

HSC High Achievers 2013



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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Congratulations to Year 12, 2013

Congratulations to our Year 12 students on their outstanding results in the 2013 HSC. They have certainly left their mark on the College, rewriting many parts of our record books for their academic, artistic, cultural and sporting achievements. I want to acknowledge the great efforts of teachers in helping all our students achieve their own personal best. The HSC is a very demanding course and the staff at the College have done a marvellous job of working with a group of students with differing abilities and interests. The Graduating Class of 2013 have shown themselves to be young men of tremendous courage and compassion. I have no doubt that these fine young men will make a difference to our world.

John Couani
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SOME OF THE 2013 HSC HIGHLIGHTS

- 15% of students achieved an ATAR above 95
- 25% of students achieved an ATAR above 90
- 50% of students achieved an ATAR above 80
- Alexander Gan, College Dux, achieved an ATAR of 99.70
- Three students, Alexander Gan, Thomas Murphy and Edward Djizmedjian, named in the prestigious All-Round Achievers List
- Six students achieved an ATAR in excess of 99: Alexander Gan (99.70), Thomas Murphy (99.35), Edward Djizmedjian (99.35), Timothy Yee Joy (99.25), Jonathan Loong (99.15) and Steven Khor (99.15)
- 142 entries in the HSC Distinguished Achievers List
- Results above the State average in 27 courses
(18 of these courses more than 4% above State average)
- In six courses, 100% of students achieved a result in the top 2 Bands
- Brian Lam (Year 11 Accelerated Mathematics student) ranked 3rd in NSW in Mathematics
- Harrison Witsey selected for ARTEXPRESS
(an annual display featuring the best HSC Art Work in NSW)
- Alexander Lewis shortlisted for Encore (an annual concert featuring the best HSC musical performances and compositions in NSW)
- Robert Russo nominated for DesignTECH (an annual exhibition of the best HSC Major Design Projects in NSW)
- Liam Munich nominated for InTECH (an annual exhibition of the best HSC Major Industrial Technology Projects in NSW)
- More than 80% of students (compared to 30% across the State) offered a place at University

TOP COLLEGE ACHIEVERS



**ATAR
99.70**

COLLEGE DUX
Alexander Gan
ATAR 99.70

- All-Round Achievers List
- HSC Distinguished Achievers List
- Ranked 9th in the State in Mathematics in 2012 while a Year 11 Accelerated Mathematics student



**ATAR
99.35**

Thomas Murphy
ATAR 99.35

- All-Round Achievers List
- HSC Distinguished Achievers List



**ATAR
99.35**

Edward Djizmedjian
ATAR 99.35

- All-Round Achievers List
- HSC Distinguished Achievers List



**ATAR
99.25**

Timothy Yee Joy
ATAR 99.25



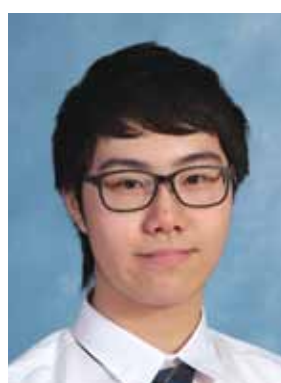
**ATAR
99.15**

Steven Khor
ATAR 99.15



**ATAR
99.15**

Jonathan Loong
ATAR 99.15



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(Year 11 Accelerated Mathematics student) ranked 3rd in NSW in Mathematics



Harrison Witsey
Selected for ARTEXPRESS

ATARS ABOVE 90



Alexander Gan • 99.70



Edward Djizmedjian • 99.35



Thomas Murphy • 99.35



Timothy Yee Joy • 99.25



Steven Khor • 99.15



Jonathan Loong • 99.15



Wen Dou • 98.20



Joseph Fox • 98.05



Charles Light • 97.80



Daniel O'Kelly • 97.65



Christian Pauka • 97.35



Maximillian Enthoven • 96.65



Kevin Yates • 96.15



Connor Palmer • 96.00



Luca Monk • 95.95



Michael Zacharatos • 95.95



Hayden Toohey • 95.85



Eammon Manson • 95.75



Thomas Higham • 95.65



Luke Capra • 95.50



Joshua Trevor • 95.25



Timothy Goh • 94.90



Rohan Jain • 94.80



Adam Brady • 93.90



Mitchell Koh • 93.85



Anthony Collum • 93.80



Thomas Sproule • 93.60



Samuel Williams • 92.35



George Rozos • 92.25



Alexander Lewis • 92.15



Adrian Prieto • 92.00



David Boian • 91.95



Leonard Ang • 91.75



Billy Johnson • 91.55



Nicholas Keyes • 91.15



Andrew Davino • 91.00



Andrew Swan • 91.00

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HSC DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVERS

Students who have achieved a result in the Top Band in a course

Ang, Leonard

Ancient History
Business Studies

Boian, David

Modern History

Brady, Adam

General Mathematics
Studies of Religion II

Calamos, William

Modern History

Capra, Luke

Ancient History
General Mathematics
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education

Collins, Alexander

Information Processes
and Technology

Collum, Anthony

Ancient History
Modern History

Cornish, Brendan

Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Cuevas, Jordan

Mathematics

Diaz, Aidan

Mathematics

Diggins, Matthew

Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education
Studies of Religion I

