

STAR AWARDS CRITERIA 2021

Why do we award stars ?

(What are our core values around why we do what we do?)

At Blockhouse Bay Intermediate School, stars are awarded to validate students' achievement, commitment and excellence, citizenship and service to the community.

Within our star system, we have our Kauri awards, which further recognise the all-round student.

HOW TO WEAR YOUR STARS

Wear your stars with pride.

Sew your star on the left sleeve of your sweatshirt.

Please remember white background with coloured star showing.

LOST STARS

Please look after your stars as misplaced stars won't be replaced.

Stars awarded should be accurately recorded in your portfolio immediately after presentation and signed off by your classroom teacher. This tracking sheet is used as a record to prove eligibility for Kauri awards.

HOW TO EARN KAURI AWARDS

Within our Star system we have our Kauri Award which further recognises the all-round student.

To receive a Bronze, Silver, Gold or Platinum Kauri Award, the following must be achieved;

Bronze: Two red stars, two blue stars, two green stars, two yellow stars and any two other stars giving a total of ten stars.

Silver: Four red stars, four blue stars, four green stars, four yellow stars and any four other stars giving a total of twenty stars.

Gold: Six red stars, six blue stars, six green stars, six yellow stars and any six other stars giving a total of thirty stars.

Platinum: Eight red stars, eight blue stars, eight green stars, eight yellow stars and any eight other stars giving a total of forty stars.

BLUE STARS

Step into Sports	Participating, trying their best and demonstrating good sportsmanship in all three of school swimming sports, cross country and athletics sports, as well as consistently positive participation in all fitness activities throughout the year. In addition, students must participate at least once in each of <u>three</u> different sports for interclass sport.
Sportsmanship	One star per class, up to three times per term at school assembly.
Class Term Award	One star per class per term, awarded at end of term whanau assembly.
Sporting Enrichment Groups	One star each awarded to one student per term.
Year 8 camp	One star awarded for participating, trying their best and demonstrating the four school values at all times while at camp (at TIC's discretion).
Sports Academy - Year 8 - Year 7	One star for commitment and participation to the programme (at TIC's discretion).
Sports Camp	One blue star for selection and participation in Sports Camp One blue star for overall first placing school at Sports Camp (at TIC's discretion based on participation, and commitment).
AIMs	One blue star for selection as per AIMs selection criteria. One blue star for EACH placing in top ten of team and/or individual events (at TIC's discretion based on participation, and commitment).

Sport	School	Zone	Interzone	Nationals
Athletics	Top three competitors OVERALL in each age group get a star. One extra star only awarded for breaking one or more school records.	Top three competitors OVERALL in each age group get a star. One extra star only awarded for breaking one or more zone records.	Top five placings in each individual or team event One extra star only awarded for breaking one or more inter-zone records.	
Badminton	N/A	Top three placing in each singles or doubles event.	Top three placing in each singles or doubles event.	
Basketball	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	

Chess	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	Top ten placing at nationals
Cricket	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Cross-Country	Top three finishers in each age group. One extra star for breaking a school record.	Top three finishers in each age group. One extra star for breaking a zone record.	Top five finishers in each age group get a star. One extra star for breaking an inter-zone zone record.	
Crossfit	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Gymnastics	N/A	Top three placing in each singles or team event.	Top thee placing in each singles or team event.	
Hockey	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Netball (Wednesday)	Top three placing in any division when representing BBI in a school team.	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Netball (zone and interzone)		Top three placing	Top three placing	
Rugby	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Rugby League	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Ki o rahi	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
KiwiTag	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Rugby Sevens	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Touch Rugby	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Turbo Touch	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Orienteering	N/A	Top three competitors - individual and/or team. First place for individual and/or team on a course.	Top three competitors - individual and/or team. First place for individual and/or team on a course.	
Soccer	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	

Softball	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Swimming	Top three competitors OVERALL in each age group get a star. One extra star only awarded for breaking one or more school records.	Top three competitors OVERALL in each age group get a star. One extra star only awarded for breaking one or more zone records.	Top five placing in each individual or team event One extra star only awarded for breaking one or more inter-zone records.	
Table tennis	N/A	Top three three placings in each singles or doubles event.	Top three placing in each singles or doubles event.	
Tennis	N/A	Top three placings in each singles or doubles event.	Top three placing in each singles or doubles event.	
Volleyball	N/A	Top three placing	Top three placing	
Waterpolo	Top three placing in any division when representing BBI in a school team.	Top three placing	Top three placing	

RED STARS

Book Week	Completing the set number of activities, and participating in character parade. (Teacher discretion based on effort and involvement in all activities throughout the week including dressing up for the character parade).
Library Challenge	Completing the year's reading challenge (Librarian's discretion based on effort and involvement)
Summer Reading Programme	Completing the set number of activities (librarian's discretion based on effort and involvement).
Summer Maths Programme	For answering all questions and scoring at least 28/35 (80%).
Weekly Academic Awards	One per class awarded, up to eight per term.
End of Term Class Awards	Up to five per class, per term.

