

2015 Higher School Certificate Newsletter and NAPLAN Results



Congratulations to our Year 12 HSC students. They produced some outstanding results, which reflect the ongoing encouragement, support and commitment of parents, staff and students to achieve their personal best.

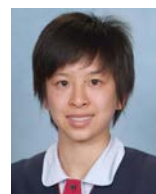
The following three pages is a summary of the students from our College who achieved a mention in the **Distinguished Achievers List**.



Matthew BASOEKI

ATAR: 98.10

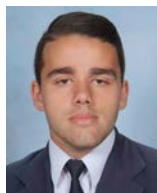
- English (Advanced)
- Mathematics Extension 1
- Personal Development Health and Physical Education



Lok Yee WONG

ATAR: 97.15

- Mathematics
- Mathematics Extension 1
- Studies of Religion 1



Michael PATTI

ATAR: 96.65

- Biology
- Business Studies
- Mathematics General 2
- Personal Development Health and Physical Education
- Studies of Religion 1



Alana KOWAL

ATAR: 95.20

- Biology
- English Extension 1
- Studies of Religion 1



Ryan THAI

ATAR: 95.40

- Mathematics Extension 1
- Mathematics Extension 2



- 73 student mentions in the Board of Studies Distinguished Achievers List for mark above 90% in a Subject.
- 21 students scored an ATAR above 90.
- 26 courses above State Average. This is 81% of our courses.



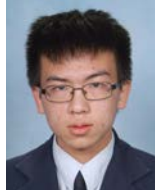
Amanda MODDER
ATAR: 94.25

- English (Advanced)
- English Extension 1
- Legal Studies
- History Extension
- Studies of Religion 1



Madeleine DERA
BOSTES All Rounder list
ATAR: 94.05

- Design and Technology
- Drama
- English Advanced
- English Extension 1
- Legal Studies
- Studies of Religion 1



Frank LI
ATAR: 93.50

- Biology
- Mathematics
- Mathematics Extension 1



Jamie MANALAO
ATAR: 93.50

- Personal Development Health and Physical Education
- Studies of Religion 1



Michael NGUYEN
ATAR: 93.05

- Mathematics Extension 1
- Mathematics Extension 2



Jenny VUU
ATAR 92.75

- Legal Studies
- Mathematics
- Studies of Religion 1



Bonnie PENDER
ATAR 92.55

- Mathematics General 2
- Personal Development Health and Physical Education



Shaun HEATLEY
ATAR 92.40

- Personal Development Health and Physical Education
- Education



Larisse MORAN
ATAR 92.00

- Ancient History
- History Extension
- Studies of Religion 1



Yvonne VU
ATAR 91.65

- Mathematics Extension 1



Joseph DANIEL
ATAR 91.60

- Business Studies



Danny TRAN
ATAR 90.95



Christian LEE
ATAR 90.70

- Mathematics Extension 1
- Mathematics Extension 2



Anson LEE
ATAR 90.40

- Design and Technology



Alan LIN
ATAR 90.30

- Mathematics



Natalia ZABROCKI

- Mathematics

Rosa BAZOUNI

- Senior Science

Donovan CLEARY

- Mathematics General 2
- Music 1

Dylan DAM

- Mathematics

Penieli FAULAO

- Senior Science
- Studies of Religion 1

Donna FRANCIS

- Mathematics General 2

Pipiena HEHEA

- Music 1

Max HUANG

- Mathematics Extension 1

Georgia JANSCH

- Community and Family Studies

Eun Kyung KIM

- Mathematics

Jason KUMAR

- Senior Science

Angela LA

- Visual Arts

Hyo LEE

- Mathematics

Jonathan LEE

- Mathematics Extension 1

Don Lam LOI

- Senior Science

Lillian PESCE

- Legal Studies

Laura PHAM

- History Extension

Michelle SMITH

- Community and Family Studies

Quentin TRAN

- Mathematics General 2

Savannah TRUONG

- Community and Family Studies

Jason ZHU

- Senior Science



Course performance

Of the 32 courses offered at HSC level, (81%) achieved an average school examination mark above the State Average Examination mark

| Course | Marks above State mean (Expressed as a %) |
|---|--|
| Ancient History | 6.02 |
| Biology | 5.54 |
| Business Services | 2.44 |
| Business Studies | 1.06 |
| Chemistry | 5.94 |
| Community and Family Studies | 2.47 |
| Design and Technology | 5.34 |
| Drama | 5.04 |
| Economics | 1.08 |
| English Standard | 2.92 |
| English Extension 1 | 2.36 |
| English Extension 2 | 1.81 |
| History Extension | 3.44 |
| Information Processes and Technology | 5.06 |
| Legal Studies | 1.09 |
| Mathematics | 4.54 |
| Mathematics Extension 1 | 1.13 |
| Mathematics Extension 2 | 1.54 |
| Mathematics General | 1.77 |
| Modern History | 2.73 |
| Music Course 1 | 1.00 |
| Personal Development, Health and Physical Education | 5.68 |
| Physics | 6.12 |
| Senior Science | 4.67 |
| Studies of Religion 1 Unit | 1.97 |
| Studies of Religion 2 Unit | 4.24 |

