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## ADF Future Innovators Award Year 10 and/or Year 12 Nomination Form

The Australian Defence Force (ADF) Future Innovators Award has been designed to recognise recipients' science and mathematics abilities while highlighting the value the Navy, Army and Air Force place on STEM skills and STEM career opportunities within Defence. The awards are a means to formally recognise those students who have demonstrated motivation and innovation in the areas of STEM within their school, and who display strong personal ethical values, such as doing one's best.

Participation in the awards program is open to all Australian schools with students enrolled in Year 10 and/ or Year 12. The program supports the presentation of up to two awards to successful students each year from participating schools – one from Year 10 and another from Year 12.

The recipients of the ADF Future Innovators Award will receive a certificate and an award payment claim letter. Year 10 students will be presented with this award at the Annual Awards Assembly in November. Year 12 students will be presented with this award at the Year 12 Graduation.

### MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Year 10 and Year 12 recipients must be enrolled at the school in Year 10 or Year 12 when they are selected.

All award recipients must be either:

- An Australian Citizen
- An Australian Permanent Resident
- A New Zealand Citizen on an Australian Special Category Visa

### PROCESS

Student nominations are due to Mrs Sarah Ellam (Deputy Principal Secondary) by Monday 6 August, 2024 via email: [sarah.ellam@newman.wa.edu.au](mailto:sarah.ellam@newman.wa.edu.au)

All nominations will be reviewed by the relevant Leader of Wellbeing and the Executive Team.

### RESPONSE

Students are to review the selection criteria on the next page. Nominees are required to complete a 400-word (maximum) response that describes how they have consistently met the selection criteria. Responses should include examples where possible and appropriate.

Award recipients are not required to have shown every behaviour or attribute listed here; however, all award recipients must have demonstrated behaviours and attributes to a level greater than that shown by their peers.

	YEAR 10	YEAR 12
<b>STEM INNOVATION</b>	A student who demonstrates innovation in the learning area of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)	A student who demonstrates innovation in the learning area of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)
<b>STEM MOTIVATION</b>	A student who demonstrates a level of motivation in the learning area of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)	A student who demonstrates a level of high-level motivation in the learning area of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)

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### Nominee's Details

Nominee's first name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's last name: \_\_\_\_\_

PCG class: \_\_\_\_\_

Within 400 words, describe how you have consistently met elements of the selection criteria. Responses should include examples where possible and appropriate.

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