

Budding Scientists Recognised at WA School Graduations

More than 1400 primary school students have been recognised for their passion and enthusiasm for science as part of the 2018 Woodside Scitech Science Awards.

Awards have been handed out at more than 740 school graduations and closing ceremonies across the State during November and December.

Ms Deb Hancock, Scitech Chief Executive Officer, said: “Congratulations to all the students who receive a 2018 Woodside Scitech Science Award. It is fantastic to see so many primary school students embracing science, technology, engineering and maths (STEM) in the classroom. At Scitech we are committed to ensuring students across the State are equipped with the right skills and knowledge to productively enter the workforce of the future. Taking action now will make a huge difference to the social and economic well-being of Western Australia.”

Jacky Connolly, Woodside Vice President People and Global Capability, said “Woodside is passionate about growing a diverse community of STEM innovators and collaborators. Students receive a Woodside Scitech Science Award for showing a curiosity about the world around them, a desire to experiment and investigate, an ability to use the scientific process to problem solve, and for their consistent passion and enthusiasm for science. These are all the qualities we want to see in the next generation of STEM professionals.”

For each school that registers, awards are presented to two Year 6 graduating students at their end of year graduation ceremonies or book award evenings as part of whole school award presentations.

This year, award registrations were received in the following areas:

- 478 metropolitan and outer metropolitan schools
- 235 regional schools
- 35 remote schools

Successful students receive a science book, a Double Helix magazine, a discounted subscription to Double Helix Magazine, a 2-for-1 pass to Scitech and a certificate.

In 2007, through Woodside’s Community Partnerships program, Scitech obtained a grant to run the Woodside Scitech Science Awards. The program has been running every year since this time, presenting a motivating end-of-year goal and providing an opportunity for Western Australian primary schools to encourage students to be actively engaged with science throughout the year.

****MEDIA PLEASE NOTE**** *If you are interested in attending any of the below award presentations, please contact Scitech to arrange a suitable time for photo opportunities. Prior arrangements will need to be made with the relevant schools.*

More information

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School	Ceremony Date
• Aranmore Catholic Primary School	6/12/2018
• Bull Creek Primary School	6/12/2018
• Dalmain Primary School	6/12/2018
• Falls Road Primary School	6/12/2018
• Majella Catholic Primary	6/12/2018
• Manning Primary School	6/12/2018
• Matthew Gibney Catholic Primary School	6/12/2018
• Ashdale Primary School	7/12/2018
• Bentley Primary School	7/12/2018
• Bertram Primary School	7/12/2018
• Doubleview Primary School	7/12/2018
• East Maddington Primary School,	7/12/2018
• Lake Monger Primary School	7/12/2018
• Millen Primary School	7/12/2018
• Ocean Reef Primary School	7/12/2018
• Our Lady of Grace School	7/12/2018
• Penrhos College Junior School	7/12/2018
• South Coogee Primary School	7/12/2018
• Applecross Primary School	10/12/2018
• Camboon Primary School	10/12/2018
• Greenwood Primary School	10/12/2018
• Malvern Springs Primary School	10/12/2018
• Marmion Primary School	10/12/2018
• Orange Grove Primary School	10/12/2018
• Poseidon Primary School	10/12/2018
• Rivergums Primary School	10/12/2018
• Westfield Park Primary School	10/12/2018
• Alinjarra Primary School	11/12/2018
• Aveley Primary School	11/12/2018
• Baldivis Primary School	11/12/2018
• Bayswater Primary School	11/12/2018
• Connolly Primary School	11/12/2018
• Ellenbrook Christian College	11/12/2018
• Glendale Primary School	11/12/2018
• Golden Bay Primary School	11/12/2018
• Gooseberry Hill Primary School	11/12/2018
• Jolimont Primary School	11/12/2018



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• Marangaroo Primary School	11/12/2018
• Newton Primary School	11/12/2018
• Noranda Primary	11/12/2018
• Padbury Primary School	11/12/2018
• Phoenix Primary School	11/12/2018
• Sutherland Dianella Primary	11/12/2018
• Yanchep Lagoon Primary School	11/12/2018
• Yangebup Primary School	11/12/2018
• Ashfield Primary School	12/12/2018
• Carlisle Primary School	12/12/2018
• Clarkson Primary School	12/12/2018
• Coolbinia Primary School	12/12/2018
• Duncraig Primary School	12/12/2018
• Makybe Rise Primary School	12/12/2018
• Palmyra Primary School	12/12/2018
• Parkerville Primary School	12/12/2018
• Poynter Primary School	12/12/2018
• Queens Park Primary School	12/12/2018
• Settlers Primary School	12/12/2018
• Somerly Primary School	12/12/2018
• Thornlie Primary School	12/12/2018
• West Leeming Primary School	12/12/2018
• West Morley Primary School	12/12/2018
• Winterfold Primary School	12/12/2018
• Anzac Terrace Primary School	13/12/2018
• Burrendah Primary School	13/12/2018
• East Victoria Park Primary School	13/12/2018
• Maylands Peninsula Primary School	13/12/2018
• Woodlupine Primary School	13/12/2018
• Newborough Primary School	13/12/2018