Specialist Subject Awards	Ten per cycle per subject (Design Technology, Food Technology, Science, Music, Visual Art, Dance and Drama).
Pounamu Room Literacy Awards	One per Pounamu Room teacher, up to eight per teacher per term.
Pounamu Room End of Term Literacy Awards	Up to five per Pounamu Room teacher, per term to be given as part of class awards.
Pounamu Room Acceleration Programme	One star per student for successfully completing a term's acceleration programme. (At Pounamu Room teacher's discretion).
End of year Maths Mate awards	Commitment, effort and/or improvement, up to five per class.
Oral Language Competition	One star to each Year 7 and Y8 whanau representative who competes in our school final. Top three placing at zone competition. Top three placing at inter-zone competition.
ICAS	Distinction or High Distinction
Otago Maths Problem Challenge	20/25 or better throughout the year. Top ten placing in the final challenge.
Mathex Competition	Top ten placing at Auckland competition.
Science Fair	Top three or Highly Commended placing at NIWA Science Fair .
Literacy Quiz	Top ten placing at Auckland competition. Top three placing at nationals. Top five at world championships.
Writing Competitions & Publications	Publication in a school journal or Toitoti magazine or equivalent, or top three placing in a school endorsed competition.
Academic Enrichment/GnT (refer to GnT/Enrichment document)	One star awarded to one student per term only.
EPRO8	Top ten placing at Auckland competition

YELLOW STARS

End of term class award	One star per class per term awarded at end of term whanau assembly.
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Celebrating Languages & Cultures	Completing the set number of activities to a high standard (teacher's discretion) and dressing up during language week.
Tikanga Māori,	One star awarded for presenting a pepeha in Te Reo Māori, from memory in front of the whanau, along with a project presented on an aspect of Tikanga Māori, (teacher discretion based on effort). This can only be earned once across the two years.
Trash to Flash	Top eight placing for costume (individual or team) if there are 20 - 25 entries/top 12 if there are 26 - 40 entries. Top three placing for sculpture (individual or team)
China/Japan trips	Participation & representation. This star is for immersion in Korean/Chinese/Japanese cultures whilst representing the school.
Cultural GnT group: Kapa Haka	One yellow star (teacher discretion based on effort and involvement) awarded for participation and commitment in powhiri, and performances throughout the year. A second yellow star can be earned from 'Special Community' performances further down this section.
GnT performance groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Orchestra/ Bandchestra - GnT drama - GnT dance 	One star awarded for participation (teacher discretion based on effort and involvement throughout the year).The group must have performed in at least two events throughout the year otherwise stars will be awarded on a 'Cultural Enrichment" group basis (see below). One of these events must be a school performance that is open to the wider community, for example Trash to Flash, variety concert, school production.
GnT Art	One star awarded to each person in the group for selection and participation (teacher discretion based on effort and involvement throughout the year). Artwork must be displayed in a school exhibition/event/occasion and/or area for the community and staff to enjoy.
Performance Enrichment Groups (refer to Enrichment document)	One star awarded for participation (teacher discretion based on effort and involvement throughout the year). The group must have performed in at least two events throughout the year otherwise stars will be awarded on a 'Cultural Enrichment" group basis (see below). One of these

	events must be a school performance that is open to the wider community, for example Trash to Flash, variety concert, school production.
Other Cultural Enrichment groups (refer to Enrichment document)	One star awarded to one student only per term.
Special Community Performance	Selected students perform at multiple invitation-only school endorsed community event - or one event over several days (at TIC's discretion). These performances are separate from our GnT/Enrichment groups.
APPA Instrumental Ensembles	One star awarded for participation in the APPA three-day instrumental course, weekend rehearsals, and two performance evenings in the Auckland Town Hall.
Dance Competitions (separate from Enrichment groups)	Top three placings at a dance competition when representing the school team. This is for dance groups separate from our Enrichment Dance groups.
Art competition/publication/exhibition	Exhibit artwork in an art exhibition (school (non-BBI), professional or otherwise), or artwork published in a publication e.g school journal, magazine etc. (Art teacher's discretion).
YCT Mandarin exam	Participating in GnT Mandarin and passing the YCT Mandarin exam (at TIC's discretion based on participation, and commitment).

GREEN STARS

Working Bees	Participation and diligence in three or more working bees (at TIC's discretion)
Rangatiratanga star	One green star can be earned per year at BBI (teacher's discretion based on effort and involvement). Student services a need three times over a period of at least three weeks. The 'need' must be approved by the teacher prior & documented using the template. Students complete a two minute presentation in class sharing the service they have done and also be filmed for 30 seconds by the film club sharing the positive impact they have had on the community.
End of Term Class Award	One star per class per term awarded at end of term

	whanau assembly.
40 Hour Famine	Minimum value of \$100 raised
40 Hour Famine Leader	Consistent fulfilment of duty including: attending 40 Hour Famine Leaders Day, organising events to fundraise for 40 hour famine, issuing famine booklets, promoting 40 hour famine & collecting sponsorship money at the end (at teacher's discretion).
Knowledgeathon	Minimum value of \$100 raised
Values	Earning four of each of the four school values vouchers (16 total). At teacher's discretion. This star can be earned a maximum of twice across the two years.
Register Monitor	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion) - maximum of two per class.
Chromebook Monitor	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion) - maximum of two per class.
Student Voice Representative	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion) - maximum of two per class.
Class Sport Captains	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion) - maximum of two per class.
Pounamu Room Buddy Reading Tutors	40 reading diary recorded sessions of service
Tuckshop Monitor	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at DP's discretion)
Milk Monitor	Two terms minimum (at officer manager's discretion)
Patrols	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year(at DP's discretion)
Librarians	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion)
Service GnT group: Garden Gnomes	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion)
Compost Crew	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion)
Service GnT group: Envirokids	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion)
Elite Service Enrichment: Aerobics Instructors	Consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at teacher's discretion)
Other Service Enrichment Groups (refer to GnT/Enrichment document)	One star each awarded to one student only per term.

Korean/Chinese/Japanese Student Host Family and/or Buddy	One star to be given per hosting. Consistent fulfilment of duty during the term of international student's stay.
Service to Wider School Life e.g. promotional films	Participation & representation (in consultation with senior management).
Kapa Haka	One green star for service to school with powhiri (at discretion of TiC).
Student Coaches	Complete 12 training sessions and consistent fulfilment of duty all year (at DP's discretion). All coaching sessions must be logged and produced as evidence.