

WILLIAM CLARKE PREPARED FOR LIFE



MESSAGE FROM THE HEADMASTER

This publication seeks to provide a snapshot of student achievements in the 2018 Higher School Certificate (HSC).

As Headmaster I am particularly pleased with these results. Despite the fact that over half of this cohort had already received an early offer into University, it is clear that the class of 2018 chose to see their studies right through to the end and in so doing, finish strongly. As such, these results demonstrate true character. The decision to stay on task, to persevere right to the end reflects greatly on the true capacity of an individual. Indeed, we know that this quality correlates more strongly with positive life outcomes than a strong academic performance in the HSC alone.

For many of these results, I am aware of the sacrifices and hard work made by students and reminded of the old adage, 'nothing worthwhile comes easy'. I am also very aware that this brief 'snapshot' only represents one narrow picture of success and am reminded that ultimately, how one defines success in the HSC is to a large degree, dependent upon each person's perspective.

As a Christ-centred community that seeks to develop extraordinary learners with a passion to serve others, we are very aware that there will be many other stories of success and of great progress that are not mentioned here.

As a College we are committed to developing both extraordinary learners and teachers. These results simply do not 'just happen'. The teaching staff across the College have been working tirelessly to examine practice and to improve how student needs can be met. I am thankful for the quality and commitment of our teaching staff. Importantly, we will reflect on these results and seek to learn how we can continue to grow as a community of teachers so that ultimately, our students achieve their best.

God bless the class of 2018.



Dr Scott Marsh
Headmaster



73%

of the subjects offered at the College achieved a mean above that of the state.

116

total instances where students were recognised for Band 6, E4 or 'notional Band 6' achievement.

98

is the top known ATAR achieved this year.

22

students received an ATAR above 90 at the date of publication.

2

students appeared on the All-round Achievers Merit List for achieving results in the highest band possible for at least 10 units of HSC courses.

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student appeared on the Top Achievers Merit List for achieving one of the top places and a result in the highest band possible in a HSC course.

50

students appeared on the Distinguished Achievers Merit List for achieving a Band 6 in one or more of their subjects.

10

students were nominated for their outstanding performances in Dance, Drama and Music.

110/163

students received at least one early offer into university.

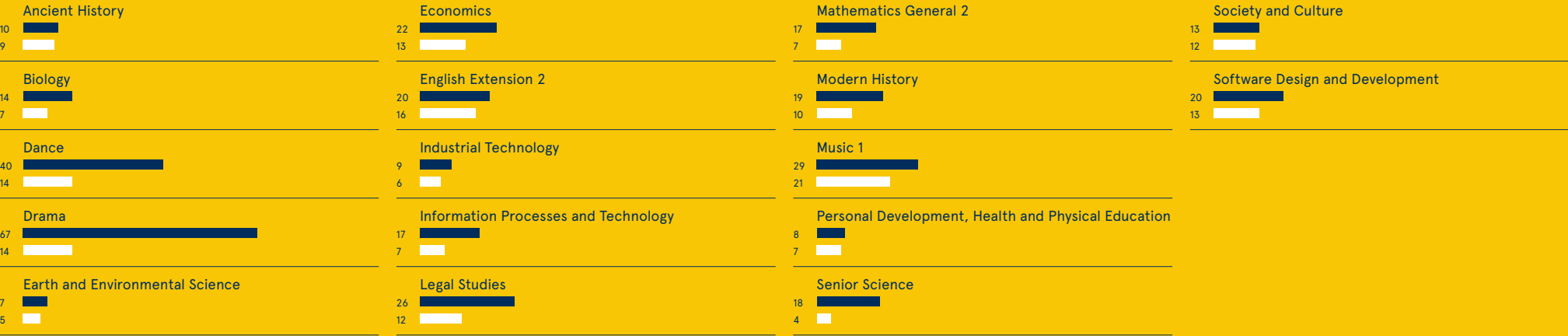
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student was nominated for outstanding major project in Industrial Technology.



SCHOOL SUBJECT ACHIEVEMENT BAND 6 OR E4

% of school achieving Band 6 or E4 % of state achieving Band 6 or E4



67%

of our students achieved the top band for Drama compared to 14% of the state.

40%

of our students achieved the top band for Dance compared to 14% of the state.

