnivals	Represent College at Swimming, Cross Country, Athletics
3	TAS Sport Team	80% attendance at training AND games in Trimester 1, 2 or 3. Also includes Independents Cup (AFL)
5	District Representative	Representing a Bayside Team
7	Regional Representative	Representing a Metropolitan East Team
9	State Representative	Representing a Queensland Schools State Team
11	National Representative	Representing a National Schools Team

Semester 1 Awards

Credit – Minimum of 6 points required

Distinction – Minimum of 9 points required

Semester 2 Awards (Fewer opportunities to participate in Semester 2. Points required are scaled down as a result)

Credit – Minimum of 4 points required

Distinction – Minimum of 7 points required

Sports Persons of the Year is awarded to the Senior School (male and female) students who accumulate the most points from Semesters 1 and 2.

*NB – Students do not receive points if they were selected in a team but did not compete. In the event of injury, students will need to supply a medical certificate before any points can be accumulated. Students will only receive points for TAS (GBC) sports if they have met the minimum 80% attendance at trainings and games.

‘COLOURS’ ON BLAZER POCKETS

Sport ALL WHITE

Open Teams ‘TAS Open <<Sport Name>> <<Year>>’

First Teams ‘TAS First <<Team Name>> <<Year>>’

Premiership Teams ‘TAS <<Level>> <<Sport Name>> Premiers <<Year>>’

SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

AWARD	CRITERIA	WHO SELECTS	WHEN DECIDED	AWARD	PRESENTED BY	WHEN PRESENTED
Andrew Laming Award For Service & Loyalty	Significant Service to College and Community	HoH HoSS DoS	End of Year	Perpetual Trophy Miniature Trophy Gold Medal Certificate and Book	Delegate	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
Award for Outstanding Contribution to the Community	Significant and outstanding Service to College and Community	HoH HoSS DoS	End of Year	Perpetual Trophy and Gold Medal	Delegate	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
ADF Long Tan Leadership Award	Students are required to fulfil criteria as outlined in the ADF Long Tan Leadership Awards Package	HoH HoSS DoS	End of Year	Certificate and Cheque	Principal or Delegate	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening

YEAR 12 AWARDS

AWARD	CRITERIA	WHO SELECTS	WHEN DECIDED	AWARD	PRESENTED BY	WHEN PRESENTED
First in Subject	To be Top of Subject, a student must have attained a minimum Level of Achievement of High Achievement Level 8 (HA8) or above on the R6 or R12.	DoS	End of Year	Gold Medal Certificate Book	Principal	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
Vocational Education & Training Awards of Distinction	One Award of Distinction per VET subject may be awarded to a student who displays outstanding effort and commitment to their studies.	DoS VET Coordinator	End of Year	Gold Medal Certificate Book	Principal	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening
College Dux	To be considered as Dux, students must be in the top three (3) students in a subject and have received no less than a High Achievement 8 for that subject. The calculation is based on the student's R6 or R12 placement for the best 5 subject results. Religion and Ethics must be included in the calculation. The student with the highest cumulative score will be awarded Dux. Précis- Based on final College academic results as determined by the Dean of Studies	DoS	End of Year	Gold Medal Certificate Book	DoS	SS Valedictory Worship and SS Awards Evening