

# **CHIJ St Joseph's Convent Edusave Character Award 2022**

## **Introduction**

MOE introduced the Edusave Character Award (ECHA) in 2012 to recognise students who demonstrate exemplary character and outstanding personal qualities through their behaviour and actions. The award also supports schools' continuing efforts in nurturing students of good values and character, who are active contributors and concerned citizens.

## **Objectives**

The objectives of the ECHA are:

- To send a clear and strong signal of the importance that MOE places on character and values, on par with achievements in the academic domain; and
- To recognise outstanding students in each school who are exemplary in character, and who can be role models to inspire others.

## **Eligibility Criteria**

- **The nominee is a Singaporean.**
- **The nominee demonstrates school values on a consistent basis.**
  - Love, Integrity, Gratitude, Humility, Tenacity (LIGHT Values)
- **The nominee demonstrates a high level of civic responsibility, and/or**
  - These would be students who are concerned about issues in the community or issues faced by others, initiating action to address these issues to improve the lives of others, and being committed to make a positive difference.
- **The nominee demonstrates qualities associated with resilience.**
  - These would be students who have persevered despite facing difficult circumstances (e.g., financial challenges, family issues, health issues etc.), and managed to overcome the odds and still do commendably well in academic and non-academic domains.

## **Nomination and Selection Process**

The nominations for ECHA 2022 are open to the whole school community and the school stakeholders such as parents, alumni and coaches/instructors.

The selection process is managed in stages and involved representatives of different groups of key stakeholders to provide a wide range of perspectives and to enhance its

robustness. The main stages of the selection process are nomination, shortlisting and endorsement.

### **Presentation of Award**

Each ECHA awardee will receive a certificate and an award voucher.

ECHA will be given out at the community level, together with the Edusave Scholarships, Edusave Merit Bursaries, Good Progress Awards and EAGLES.

You can click [here](#) for more information.

### **Submission of Nominations**

Click [here](#) to access the nomination form. The closing date for submission of nominations is Friday, 19 August 2022.