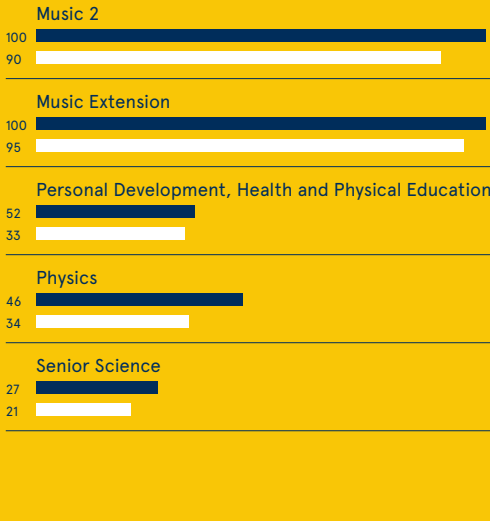
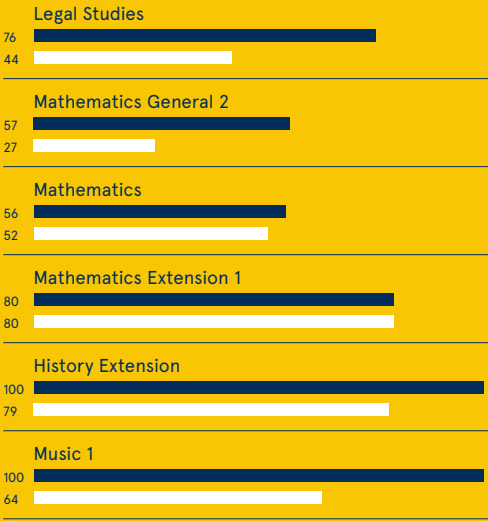
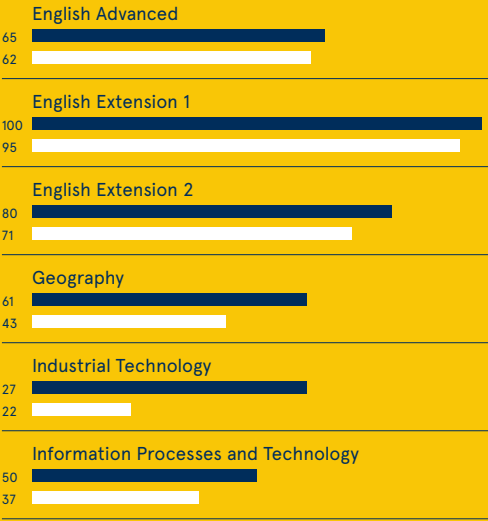
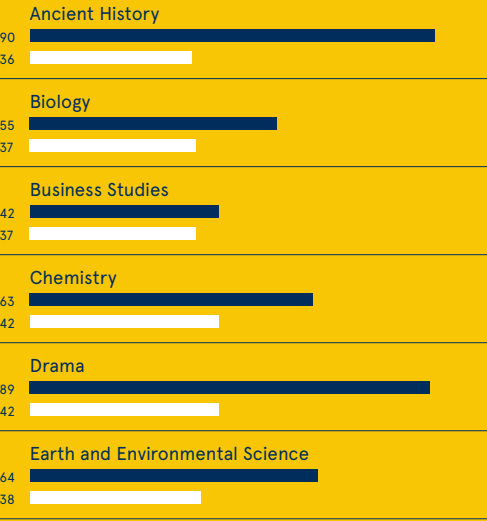
22%

of our students achieved the top band for Economics compared to 13% of the state.

SCHOOL SUBJECT ACHIEVEMENT IN BAND 5, BAND 6 OR E4

% of school achieving Band 5, Band 6 or E4

% of state achieving Band 5, Band 6 or E4



100%

of our students achieved the top two bands for English Extension 1, History Extension, Japanese Continuers, Music 1, Music 2, Music Extension and Visual Arts.

65%

of our students achieved the top two bands for English Advanced, compared to 62% of students in the state.

90%

of our students achieved the top two bands for Ancient History compared to 36% of the state.

William Clarke College encourages students to become extraordinary learners who make great progress. We seek to develop graduates who can apply and build on their knowledge in new and challenging ways.

The Class of 2018 has demonstrated excellence across a diverse range of subject areas.

