



MAREEBA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE \$500 BUSINESS ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD – YEAR 11

This Award will be open to Year 11 students wishing to pursue a career in BUSINESS/COMMERCE/MANAGEMENT/INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY and have shown commitment and the desire to excel in their studies. The amount of \$500.00 will be credited to the recipient's school account to assist with the cost of their studies in Year 12 at Mareeba State High School in 2026.

There are two facets to this Award.

- 1 Whilst academic results are important, this Award will be open to students who have shown that they can face challenges in a positive manner combined with a determined desire to achieve at the highest level they can.
- 2 The recipient must be returning to Mareeba State High School for Year 12 and intending to pursue a career in business after completing this year.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- 1 CAREER ASPIRATION IN BUSINESS/COMMERCE/MANAGEMENT/INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- 2 COMMITMENT

The applicants of this Award must demonstrate commitment to furthering their studies and their career. They must also be committed to finishing their chosen course.

- 3 DESIRE TO EXCEL

A person who has been committed to study and has high aspirations for their future has the desire to excel. This does not necessarily mean the achievement of high academic results.

What makes this person stand out? Why are they deserving of an Encouragement Award.

The recipient will be a student aspiring to a career in Business/Commerce/Management/Information Technology who has demonstrated commitment and the desire to excel.

The Award will be presented to the successful applicant at the Presentation Event, Tuesday 14th October 2025.

Your Application must be forwarded to:

The Principal
Mareeba State High School
Jasper Street
MAREEBA Qld 4880

Closing Date: Application should be received by **Wednesday 10th September 2025**. Late applications will not be accepted.

**** AWARDS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE AND ARE DEPENDANT ON CONTINUED ENROLMENT ****



APPLICATION FORM 2025

1 PERSONAL DETAILS

NAME: DATE OF BIRTH:

ADDRESS:
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CURRENT ENROLMENT STATUS:

DESIRED TERTIARY COURSE AND INSTITUTION:

PARENTAL CONTACT: NAME
 ADDRESS
 PHONE

2 SELECTION CRITERIA

Please attach no more than two A4 pages addressing the three selection criteria. Also attach copies of 2024 & Semester 1, 2025 Report Cards.

3 ENDORSEMENTS

TEACHER/S:

Please use space below or attach a short paragraph indicating why you think the applicant fits the criteria for this Award.

Comments:

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PRINCIPAL

I support this application.

Please provide a brief comment if appropriate.

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Name: _____ **Signature:** _____

Applicant:

I hereby apply for the Mareeba Chamber of Commerce \$500 Business/Commerce/IT Encouragement Award for commitment and the desire to excel. If selected, the Award will be paid to the Mareeba State High School to be applied to school expenses where it is considered beneficial for the recipient whilst enrolled at Mareeba State High School.

Name: _____ **Signature:** _____