



# AUSTRALIAN OLYMPIC CHANGE-MAKER

## NOMINATION GUIDELINES

This is a new initiative seeking to identify and bring together young leaders in sport who are 'making a difference' in their school or local community.

### Eligibility

- Entries are open to ALL Australian High Schools.
- Up to 2 (total) year 10, 11 or 12 students per school can be nominated.
- The student must demonstrate attributes consistent with the Olympic Spirit (friendship, sportsmanship & striving for excellence) both on and off the playing field.
- The student must be:
  - ✓ actively demonstrating leadership through sport in their school or local community, and / or
  - ✓ using sport as a vehicle to improve health & wellbeing and drive social change in their school or local community.

### Recognition & Reward

Successful applicants will receive;

- An invitation to attend an Olympic Change-Maker Forum in their State/ Territory to be held in September 2019. Further details will be provided to students and parent/guardian once nominations are submitted online.
- An invitation to be part of the Australian Olympic Change-Maker Alumni.
- A certificate of recognition, to be sent to the school with a presentation pack in November.

National Olympic Change-Maker Summit to be held in December 2019 (all expenses covered by the AOC). Attendees will be chosen by a panel of Olympians.

### Timeline

23 August	Nominations Close and Video Submissions Due
September	Olympic Change-Maker Forums held in each State / Territory
November	Presentation pack and 'Certificate of Recognition' sent to participating schools
December	Australian Olympic Change-Maker National Summit



## Application Summary

- Nominations for the Award are open June 2019 – 23 August 2019.
- Applications to attend an Olympic Forum to be held in each State / Territory close 23 August.
- Nominations to include a **one-minute** video to 'show' students in action.
- For students to attend the Olympic Forums, Teachers, Parents/Guardians and Students will receive an automatic reply email once the nomination is submitted with a guide on further details on how to submit their one-minute video.
- Online nominations must be completed (and endorsed) by a School Teacher or Principal. The nominations page can be accessed via <http://aochangemaker.com.au>
- Students must be nominated by their school (up to 2 per school).
- Schools are encouraged to run their own internal nomination process.

## Video Upload

- Nominations to include a one-minute video. Students are encouraged to submit a one-minute video which actively demonstrates how they are:
  - o displaying leadership through sport in their school or local community, and / or
  - o using sport as a vehicle to improve health & wellbeing and drive social change in their school or local community.
- Nominations will be assessed based upon the student's ability to demonstrate:
  - o Leadership
  - o Social impact
  - o Innovation
- From these applications, a panel of judges will select up to 20 nominations nationwide to attend the National Olympic Change-Maker Summit.
- All video's submissions to be received by 11:59pm (AEST) 23 August 2019.
- All applicants must adhere to the [Terms & Conditions](#).
- Students can find tips, useful links and details on how to submit their video on the [Video How To Guide](#).

