

Praise and rewards systems

Praise is extremely important to all of us at Abbs Cross and this helps our students develop a good work ethic and reinforces the right decisions that they make on a daily basis. Students earn positive SIMs on a daily basis for a host of things including effort, progress, attainment, excellent behaviour or taking part in a school event. Positive SIMs are accumulated throughout the year and there is a set tariff that allows students to be recognised with a bronze, silver, gold, platinum or diamond badges to wear on their blazer.

In addition to this we hold regular assemblies where “student of the week” is awarded as well as certificates for outstanding progress and achievement across all curriculum areas. Excellence both in and out of school is recognised through our weekly year team bulletins as well as through award schemes such as Jack Petchy. Staff also reward excellence by making positive phone calls to parents. As a school we hold rewards trips termly, inter-form competitions and run a formal awards afternoon at the end of each academic year which parents are invited to attend. All students graduate at the end of each year academic year.

Badge Tariff – 2019-2020

Bronze	- 75	
Silver	- 125	
Gold	- 175	
Platinum	- 250	

Diamond - top 6 students from each year group at end of the year.