Djizmedjian, Edward

Chemistry
English (Advanced)
English Extension 1
Mathematics Extension 2
Physics
Studies of Religion I

Dou, Wen

Mathematics Extension 1
Mathematics Extension 2

El-Alam, John

Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Enthoven, Maximillian

English Extension 2
Legal Studies
Modern History
History Extension
Studies of Religion I

Fitrzyk, Mikolaj

Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Fochesato, Joel

Modern History

Fox, Joseph

Ancient History
History Extension
Modern History
Studies of Religion II

Gan, Alexander

Chemistry
English (Advanced)
Mathematics Extension 2
Physics
Studies of Religion I

Goh, Timothy

English Extension 1
Legal Studies
Studies of Religion I

Hakobyan, Karen

Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Higham, Thomas

Business Studies
General Mathematics
Legal Studies
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education

Jain, Rohan

Mathematics Extension 1

Johnson, Billy

Mathematics

Khor, Steven

English (Advanced)
Mathematics Extension 1
Mathematics Extension 2
Physics

Koh, Mitchell

Mathematics Extension 1
Mathematics Extension 2

Lam, Brian

Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Latchford, Daniel

General Mathematics

Lewis, Alexander

English Extension 2
Music 2
Studies of Religion I

Light, Charles

Ancient History
English (Advanced)
Legal Studies
History Extension
Studies of Religion I

Loong, Jonathan

English (Advanced)
Mathematics Extension 1
Modern History
Physics

Manson, Eammon

Modern History
Studies of Religion II

McCartney, Christopher

Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

McMahon, Sam

Industrial Technology

Monk, Luca

Ancient History
English (Advanced)
History Extension
Studies of Religion I

Morabito, Nicholas

Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education

Munich, Liam

Industrial Technology

Murphy, Thomas

Economics
English (Advanced)
English Extension 1
Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1
Physics
Studies of Religion I

O'Kelly, Daniel

English Extension 1
Studies of Religion I

Palmer, Connor

Ancient History
English (Advanced)
English Extension 1
History Extension
Visual Arts

Pauka, Christian

English Extension 1
Mathematics
Modern History
Studies of Religion I

Price, Dean

General Mathematics

Prieto, Adrian

Business Studies

Reidy, Nathan

Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Reidy, Sean

Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Richardson, William

General Mathematics

Rozos, George

Business Studies
Studies of Religion II

Shields, Dominic

Information Processes
and Technology

Sproule, Thomas

Business Studies
Personal Development,
Health and Physical
Education

Swan, Andrew

Modern History

Toohy, Hayden

Ancient History
General Mathematics
Modern History

Trevor, Joshua

Business Studies
General Mathematics
Modern History
Studies of Religion I

Trevor, Miles

Industrial Technology

Warren, Leon

Mathematics

White, Christopher

Mathematics

Witsey, Harrison

Visual Arts

Witsey, Joseph

General Mathematics

Yates, Kevin

Ancient History
Business Studies

Yee Joy, Timothy

Ancient History
Economics
English (Advanced)
Mathematics
Mathematics Extension 1

Zacharatos, Michael

English (Advanced)
Legal Studies
Modern History
Studies of Religion I

SUMMARY OF 2013 HSC RESULTS

Percentage of students achieving the Top 2 Bands

Subject	St Pius X College Top 2 Bands (%)	State Top 2 Bands (%)	% Difference
French Beginners	100	47	53
Software Design and Development	67	30	37
Design and Technology	71	37	34
Legal Studies	75	43	32
General Mathematics	47	21	26
History Extension	100	74	26
Modern History	71	47	24
English Extension	100	78	22
Studies of Religion II	67	46	21
Physics	54	33	21
Chemistry	61	42	19
Ancient History	54	34	19
Industrial Technology	47	30	17
Personal Development, Health and Physical Education	45	28	17
Mathematics	66	49	16
Music 2	100	85	15
Mathematics Extension 2	100	87	13
Economics	55	43	12
Mathematics Extension 1	95	84	12
Business Studies	46	35	12
English (Advanced)	64	53	11
Biology	44	33	11
Studies of Religion I	56	48	8
Music Extension	100	98	2

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2013 ST PIUS X COLLEGE MEAN vs STATE MEAN

<i>Course</i>	<i>Percentage above the State Mean</i>
English Extension 2	10.60
Legal Studies	9.90
History Extension	9.72
Ancient History	8.77
English Extension 1	8.64
Industrial Technology	8.60
General Mathematics	8.22
Studies of Religion II	7.88
Software Design and Development	7.16
Modern History	7.12
Personal Development, Health and Physical Education	6.36
Physics	6.03
Chemistry	5.63
Mathematics Extension 2	5.61
French Beginners	5.52
Music 2	4.71
Mathematics	4.65
Biology	4.35
English (Standard)	3.53
Design and Technology	3.41
Business Studies	3.37
Economics	3.15
Studies of Religion I	2.78
Music 1	2.22
Mathematics Extension 1	2.14
Information Processes and Technology	2.06
English (Advanced)	1.76



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