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Sports and Activities Co-Curricular Colours Criteria – Primary

Eligibility

- Only students in Years Three – Six are eligible to receive co-curricular awards, or Year Two students who qualify for selection through age and performance.
- Students must display outstanding commitment and attitude to be eligible for awards.
- Students are only eligible to receive one award per sport each year. A student who achieves at a higher level later in the year is eligible for their award to be upgraded.
- Only the school sport representative pathway is recognised. Selections and achievements through external club and representative sport are not eligible for Primary Awards, as representative sports at this age vary greatly between representative and participatory.

Please note: only Year Six students who receive co-curricular awards for participating in a competition with older students (e.g., TAS) qualify to have colours embroidered on their blazer.

Blue Award

- State representative (*team or individual; school sport pathway)*
  OR
- State medallist *(team or individual; school sport pathway)*
  OR
- Age Champion at a Junior TAS Carnival and shows commitment and dedication during their participation and training
  OR
- Record breaker at a Junior TAS Carnival and shows commitment and dedication during their participation and training

Burgundy Award

- Individual placing of second or third in Age Champion at a Junior TAS Carnival
  OR
- Member of an undefeated Junior TAS Premiership winning team
  Students must display outstanding dedication and commitment reflected by a minimum 80% attendance at scheduled training sessions and 100% of Junior TAS games*, and outstanding attitude and leadership
  OR
- Regional representative at a State championship
  (team or individual; school sport (Met East) pathway)
  OR
- Team age group winner at a Junior TAS Carnival and shows commitment and dedication during their participation and training
  OR
- Member of a JPC Club Premiership team (Division 1 or equivalent)
  OR
- Member of a debating team which qualifies for the knockout finals of the Queensland Debating Union competition

Merit Award

A JPC team member or participant who:

- consistently performs at a high level within the team at trainings, meetings, competitions and/or compulsory activities
- displays an outstanding attitude
- attends at least 80% of required commitments*
  AND
- Selection in a John Paul College Junior TAS Athletics/Cross Country/Swimming team
  OR
- Selected in a District team to compete at a Regional championship
  (team or individual; school sport (Logan District) pathway)

Tri Sport Medal

- Selected and competes in all three Junior TAS Carnivals in a calendar year: Athletics, Cross Country and Swimming

Additional Information

Sports/activities eligible for College Colours are identified as those that are available through representative pathways and School Sport Australia. Other sports/activities will be considered by submission to the Co-Curricular Colours Committee.

Awards will be recognised for the calendar year in which the achievement occurred.

Students who attend Junior TAS carnivals as reserves but who do not physically compete may be eligible for colours if they have displayed a sustained commitment or strong performance at interhouse events.

For any circumstances not explicitly addressed by this criteria, consideration and final outcomes will be at the discretion of the Colours Committee.

**Approval for absence or individual circumstances is by discretion by the Head of Sports and Activities and Sports Co-ordinators.*