



Mount St Benedict College

HSC 2017 Results

Mount St Benedict College produced yet again, a very good set of results in the Higher School Certificate. Congratulations and well done to the students for their hard work, the parents for their support and the professionalism of the teachers.

There were 138 students that sat the 2017 HSC.

Congratulations to the following three (3) girls: **Olivia Giacomelli**, **Madeline Pfeffercorn** and **Holly Porvaznik** who were on the **All Rounder List**. This list acknowledges students who achieved a mark of 90 or more in ten of their HSC units [including English].

It was very pleasing that **Charlotte Folkard** achieved a 9th place in PDHPE.

This year the College had **137** mentions on the Distinguished Achievers List. This list acknowledges students who achieved a Band 6 or its equivalent in the respective courses.

In **34** out of the 38 courses (**89%**) attempted, the mean examination mark for the College was higher than compared to the State's examination mark mean.

In **27** out of these **34** courses (**79%**) the mean was at least **5** or more marks higher than the respective State mean. This is an outstanding result.

HSC 2017 School vs State			
Comparison by course where the College's mean is at least 5 marks higher than the State's mean			
Course	Exam Mean	State Exam Mean	School/State Variation
Ancient History 2 unit	89.82	71.67	18.15
Japanese Continuers 2 unit	96.40	80.59	15.81
Senior Science 2 unit	84.87	70.91	13.96
Society and Culture 2 unit	90.74	77.00	13.74
Mathematics General 2 2 unit	80.98	68.51	12.47
Hospitality Examination (Kitchen Operations & Cookery) 2 unit	85.70	73.62	12.08
Modern History 2 unit	85.36	73.73	11.63
Design and Technology 2 unit	87.43	76.75	10.68
Industrial Technology 2 unit	78.02	67.54	10.48
Business Studies 2 unit	83.25	73.17	10.08
Food Technology 2 unit	80.63	71.52	9.11
Mathematics Extension 2 2 unit	90.00	81.17	8.83
Earth and Environmental Science 2 unit	82.88	74.60	8.28
Economics 2 unit	84.74	76.60	8.14
Community and Family Studies 2 unit	80.70	72.71	7.99
Personal Development, Health and Physical Education 2 unit	78.95	71.03	7.92
Dance 2 unit	86.32	78.42	7.90
Geography 2 unit	82.66	74.87	7.79
Legal Studies 2 unit	83.27	75.86	7.41
Biology 2 unit	81.54	74.30	7.24
Business Services Examination 2 unit	81.84	75.39	6.45
Music 1 2 unit	87.85	81.45	6.40
English (Standard) 2 unit	75.13	69.19	5.94
History Extension 1 unit	44.00	38.74	5.26
German Continuers 2 unit	86.40	81.17	5.23
English Extension 1 1 unit	44.48	41.26	3.22
Studies of Religion I 1 unit	41.45	38.77	2.68

2017 Distinguished Achievers

The Board of Studies has identified the following students as 'Distinguished Achievers'.

These students achieved a Band 6 (90+) in a 2-unit course or Band 4 (45+) in a 1-unit Extension Course.

This mark is a combination of both the HSC Examination Mark and the Internal Moderated School Assessment Mark.

Hanna Adamthwaite	English Extension 1
	Society and Culture
	Studies of Religion I
Annabel Anderson	English (Advanced)
	English Extension 1
	Modern History
	Studies of Religion I
Alana Bainy	Business Studies
	Mathematics
Alexandra Black	English Extension 1
	Society and Culture
Belinda Borgefjord	Business Studies
	Geography
Olivia Boxwell	Society and Culture
	Studies of Religion II
Olivia Bridgen	History Extension
	Studies of Religion II
Sylvia Burgess-Tate	Ancient History
	Modern History
	History Extension
	Studies of Religion I
	German Continuers
Hannah Chadwick	Business Studies
	Studies of Religion II
Celina Chen	Music 1
	Chinese and Literature
Alyssa Coleiro	Mathematics General 2
Rosemarie Coppini	English (Advanced)
Rebecca Day	Geography
	Legal Studies
	Mathematics General 2
	Studies of Religion II
Amelia Dunkerley	Ancient History
	English Extension 1
Gabrielle Edwards	Business Studies
	Industrial Technology
	Society and Culture
Cindy Elzahaby	Studies of Religion II
Charlotte Folkard	Ancient History
	History Extension
	Personal Development, Health and Physical Education
	Studies of Religion II
Amanda Fung	Design and Technology
	Legal Studies

