

EmpowHER Awards Guide

The EmpowHER Awards aims to recognize the achievements of young women and girls taking part in the EmpowHER programme. Each category has a focus, whether it is leadership, friendship, overcoming personal challenge or community service.

The winners are often selected by a panel of young women and girls, and the winners are announced at the EmpowHER Celebration Event.

Each award category has a prize attached to them and can range from any monetary or gift set.

Please note that the categories are ideas from previous EmpowHER cohorts, and you can adapt and change according to the needs of the young people you are working with.

Leadership Award

The Leadership award is given to a young person who took a leading role to bring about positive change to their school or community. The nominee will have demonstrated responsibility and drive, as well as initiative in starting new projects.

Team Award

This award is given to a group that have committed time and energy lending their voice to bring about change. To receive this award the nominees would have shown passion, conviction, and of course team-spirit.

Peer Support Award

The Peer-support award is given to a young person who has or continues to mentor and support their peers. The nominee will have shown empathy and compassion while lending their support.

Courage Award

The Courage award is given to a young person who has overcome some adversity or obstacle or has chosen not to let it define or limit her.