This document includes some significant individual student achievements that represent some of the best performances in the state.

HIGH LIGHTS AND ACHIEVE MENTS

DISTINGUISHED

TOP SUBJECTS ACHIEVEMENT LIST

*The following HSC courses
performed with a mean
above the state:*

Ancient History
Biology
Chemistry
Dance
Drama
Earth and Environmental
Science
English Advanced
English Extension 1
Geography
History Extension 1
Hospitality
Japanese Continuers
Industrial Technology
Information Processes and
Technology
Legal Studies
Mathematics
Mathematics General 2
Modern History
Music 1
Music 2
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education
Physics
Senior Science
Society and Culture
Software Design and
Development
Studies of Religion 1
Visual Arts

ALL-ROUND ACHIEVERS MERIT LIST

*The following students
achieved results in the highest
band possible for at least
10 units of HSC courses:*

Megan Hughes

Economics
English Advanced
Legal Studies
Mathematics
Modern History

Michelle Rademeyer

Business Studies
English Advanced
English Extension 1
French Continuers
Legal Studies
Modern History

TOP ACHIEVERS MERIT LIST

*The following student achieved
one of the top places and a result
in the highest band possible in
the named HSC course:*

Rebecca Cilia

Senior Science

DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVERS MERIT LIST

*The following students
achieved a Band 6 in one
or more of their subjects:*

Athena Agapides

Senior Science

Zoe Bolton

Ancient History
Mathematics Extension 1
Mathematics Extension 2

Johanna Callcut

Drama

Nathan Cheung

Economics
Information Processes and
Technology
Mathematics
Software Design and
Development

Rebecca Cilia

Senior Science

Alec Conway

Mathematics General 2

Jamie Cropper

Drama

Paris Cunningham

Mathematics General 2

Shanela De Mel

English Advanced
Music Extension 1

Rebecca Filipic

Mathematics General 2

Ethan Fortunado

Mathematics General 2

Harrison Fraser

Economics
English Extension 1
Legal Studies
Mathematics General 2
Modern History

Zoe George

Biology
English Advanced
Geography

Amir Hashemi Pour

Biology

Madison Hayward

Biology
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education

Olivia Hull

Dance
English Advanced

Rhys Irvine

Industrial Technology

Maya Jayasinghe

Dance
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education

Claudia Joller

Italian Beginners
Music 1

Melina Kerswell

Drama
Legal Studies

Jane Kim

Mathematics Extension 1
Mathematics Extension 2
Visual Arts

Chloe Law

Biology
Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Jared Lim

Earth and Environmental
Science
English Advanced

Kathryn Litchfield

English Advanced
Legal Studies
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education

Sherryn MacLeod

Biology
English Advanced
Mathematics
Physics

Connor Matthews

Mathematics General 2

Rachel McCormick

Legal Studies
Mathematics General 2
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education
Society and Culture

Adam McElroy

Mathematics General 2

Brooke McGlynn

Drama
Legal Studies
Visual Arts

Renay McKenzie

Mathematics General 2
Visual Arts

Jordan Miller

Drama

Khin-Thethtar Nyunt

Biology
Mathematics Extension 2

Sarah O

English Advanced
Mathematics
Visual Arts

Shantelle Pratap

Business Studies

Charnay-Rabe

English Advanced

Julia Ramos

Business Studies
English Advanced
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education

Alexander Robinson

Mathematics

Cambrie Rosier

Mathematics General 2

Christian Sakiris

English Extension 1
Information Processes and
Technology

Charlotte Senior

English Advanced
English Extension 1
Society and Culture

Joshua Slapp

Mathematics General 2

Matthew Spender

Mathematics General 2

James Sprague

Software Design and
Development

Hannah Tam

Mathematics

Jacky Tsang

Mathematics Extension 2

Karen Villacrusis

Mathematics General 2

Amy Wilkins

Drama
Legal Studies
Mathematics General 2

Thomas Williams

Mathematics Extension 2

Elias Williamson

Mathematics Extension 1
Mathematics Extension 2
Physics

Jessica Williamson

English Extension 2
Legal Studies

Harrison Wood

Mathematics General 2

Erica Zhang

Biology
Economics
English Advanced

ACHIEVERS

**CONGRATULATIONS
CLASS OF 2018**