



NEW PLYMOUTH BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL

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RATIONALE:

Academic awards are given to reward both excellence and effort and, as such, provide motivation for students to strive to reach their potential.

PURPOSE:

1. To establish what academic awards are made at each level.

GUIDELINES:

Years 9 and 10

1. In each subject at each level there will be a prize given for the top student in the subject. This student will be decided on the total score he attains from his grade point average.
2. At each level, there will be a 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The three students at each level will be decided on the total score that they attain from only their academic credits.
3. At each level, there will be certificates for effort and progress. Nominations will be made by staff.
4. At each year level there will be special prizes awarded as seen fit by the Headmaster of the School in conjunction with the Senior Leadership of the School.

Years 11-13

1. In each subject at each level there will be a prize given for the top student in the subject. This student will be decided according to the policy and procedures for determining subject and aggregate placings.



2. At each level, there will be a 1st, 2nd and 3rd. This student will be decided according to the policy and procedures for determining subject and aggregate placings.
3. At each level, there will be awards for effort and progress. Nominations will be made by staff.
4. At each year level there will be special prizes awarded as seen fit by the Headmaster of the School in conjunction with the Senior Leadership of the School.
5. The school's PTA will make an annual grant to the school prize fund.