Elly Gallagher	Biology
	Mathematics General 2
	Personal Development, Health and Physical Education
Olivia Giacomelli	Business Studies
	Legal Studies
	Mathematics General 2
	Society and Culture
	Studies of Religion II
Clara Goossens	Mathematics
	Mathematics Extension 1
	Studies of Religion I
Eva Harrington	Ancient History
	English Extension 1
	Studies of Religion I
Emily Hendry	Mathematics General 2
Hayley Johnson	Mathematics General 2
Diana Kazakov	Mathematics
	Studies of Religion I
Olivia Kobal	English (Advanced)
	Modern History
	Studies of Religion I
	German Continuers
Freya Koutchavlis	Business Services Examination
Meg Le Patourel	Senior Science
Stacey Leong	Studies of Religion II
Anyi Liang	Japanese Continuers
Chloe Matthews	Food Technology
	Personal Development, Health and Physical Education
Julia McDonnell	Mathematics General 2
Chelsea McEntee	Senior Science
Audrey McLachlan	Studies of Religion II
	Visual Arts
Ashleigh McLean	Mathematics General 2
Jessica Naylor	Mathematics General 2
	Personal Development, Health and Physical Education
Madeline Pfeffercorn	Economics
	English (Advanced)
	Legal Studies
	Modern History
	Studies of Religion II
Caitlin Poile	Business Studies
	Mathematics General 2

Holly Porvaznik	English (Advanced)
	English Extension 1
	Legal Studies
	Mathematics General 2
	Society and Culture
	Studies of Religion II
Adelaide Qassis	Personal Development, Health and Physical Education
Jasmin Raad	Business Services Examination
Rayel Rahme	Business Studies
	Legal Studies
	Mathematics General 2
Asini Rajapakse	Business Studies
	Legal Studies
Taylor Raslan	Studies of Religion II
Elly Rickwood	Music 1
Bridget Sarks	Community and Family Studies
	Senior Science
	Studies of Religion II
Katerina Saul	Community and Family Studies
Lucy Sheppard	Business Studies
	Legal Studies
	Mathematics General 2
	Studies of Religion II
Madeleine Skinner	Biology
	Legal Studies
	Mathematics
	Studies of Religion II

Olivia Sloan	Society and Culture
Kimberley Spencer	Mathematics General 2
Jemaya Spurtacz	Mathematics General 2
	Senior Science
Isabella Steen	Biology
	Mathematics
	Studies of Religion II
Sarah Tan	Ancient History
	English (Advanced)
	English Extension 1
	Mathematics
	Studies of Religion II
Emma Tolhurst	Business Studies
	Studies of Religion II
Jessica Tong	English Extension 1
	Studies of Religion I
Lauren Wilkes	Mathematics General 2
Zara Worne	Ancient History
Xiao Yao	Mathematics Extension 1
	Mathematics Extension 2
Izabelle Xu	Dance
Jessica Yi	Biology
	Chemistry
	English (Advanced)

HSC 2017 School vs State - Band 6

Course	College %	State %	College/State Variation %
Mathematics Extension 2	100	34	66
Japanese Continuers	100	28	72
History Extension	75	22	53
Society and Culture	70	13	57
Ancient History	67	9	58
English Extension 1	67	30	37
German Continuers	67	26	41
Senior Science	44	6	38
Business Studies	30	8	22
Studies of Religion I	30	15	15
Modern History	27	9	18
Mathematics General	26	7	19
Music 1	25	20	5
Legal Studies	24	13	9
PDHPE	23	9	14
Business Services	22	5	17

HSC 2017 School vs State - Comparison by Bands 6 & 5

Comparison by course where the College's cumulative Band 5 and 6 is approximately 20% higher than the State's cumulative Band 5 and 6

Course	College %	State %	College/State Variation %
Ancient History	100	36	64
Design and Technology	100	43	57
Industrial Technology - Multi media	67	22	55
Senior Science	78	24	54
Society and Culture	100	47	53
Economics	100	49	51
Dance	100	53	47
Earth and Environmental Science	75	36	39
Modern History	75	36	39
Japanese Continuers	100	61	39
Business Services	67	31	36
Music 1	100	65	35
Visual Arts	88	54	34
Community and Family Studies	63	30	33
Mathematics General	59	26	33
Legal Studies	74	43	31
History Extension	100	70	30
Biology	67	39	28
Geography	70	42	28
Business Studies	73	36	27
Food Technology	57	30	27
PDHPE	54	30	24
English Extension 2	100	77	23
English Standard	38	16	22
Studies of Religion II	67	46	21