



# GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP AWARD POLICY

*(Ratified by School Council: May 2026)*

## **PURPOSE:**

The Lions Club supports local and international communities and provides voluntary services to people in need. Their International purpose is:

- To create and foster a spirit of understanding among the people of the world.
- To promote the principles of good government and good citizenship.
- To fund and otherwise serve the civic, cultural, social and moral welfare of the community

In the beginning of 2016, the Lions Club approached GWPS with the intention to provide an award to support graduating Year 6 students.

The Global Citizenship Award is sponsored by the Lion's Club in the form of an annual \$250.00 payment. It is provided as an award for us to identify and acknowledge up to four Year 6 students who have demonstrated outstanding Glen Waverley Primary School Values of Integrity, Initiative, Respect and Global Empathy. The award includes a payment to up to four recipients that will go towards the cost of secondary schooling in the student's following year.

## **GUIDELINES:**

- The award consists of a \$250.00 payment for up to four recipients, shared amongst the recipients. This payment should go towards the cost of secondary schooling for the selected students.
- The recipients of the Global Citizenship Award are ineligible to receive the Trish Perry award.
- The award will be presented at the Year 6 Graduation Ceremony.
- A representative from the Lion's Club will be invited to attend the Year 6 Graduation Ceremony to present the Global Citizenship Award.
- Recipients will also receive a small, engraved plaque.

## **IMPLEMENTATION:**

- The selection of recipient/s to receive the award is made by the Year 6 teachers in consultation with other staff members and the Principal.
- The financial component of the award (\$250.00 equally shared amongst the recipients) is forwarded to their recipients' parents.
- The decision is confidential until the announcement at the Year 6



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## Graduation Ceremony.

- The student/s' name is engraved on the perpetual plaque which is displayed near the office.

### **EVALUATION:**

This policy will be reviewed every two years by the Year 6 teachers and School Council.

### **DUE DATE FOR REVIEW:**

This policy is due for review in May 2028.