



2017 ACADEMIC RESULTS



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

It brings me great pleasure to present to you the Higher School Certificate (HSC) and International Baccalaureate (IB) results for the graduating Class of 2017. After what has been a year of transformation and rejuvenation, I am filled with pride for our Year 12 students who have demonstrated the strength, character and hard work that is synonymous with the ethos and spirit of Kambala.

I would like to personally congratulate the Year 12 students for their commitment to study and ability to embrace the demands of the HSC and IB. It is through the combined efforts of these students, the support of their parents and the wider community, and the boundless dedication of their teachers that they have emerged victorious. The students are not just academics, but well-equipped young women, eager to take their first steps into the world beyond Kambala.

We had 87 HSC and 15 IB students sit their respective examinations late last year with exceptional results, as detailed in the following pages. Please join me, along with all of our staff, in congratulating the Class of 2017 for their completion of the HSC and IB and for making the entire Kambala community proud.

The Kambala community takes great care in its stewardship of the whole girl through celebrating learning, academic excellence and inspiring young women. We wish each student great success with whatever may come next for her.

Sincerely

Shane Hogan

Principal

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Left to right: Georgie Damianakis and Claudia McCann.

Humanity | Courage | Wonder | Respect
Celebrating learning; inspiring young women

OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL HSC RESULTS

HSC All-round Achievers

Students on the HSC All-round Achievers list achieved marks of 90 or above and a Band 6 result in 10 units or more. Nine Kambala students were included on the All-round Achievers List in 2017:

- ◆ Yoyo Choy
- ◆ Chloe Grounds
- ◆ Kristen Lazarus
- ◆ Angelina Lockley
- ◆ Katherine McGregor
- ◆ Alice Nason
- ◆ Eezu Tan
- ◆ Rachel Wu
- ◆ Caitlin Yan

Top Achievers

The Top Achievers List acknowledges the top 20 students in the state in each HSC subject. Kambala is proud to acknowledge two students who have been recognised as Top Achievers in the HSC in 2017:



Angelina Lockley
English Extension 1, Modern History



Rachel Wu
Japanese Extension

From the Sydney newspapers

- ◆ Kambala was ranked 18th overall in the state.
- ◆ Kambala was ranked 4th independent girls' school in the state.

There are many more strengths behind these statistics

- ◆ 62 out of the 87 students who sat for a HSC course (71 percent of our candidature) achieved at least one subject at Band 6 level (a mark of 90 or over) and were thus included on the Distinguished Achievers List.

Other notable achievements in Year 12

Achievement in the Creative and Performing Arts

At Kambala, we believe that in addition to the Academic and Sporting accomplishments of our students, the opportunity to explore and engage in a spring of creative avenues informs and enriches the experience of the whole girl. The following students have been nominated for NESA (NSW Education Standards Authority) events that exhibit exemplary works from the 2017 HSC cohort across a range of creative subjects:

OnSTAGE – Drama nominees

- ◆ *Ticketed* – group performance
Claire Begg, Emmerson Conrad, Jessica Ellison and Selena Mantikos
- ◆ *Once Upon a Time* – group performance
Grace Farren-Price, Xanthe Mitchell, Eliza Ng and Eezu Tan

ENCORE – Music nominees

Composition:

- ◆ Sophie Adair
- ◆ Bijou Broun-Griffiths
- ◆ Mikayla McEwan
- ◆ Amelia Lewis

ARTEXPRESS – Visual Arts nominees

- ◆ Zoe Carolan – *Fragmented Life in Dead Memory*
- ◆ Sophie Heron – *Vitam et Mortem*
- ◆ Lily Hickman – *Indulgence*
- ◆ Alexandra Hopkins – *Hanging in the Balance*
- ◆ Alexandra Meyers – *Fade to White*
- ◆ Emmeline Morris – *Hive Mind*
- ◆ Daisy Ryan – *Porcelain Portraits*
- ◆ Maria Scott

Of the eight students nominated for ARTEXPRESS, Sophie Heron and Daisy Ryan were officially selected to have their work displayed at the Art Gallery of NSW.

2017 HSC RESULTS – TOP ACHIEVERS IN SUBJECTS

Band 6 in 2 unit courses

Ancient History

Zoe Carolan
Kristen Lazarus
Alice Nason
Sasha Wynne

Biology

Claire Begg
Elaine Cheng
Emily Corkill
Stella Davy
Rhiannon Heath
Sophie Heron
Lily Kutena
Mikayla McEwan
Andriane Penklis

Business Studies

Tahlia Bowen
Emily Corkill
Georgia Damianakis
Montana Hamilton
Ainsley Jones
Mia Katz
Kristen Lazarus
Annie Ma
Grace McClintock
Jesse McLachlan
Daisy Ryan
Imogen Scott-L'Estrange
Martina Spartalis
Sasha Wynne
Caitlin Yan

Chemistry

Sabina Lam

Design and Technology

Victoria Bloch
Emmerson Conrad
Laura Finlayson
Beau Greig
Alexandra Hopkins
Emmeline Morris
Eden Rowan
Kathryn Vavayis
Chloe Wippell

Drama

Claire Begg
Emmerson Conrad
Jessica Ellison
Grace Farren-Price
Selena Mantikos
Xanthe Mitchell
Eliza Ng
Eezu Tan

Economics

Zoe Carolan
Elaine Cheng
Chloe Grounds
Sabina Lam
Angelina Lockley
Katherine McGregor
Poppy Philip
Eezu Tan
Caitlin Yan

English Advanced

Claire Begg
Tahlia Bowen
Eleni Bradley
Zoe Carolan
Elaine Cheng
Samantha Cheng
Yoyo Choy
Emily Corkill
Georgia Damianakis
Stella Davy
Grace Farren-Price
Beau Greig
Chloe Grounds
Alexandra Hopkins
Mia Katz
Isabella Kitas
Sabina Lam
Kristen Lazarus
Amelia Lewis
Louise Lin
Angelina Lockley
Annie Ma
Allegra McCormack
Mikayla McEwan
Katherine McGregor
Matilda McLean

English Advanced cont.

