Year 10 and 11 Agriculture students from Aldridge performed admirably in the Intercollegiate Meat Judging Competition held at Nolan’s Meatworks in Gympie recently. As one of only three competitions of the calibre held around Australia each year students were able to gain excellent industry experience at a leading SEQ meatworks.

The competition requires students to place whole carcasses in order based on quality, judge short loins and identify primal cuts. In terms of judging quality, students must consider meat and fat colour, marbling, yield and fat coverage.

Special mention should go to seniors Chelsea Robinson and Justin Coyne who won two individual classes and Dannielle Nitschinsk Natalie Kirby, Chelsea Robinson and Justin Coyne who took out three team events. Chelsea also place second overall.