

## NATIONAL HONOURS AND AWARDS\*

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### Officers of the Order of Australia – AO

Year	Recipient	Citation
2005	<b>Margaret Varady</b>	Australia Day: For leadership in education, particularly as Principal of Sydney Girls High School, to fostering academic excellence and to promoting student participation across a range of community activities, sports and the arts
2008	<b>Dorothy Hoddinott</b>	Queen's Birthday: For service to education and the teaching profession, particularly through the Australian Joint Council of Professional Teaching Associations and through professional development of teachers of English as a second language, and to the community through the support of immigrant and refugee students

### Members of the Order of Australia – AM

Year	Recipient	Citation
1988	<b>Don Bray</b>	Australia Day: For service to secondary education
1999	<b>Robin Amm</b>	Australia Day: For service to education and to educational administration, particularly as Principal, Newtown High School of the Performing Arts, and to the community
2000	<b>Brian Greene</b>	Queen's Birthday: For service to secondary education in New South Wales, particularly in the implementation of innovative educational programs, and to the community
2004	<b>Bernie Shepherd</b>	Queen's Birthday: For service to education in the Western Sydney region, particularly through the development of secondary and tertiary educational opportunities for young people, and participation in professional educational organisations
2005	<b>Barbara Barraclough</b>	Australia Day: For service to education, particularly as Principal of Bankstown Girls' High School, to support for innovative vocational and training programs, and to the wider Bankstown community
2006	<b>Paul Brock</b>	Australia Day: For service to public education, particularly as an adviser and author in the areas of strategic policy development, to maintaining high standards of teaching and professionalism, and to people with Motor Neurone Disease

<b>2007</b>	<b>Chris Bonnor</b>	Australia Day: For service to education through significant contributions to the development of educational policy and practice in New South Wales, the promotion of excellence in school leadership, and advocacy for public education
<b>2012</b>	<b>Christine Cawsey</b>	Australia Day: For service to secondary education in New South Wales as a principal and through professional associations
<b>2012</b>	<b>Jim McAlpine</b>	Australia Day: For service to education, particularly through executive roles with the New South Wales Secondary Principals' Council, as an educator, and to the community
<b>2018</b>	<b>Mark Anderson</b>	Australia Day: For significant service to secondary education in New South Wales through administrative and executive roles, and to educational standards in NSW.
<b>2019</b>	<b>Susan Bridge</b>	Queen's Birthday: For significant service to secondary education in New South Wales

### Medal of the Order of Australia – OAM

Year	Recipient	Citation
<b>2002</b>	<b>Dennis MacKenzie</b>	Australia Day: For service to public education as a teacher and administrator, particularly within the community of Bankstown
<b>2006</b>	<b>Allan Jones</b>	Queen's Birthday: For service to education in the western Sydney area, particularly through initiatives to enhance student achievement and staff development, and as a supporter of community education programs
<b>2006</b>	<b>Geoff Hogan</b>	Australia Day: For service to secondary education and to the community through service and church organisations
<b>2006</b>	<b>Mick McEntyre</b>	Queen's Birthday: For service to secondary education in rural NSW and to school sport through rugby league coaching and administrative roles
<b>2007</b>	<b>Jan Gerard</b>	Australia Day: For service to education, particularly as Principal of Bathurst High School, and as a contributor to the New South Wales Secondary Principals' Council
<b>2017</b>	<b>Lila Mularczyk</b>	Queen's Birthday: For service to secondary education in New South Wales
<b>2019</b>	<b>Kim Jaggar</b>	Queen's Birthday: For service to secondary education
<b>2020</b>	<b>Angela Lyris</b>	Queen's Birthday: For service to education
<b>2023</b>	<b>John Ward</b>	Australia Day: For service to the community through a range of organisations
<b>2023</b>	<b>Ken Barwick</b>	King's Birthday: For service to secondary education
<b>2023</b>	<b>Terry O'Brien</b>	King's Birthday: For service to education
<b>2023</b>	<b>Mechel Pikoulas</b>	King's Birthday: For service to education
<b>2024</b>	<b>Judy King</b>	King's Birthday: For service to public education

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<b>2025</b>	<b>Lauretta Claus</b>	Australia Day: For significant service to international and national basketball as a statistician, and to education.
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### Public Service Medal – PSM

Year	Recipient	Citation
<b>2006</b>	<b>Robyn Kidd</b>	Queen’s Birthday: For outstanding public service and contribution to the educational community of NSW at secondary and tertiary levels
<b>2011</b>	<b>Diane Marshall</b>	Queen’s Birthday: For outstanding public service to the provision of educational services in New South Wales
<b>2014</b>	<b>Bob Mulas</b>	Australia Day: For outstanding public service as Principal of Fairfield High School in Sydney
<b>2015</b>	<b>Chris Presland</b>	Australia Day: For outstanding public service to education in New South Wales, particularly through leadership roles, to improved professional standards and certification, and to student performance
<b>2016</b>	<b>Murat Dizdar</b>	Australia Day: For outstanding public service to education in New South Wales
<b>2020</b>	<b>Jane Simmons</b>	Queen’s Birthday: For outstanding public service to education in New South Wales
<b>2021</b>	<b>Sue French</b>	Australia Day: For outstanding public service to education in New South Wales