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South Australian students dominate in Makers Empire's Inaugural 3D Design Awards

Makers Empire is delighted to announce the winners of the inaugural Makers Empire Awards for 2018. To be considered for the awards, elementary, primary and middle school students, classes and schools were judged on their usage of Makers Empire's [3D design software](#) during 2018.

Makers Empire's [3D design software](#) is used to create over 15,000 3D designs every day. To date, students around the world have used Makers Empire to create over 4.5 million 3D designs.

Highlights of 2018's awards include:

- [Untitled by @Adi_357](#) from Mawson Lakes School received 267 comments.
- [Harry Potter by @SlothKlausLunaDobby](#) from Mawson Lakes School was liked 966 times.
- The most played 3D maze, You Will Rage Quit, was designed by @JakeHall from St Michael's College and attempted 15,841 times.
- Students in room 14 at Belair Primary School created 5,703 designs.
- Aberfoyle Park Primary School Campus took out the award for Most Designs.

Please see the full list of winners overleaf. You can click on the winning designs, designers and schools for images and more information.

Mandi Dimitriadis, Director of Learning at Makers Empire, said, "Congratulations to all the students, teachers, classes and schools who were part of these inaugural awards. Certificates will be sent out to your schools to honour your achievements."

"The winning students, classes and schools have demonstrated their strong skills in identifying problems, visualising solutions and designing new and improved ways of doing things. These skills and attitudes will help our students to be successful in the future. The world needs people who can think outside the square, create and innovate," she added.

In 2019, the awards will expand to include skill-based categories that students, teachers, classes and schools can nominate themselves for. The Makers Empire awards are open to all Makers Empire customers: new categories will be announced in mid-2019 and the winners revealed in late 2019.

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2018 AWARDS FOR STUDENTS

Most Viewed Design

- Winner: [Untitled by @Adi_357](#) from [Mawson Lakes School](#) - 2,227 views
- Runner Up: [Harry Potter by @SlothKlausLunaDobby](#) from [Mawson Lakes School](#) - 1,788 views

Most Commented On Design

- Winner: [Untitled by @Adi_357](#) from [Mawson Lakes School](#) - 267 comments
- Runner Up: [Harry Potter by @SlothKlausLunaDobby](#) from [Mawson Lakes School](#) - 235 comments

Most Liked Design

- Winner: [Harry Potter by @SlothKlausLunaDobby](#) from [Mawson Lakes School](#) - 966 likes
- Runner Up: [Majestic Rose by @NoxCLOW](#) from [Mawson Lakes School](#) - 943 likes

Greatest Number Of Designs

- Winner: [@BlackPanther-11](#) from [East Marden Primary School](#) - 784 designs
- Runner Up: [@ABDULLAH HAJ AHMED](#) from [Buffalo School District](#) - 722 designs

Greatest Usage

- Winner: [@carolz6](#) from [Westbourne Park Primary School](#) - 45 hours
- Runner Up: [@Patrick1234](#) - 40 hours

Creator Of The Most Played Maze

- Winner: You Will Rage Quit by [@JakeHALL](#) from [St Michael's College](#) - 15,841 runs
- Runner Up: Rainbow Maze by [@ShazaGreyChair](#) from [Wudinna Area School](#) - 15,108 runs

Creator Of The Most Played Mission

- Winner: [@King_Aidenator:](#) from [Leib Elementary Dover Area School](#) - 180 runs
- Runner Up: [@Sasha M](#) - 173 runs

Creator Of The Most Mazes

- Winner: [@ArsenalAidan](#) from [Carlingford West Public School](#) - 166 mazes
- Runner Up: [@SnailCoolCup1](#) from [Presbyterian Ladies' College](#) - 155 mazes

2018 AWARDS FOR CLASSES

Most Designs

- Winner: Room 14 at [Belair Primary School](#) - 5,703 designs
- Runner Up: T9Chesson at [Aberfoyle Park Primary School Campus](#) - 4,740 designs

Greatest Usage

- Winner: Room 14 at [Belair Primary School](#) - 382 hours
- Runner Up: Class 1 at [St Joseph's Catholic Primary School](#) - 254 hours

Most Challenges Completed

- Winner: Technology Room 4 at [Prospect Primary School](#) - 3,211 challenges
- Runner Up: 5G at [Nazareth Catholic Community Primary Campus](#) - 3,030 challenges

Most Missions Created

- Joint Winner: TR5 2018 at [Mawson Lakes Primary School](#) - 45 missions
- Joint Winner: 1st Period at [Grace Christian Academy](#) - 45 missions

2018 AWARDS FOR SCHOOLS

Most Designs

- Winner: [Aberfoyle Park Primary School Campus](#)
- Runner Up: [Prospect Primary School](#)
- Winner (Small School): [Echungu Primary School](#)
- Runner Up (Small School): [Gumeracha Primary School](#)

Greatest Usage

- Winner: [Aberfoyle Park Primary School Campus](#)
- Runner Up: [Prospect Primary School](#)
- Winner (Small School): [Gumeracha Primary School](#)
- Runner Up (Small School): [St Joseph's Catholic Primary School](#)

Most Challenges Completed

- Winner: [Aberfoyle Park Primary School Campus](#)
- Runner Up: [Prospect Primary School](#)
- Winner (Small School): [Flinders Park Primary School](#)
- Runner Up (Small School): [Paracombe Primary School](#)

Most Missions Created

- Winner: [Frenchs Forest Public School](#)
- Runner Up: [Nairne Primary School](#)

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- Winner (Small School): [St Bede's Primary](#)
- Runner Up (Small School): [Ashtonfield Public School](#)