



Preserving the Past...Preparing for the Future

Annual Student Awards and Recognition Celebration

Success
is a state of mind.
If you want success -
start thinking of yourself
as a success.
Dr. Joyce Brothers

You're **BRAVER** than you believe,
and **STRONGER** than you seem,
and **SMARTER** than you think.
—A.A. Milne, *Winnie the Pooh*

a *dream* becomes a
goal when action is
taken toward its
achievement.
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Believe
in
Yourself

the most three important
words you can say
to yourself:
**YES, I
CAN**

Excellence is doing
ordinary things
extraordinarily well.
John W. Gardner

Excellence is never an accident.
It is always the result of
high intention, sincere effort, and
intelligent execution;
it represents the wise choice of
many alternatives - choice,
not chance, determines your
destiny. — Aristotle

Excellence is the
gradual result of
always striving to do
better.
Pat Riley
meeville.com

"Nothing is **IMPOSSIBLE**,
the word itself says,
I'M POSSIBLE!"
— Audrey Hepburn

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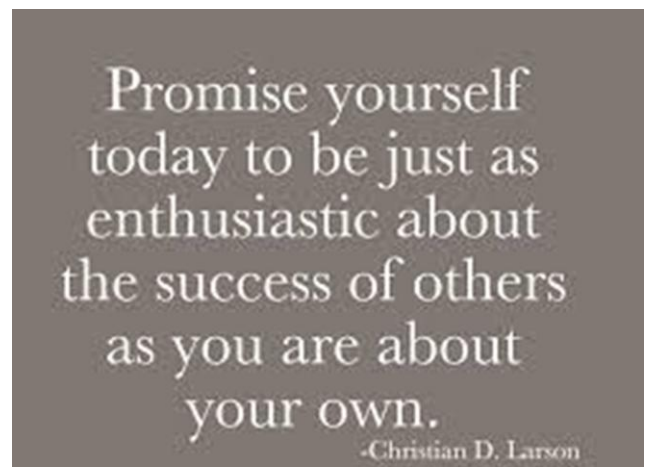
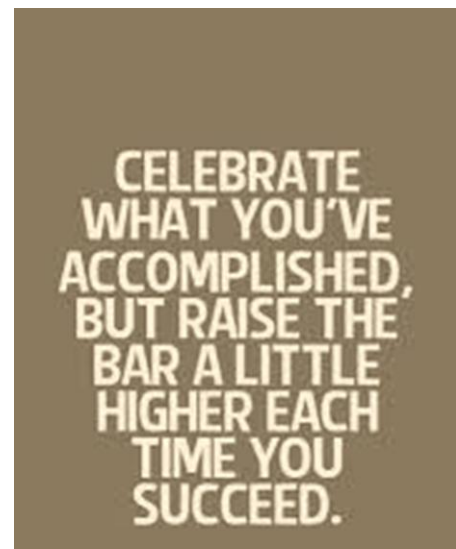
Celebrating Success

Celebrating your achievements and applauding your triumphs is a sure way to refuel your enthusiasm and keep yourself motivated for your future endeavours.

At Khalsa School Calgary our journey of excellence in mind, body, heart and soul is an on-going part of who we are and what we do. Along this path we take time to reflect and applaud the accomplishments of our students so that they may be honoured and celebrated for their achievements.

We are proud of their accomplishments! Success does not occur by chance; it occurs by deliberate focus, purposeful intent, commitment, determination, planning, preparation, hard work and sometimes sacrifices!

The students that we recognize and celebrate have chosen to succeed.



School Awards (Grades 1 – 9)

Citizenship Award

Presented to a student in each division who has supported and contributed to the school community through public service and voluntary endeavours. This student can always be spotted helping other students and/or teachers and staff around the school and lending a helping hand without being asked!

Principal's Choice Award

Presented to the student in each division who embodies a quest for personal excellence in heart, mind, body and soul. These students not only achieve academic excellence but serve as role models to other students in all aspects of our school community by serving, learning, leading, excelling and modelling the characteristics of an exceptional student.

Synergy Award

Together we achieve more than any of us can individually. A Synergy Award will be presented by each division to the “team” of students who synergized with excellence, could serve as a model of synergy for others and through their “team” effort and example contributed to our KSC culture of excellence.

Leadership Excellence Award

There is greatness in every child and KSC believes that every child is a leader! The Leadership Excellence Award is presented to the student in each division who chose to lead by example every day and in every way. These students stand out as leaders amongst their peers by going above and beyond in their leadership development and journey.

Family Spirit Award

Leadership and Learning Families love a little healthy competition and the opportunity to build team and school spirit. The Family Spirit Award is presented to the Leadership and Learning Family who has the highest cumulative family points in each division.

