



Honours Recognition and Special Awards

Honour Roll awards are presented to students in grade 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 who earn a Very Good - 3.3 GPA or higher for the school year and meet school attendance, behaviour and CAS expectations.

Principal's List awards are presented to students in grade 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 who earn an Excellent - 3.7 GPA or higher for the school year and meet school attendance, behaviour and CAS expectations.

Subject prizes are awarded to students in grades 6 to 11 who demonstrate the highest level of achievement in their grade level. These honours are publicly acknowledged at the graduation and awards day ceremonies.

Honours diplomas are granted at graduation based on the cumulative GPA of 3.3 or above in Grades 9 to 11.

The Principal's Award is presented at graduation to recognize one graduating student who has displayed a "consistent long-term commitment to upholding the St Andrew's School traditions of scholarship, behaviour, participation and endeavour."

The CIS Award for International Understanding is given to a graduating student "who is a good representative of his or her own country, with a positive attitude toward the life and culture of others, able to converse in at least two languages, a contributing force in the life of the school, with the ability to bring differing people together into a sense of community, thus furthering the cause of international understanding."

The Rhode Island School of Design Presidential Art Award is presented annually to an outstanding graduating student in the visual arts.

The Hammond Essay Prize is presented to a graduating student "who has consistently presented well-organized essays of high quality and originality, and demonstrated an excellent command of the English language."

Michael Pintard Award is presented by the English department to a graduating student who writes most creatively. This award is in recognition of Mr Pintard from whom we derived the St Andrew's school motto "Ethics and Excellence"

The Judy Maura Memorial Prize is presented to a graduating student "for outstanding effort and for making a major contribution to the life of the school".

The Distinguished Performing Artist Award is presented to one female and one male student who have made an outstanding contribution of talent, dedication, and service to the development of the performing arts programme at St. Andrew's School.

The Eco Award is presented at the end of each year to a graduating student who has shown outstanding leadership in the care and protection of the environment. This award shows dedication and commitment to both the environment at school and the greater community.

The Hurricanes Award is presented to male and female students who have made the greatest overall

contribution to the extra curricular sporting programme. The athletic director (in consultation with the PE department and coaching staff) determines the award.

The Most Outstanding Student Award or **Valedictorian Award** is presented to the student who has the highest cumulative grade point average for Grades 9 to 11. Because of problems ensuring compatibility between grades at St Andrew's and grades at other schools, the Valedictorian Award may only be given to a student who has spent Grades 9 through 11 at St Andrew's. If another student has the highest GPA in grade 11, a second award may be given.