

Academic Excellence Awards Criteria



At The Cathedral College, we understand the importance of celebrating our students' academic achievements and believe in recognising the hard work and dedication they put into their studies. Every year, we honour outstanding student performance at our Academic Awards Night, presenting Academic Excellence Awards. These Gold, Silver, and Bronze Awards are presented based on grade point average (GPA). These awards not only celebrate exceptional academic accomplishments but also inspire students to continually strive for excellence in their educational journey.

GPA (15 point scale)

	Gold Award	Silver Award	Bronze Award
Year 7	13	12.25	11.5
Year 8			
Year 9	12.75	12.20	
Year 10			
Year 11			
Year 12		12	

In addition, the result of the Religion subject studied, must match the student's results of similar Humanities and English subject results. These GPAs are based on the following minimum grades using the A+ to E- grading system.

Conversion Table: A+ to E- (15 point scale)

Grade		Grade		Grade		Grade		Grade	
A+	15	B+	12	C+	9	D+	6	E+	3
A	14	B	11	C	8	D	5	E	2
A-	13	B-	10	C-	7	D-	4	E-	1

Grades of A+ to E- are given numeric values in order to calculate the GPA. For example, a Year 10 student who achieved the following results; 2A, 3A-, 1B+, 1C for 7 subjects would have a GPA = $(28+39+12+8)/7 = 12.43$. The Year 10 student would receive a **Silver Award**.

** The Cathedral College reserves the right to exercise discretion with rounding up of GPA's.*