Believe and Achieve Award

ELLEday is a student centered, student empowered environment where students are given the opportunity to choose their learning pathway. This highly flexible environment presents many opportunities for many students to be proactive in their choices and goals. The Believe and Achieve Award is presented to the student in each division who is proactive and intentional about their chosen learning pathway. These students embrace the opportunity, flexibility and accountability of ELLEday with habits of excellence in heart, mind, body and soul.

Roar for School Spirit Award

Participation and a great attitude are key! The Roar for School Spirit Award is presented to the student in each division who has a great attitude towards simply – everyone and everything. These students fully participate with joy, trying their best and cheering others on in all school events from ELLEday Assemblies to Family Competitions.

Winning Attitude Award

Attitude and effort is everything. The Winning Attitude Award is presented to the student in each division who strives for their personal best in all aspects of their physical education, health and well-being.

Khalsa School Calgary Student of the Year Award

This award is presented to recognize and honour students for distinguished service in our community. Distinguished leadership is characterized by such qualities as the expression and execution of high purpose and service in the community at large, innovative approaches to community concerns and aspirations, persistent effort, and contributions to the creation of a strong sense of community. Someone that follows the core values of Sikhism (naam japo, kirt karo, vand chakko)

School Awards (Grades 1 - 3)

<i>Excellence in Grade 1</i>	Presented to the student who has achieved the highest level of academic success in Grade 1.
<i>Excellence in Grade 2</i>	Presented to the student who has achieved the highest level of academic success in Grade 2.
<i>Excellence in Grade 3</i>	Presented to the student who has achieved the highest level of academic success in Grade 3.
<i>Excellence in Physical Education & Health</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (1-3) who achieves the highest level of success for participation, achievement and attitude for the year in physical education and health.
<i>Excellence in Punjabi</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (1 - 3) who achieves the highest level of success for the year in Punjabi.
<i>Excellence in Gurmat</i>	Presented to a student in each grade (1 – 3) who exhibits the highest standards of commitment, attitude and dedication in religious studies and spiritual growth.
<i>Excellence in Gurmat Sangeet (Keertan)</i>	Presented to a student who exhibits the highest standards of religious musicality in the Keertan program in grades 1 – 2.
<i>Gurmat Sangeet Award Harmonium</i>	Presented to the student in grade 3 who exhibits the highest standards of religious musicality in the Keertan/Harmonium program.
<i>Gurmat Sangeet Award Tabla</i>	Presented to the student in Grade 3 who exhibits highest standards of religious musicality in the Keertan/Tabla program.
<i>Quest Award</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (1-3) who has shown great work ethic, perseverance and improvement in their work and their attitude throughout the school year. These students have chosen to be proactive and “sharpen the saw”. They have worked to achieve better results in their quest for personal excellence in mind, body, heart and soul through hard work, and dedication. The students who receive the Quest Award never give up! They have chosen to rise to the challenges presented to them and always strive for success. Not an easy task!
<i>Star of Excellence Award</i>	Presented to the student in Division 1 who has achieved the highest level of excellence in mind, body, heart and soul. This student is always on their own personal quest for excellence in all things.

School Awards (Grades 4 – 9)

<i>Excellence in Language Arts</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4-9) who achieves the highest cumulative grade for the year in language arts.
<i>Excellence in Mathematics</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4-9) who achieves the highest cumulative grade for the year in mathematics.
<i>Excellence in Science</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4-9) who achieves the highest cumulative grade for the year in science.
<i>Excellence in Social Studies</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4-9) who achieves the highest cumulative grade for the year in social studies.
<i>Excellence in Physical Education & Health</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4-9) who achieves the highest cumulative grade for the year in physical education and health.
<i>Excellence in Punjabi</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4-9) who achieves the highest cumulative grade for the year in Punjabi.
<i>Excellence in Gurmat</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4 – 9) who exhibits the highest standards of commitment, attitude and dedication in religious studies and spiritual growth.
<i>Gurmat Sangeet Award Harmonium</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4 –9)who exhibits the highest standards of religious musicality in the Keertan/Harmonium program.
<i>Gurmat Sangeet Award Tabla</i>	Presented to a student who exhibits highest standards of religious musicality in the Keertan/Tabla program.
<i>Male & Female Athletes of the Year</i>	This award is presented to the student who has dedicated themselves to many sports teams throughout the school year. On each of the teams, the student has showcased high skill level and a great understanding of the sport. They have also demonstrated a positive attitude on each team, and great leadership skills.
<i>Coaches Choice Award</i>	This award is present to the student who has showcased good sportsmanship and has attended every practice, always eager to learn new skills. This student cheers on their teammates and encourages them to try their best. They are an overall positive asset to the team.
<i>Star of Excellence Award</i>	Presented to the student in each grade (4-9) who achieves the overall highest average for the school year in all subjects with no grade under 50%.

