What are the Golden Gnomes?

Golden Gnomes are awarded as recognition of your service to your Society and UoGSU during your time at UoG.

The University of Gloucestershire Students' Union award Golden Gnomes to recognise the invaluable work of students who have made outstanding contributions to the running, operation, and activity of a UoG Society.

Golden Gnomes are given to students who are in their final year of study.

Who can be awarded a Golden Gnome?

Any student can be nominated for a Golden Gnome from any Society affiliated to the Students' Union, as long as they are a full member of the Students' Union. Individuals must be a part of a society affiliated with the University of Gloucestershire Students' Union. The committee must be selective on all nominations and only put forward those who they feel deserve a Golden Gnome, as per the criteria. Although an individual may meet the criteria it is the discretion of the SU Activities Team to decide who is awarded a Golden Gnome and students will not automatically receive this award if they have reached the required standards.

All Golden Gnomes are awarded at the Students' Union Awards evening. If someone is not able to attend the awards evening, they will be able to contact us to collect their award from the SU at another time.

GOLDEN GNOME CRITERIA

This award is given to someone who has been an outstanding member of a society during their time at UoG, and *meets all 3* of the following criteria:

- Must be a student finishing their studies/leaving UoG this year
- ➤ Must have been a paid member of their society for 2+ years of study at UoG/have started a successful new society within the past year
- As an individual has made high contributions to society activity, reputation and achievements

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