

The Council believes that excellence in academic achievement should be recognized and rewarded.

REGULATIONS

- 1) The Council will maintain a program of student awards and will consider making special awards as deemed appropriate:
 - a) A SSDEC Perfect Attendance Award will be presented to each South Slave school student who attains a perfect attendance record for the school year.
 - b) A cheque in the amount of \$50 with a suitably engraved plaque will be awarded yearly to the top academic student in the highest Elementary or Junior High grade in each school in the Division. Each school is responsible to arrange for the plaque and invoice the SSDEC.
 - c) A cheque in the amount of \$200 with a suitable engraved plaque will be awarded yearly to each Grade 12 student in the Division who has achieved honour standing. To achieve honour standing a Grade 12 student must attain an average mark of at least 80% in at least three grade twelve courses, including English 30, taken by the student in the final two semesters of school attendance.
 - d) An SSDEC *Honours pin* will be awarded yearly to each student in the Division who has achieved honour standing. To achieve honour standing each student must attain an average mark of at least 80% in all their courses.
 - e) An SSDEC Literacy Award plaque will be presented to one student per grade in each school who best exemplifies the qualities laid out in the award poster and criteria (attached).
 - f) The Lawrie Hobart Memorial Citizenship Award of \$200 will be presented to a senior high school student (grades 10-12) in each South Slave high school who exemplifies the qualities laid out in the award poster and criteria (attached).
- 2) Principals will nominate students for the awards, as per the criteria, and notify the comptroller, SSDEC, at least three weeks prior to the awards ceremony.
- 3) The awards will be presented to the recipients by the local Council representative or by his/her designate.

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