NAPLAN

| NAPLAN results 2015 | | % of students in the top 2 bands | | % of students in the bottom 2 bands | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Year 7 | | School | All Schools | School | All Schools |
| | Reading | 20% | 32% | 15% | 16% |
| | Writing | 20% | 19% | 23% | 32% |
| | Spelling | 43% | 40% | 11% | 15% |
| | Grammar & Punctuation | 27% | 34% | 16% | 18% |
| | Numeracy | 28% | 29% | 19% | 18% |

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|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Year 9 | | School | All Schools | School | All Schools |
| | Reading | 22% | 25% | 20% | 25% |
| | Writing | 21% | 15% | 25% | 40% |
| | Spelling | 36% | 28% | 8% | 19% |
| | Grammar & Punctuation | 20% | 19% | 26% | 32% |
| | Numeracy | 32% | 29% | 13% | 17% |

University acceptances 2015

We received information back from UAC about last years Year 12 students. One hundred and twenty-eight students were offered a place at University. This represents approximately 87% of the students' eligible for an ATAR were offered places at University.

University of Technology
33 students

University of Sydney
30 students

Western Sydney University
29 students

University of News South Wales
12 students

Macquarie University
11 students

Australian Catholic University
8 students

University of Wollongong
2 students

Southern Cross University
1 student

SAE Creative Media Institute
1 student

Think Group
1 student

There was a diverse range of course

- AD Hospitality (Hotel Management)
- B Advanced Science (Hons)
- B Applied Finance
- B Applied Finance with B Commerce - Professional Accounting
- B Applied Science (Diagnostic Radiography)
- B Applied Science (Exercise and Sports Science)
- B Applied Science (Exercise Physiology)
- B Arts
- B Arts (Psychology)
- B Biomedical Science
- B Business
- B Business (Applied Finance)
- B Business Hotel Management
- B Business (Property)
- B Business B Science Information Technology
- B Combined Commerce
- B Combined Law
- B Commerce
- B Commerce B Laws
- B Communication (Media Arts and Production)
- B Communication and Media Studies B International Studies
- B Communication (Social and Political Sciences) B Laws
- B Construction Management and Property
- B Criminology
- B Criminology and Criminal Justice
- B Design in Animation B Creative Intelligence and Innovation
- B Design Architecture
- B Design and Technology
- B Design in Fashion and Textiles B Creative Intelligence and Innovation
- B Design in Integrated Product Design
- B Design Interior and Spatial Design
- B Design in Photography and Situated Media
- B Design (Visual Communication)
- B Economics
- B Education (Early Childhood)
- B Education B Arts in International Studies
- B Education (Primary)
- B Education (Secondary)
- B Education (Secondary Science)
- B Engineering (Hons)
- B Engineering (Hons) (Aerospace/ Mechanical and Manufacturing/ Mechanical/Naval Architecture)
- B Engineering (Hons) (Civil)
- B Engineering (Hons) Civil (Construction) Dip Prof Eng Practice
- B Engineering (Hons) B Commerce
- B Engineering (Hons) ICT Eng, Dip Prof Eng Practice
- B Engineering (Hons) ICT Eng (Software), Dip Prof Eng Practice
- B Engineering (Hons) Mechanical and Mechatronic, Dip Prof Eng
- Practice
- B Engineering (Hons) Mechanical, Dip Prof Eng Practice
- B Engineering (Hons) (Robotics and Mechatronics)
- B Engineering (Hons) M Biomedical Engineering
- B Exercise and Sports Science
- B Film (Production)
- B Forensic Biology in Biomedical Science
- B Forensic Science in Applied Chemistry
- B Global Studies
- B Health Science
- B Health Science (Paramedicine)
- B Information Systems
- B International and Global Studies
- B International Studies
- B International Studies B Media (Public Relations and Advertising)
- B International Studies B Social Science
- B Journalism
- B Landscape Architecture
- B Laws
- B Medical Science
- B Biomedical Physics
- B Medical Science B Arts in International Studies
- B Music Studies
- B Nursing (Advanced Studies)
- B Pharmacy
- B Policing
- B Science
- B Science (Advanced)
- B Science (Biotechnology/Medical Science/Biomedical Science)
- B Science Information Technology Dip Information Technology
- B Science (Nutrition and Food Science)
- B Social Science
- B Social Work
- B Sound and Music Design
- B Sport and Exercise Management
- B Veterinary Biology Doctor Veterinary Medicine
- D Construction Management
- D Criminology and Criminal Justice
- D Information and Communication Technology