Alexandra Meyers
Alice Nason
Eliza Ng
Andriane Penklis
Poppy Philip
Daisy Ryan
Imogen Scott-L'Estrange
Eezu Tan
Rachel Wu
Caitlin Yan

French Continuers

Amelia Lewis
Eezu Tan

Information and Technology

Tahlia Bowen
Grace Farren-Price

Japanese Continuers

Yoyo Choy
Rachel Wu

Legal Studies

Yoyo Choy
Chloe Grounds
Ainsley Jones
Mia Katz
Kristen Lazarus
Louise Lin
Katherine McGregor
Matilda McLean
Poppy Philip
Caitlin Yan

Mathematics General 2

Montana Hamilton
Allegra McCormack
Eden Rowan

Mathematics

Stella Davy
Felicia Ee (Year 11 Accelerant)
Chloe Grounds
Sophia Haralambis (Year 11 Accelerant)
Chloe Luu (Year 11 Accelerant)
Annie Ma



Mathematics cont.

Laila McEwan (Year 11 Accelerant)
 Mikayla McEwan
 Katherine McGregor
 Ravina Motwani (Year 11 Accelerant)
 Poppy Philip
 Emily Scarlis (Year 10 Accelerant)
 Sarah Wachter (Year 11 Accelerant)
 Winnie Zhao (Year 11 Accelerant)

Modern Greek Beginners

Maria Rafeletos

Modern History

Tahlia Bowen
 Angelina Lockley
 Katherine McGregor
 Matilda McLean
 Alice Nason

Music 1

Georgia Damianakis
 Tayla Slater
 Charlotte Taylor

Music 2

Yoyo Choy
 Stella Davy
 Amelia Lewis
 Louise Lin
 Mikayla McEwan
 Alice Nason
 Rachel Wu

PDHPE

Eleni Bradley
 Laura Finlayson
 Sophie Heron
 Alexandra Hopkins

Visual Arts

Zoe Carolan
 Emma Choi
 Georgia Damianakis
 Grace Farren-Price
 Sophie Heron
 Lily Hickman
 Alexandra Hopkins
 Kristen Lazarus

Visual Arts cont.

Alexandra Meyers
 Emmeline Morris
 Lily Narev
 Eliza Ng
 Daisy Ryan
 Maria Scott

Band E4 in Extension courses**English Extension 1**

Tahlia Bowen
 Samantha Cheng
 Emmerson Conrad
 Grace Farren-Price
 Beau Greig
 Chloe Grounds
 Angelina Lockley
 Annie Ma
 Allegra McCormack
 Katherine McGregor
 Andriane Penklis
 Daisy Ryan
 Eezu Tan
 Rachel Wu
 Caitlin Yan

English Extension 2

Allegra McCormack

French Extension

Amelia Lewis
 Eezu Tan

Japanese Extension

Yoyo Choy
 Rachel Wu

History Extension

Zoe Carolan
 Allegra McCormack
 Alexandra Meyers
 Alice Nason

Mathematics Extension 1

Chloe Grounds
 Sabina Lam
 Angelina Lockley
 Poppy Philip

Music Extension

Sophie Adair
 Samantha Cheng
 Yoyo Choy
 Rhiannon Heath
 Amelia Lewis
 Louise Lin
 Mikayla McEwan
 Alice Nason
 Imogen Scott-L'Estrange

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA PROGRAMME

Fifteen Kambala students were enrolled in the IB Diploma Programme in 2017 and undertook a demanding program of study. In addition to six subjects studied, the girls also completed an individually researched Extended Essay, a Theory of Knowledge course and at least 150 hours of creativity, activity and service.

Kambala IB graduates' average score was 37 (ATAR equivalent 95.85) in 2017, which greatly exceeds the global average of 29.95 (ATAR equivalent 84.48). The top possible score in the IB Diploma Programme is 45.

- ◆ 67 percent of Kambala IB graduates gained a Grade 7 result in one or more of their subjects
- ◆ 53 percent of Kambala IB graduates gained a Grade A result in Extended Essay
- ◆ All fifteen Kambala students passed the IB Diploma Programme.

Outstanding IB achievements

- ◆ This year, three students achieved an IB score of 44 out of a possible 45 points. This score is equivalent to an ATAR of 99.85.
- ◆ A Theory of Knowledge Grade A was awarded to Zanna Farrell and Christina Shin.
- ◆ An Extended Essay Grade A was awarded to Mirella Carr, Lauren Hopkins, Sabrina Mann, Simone Norman, Natasha Redhill, Bridget Theophile, Mia Tucker and Katrina Yuen.



Simone Norman



Christina Shin



Bridget Theophile

Students who achieved Grade 7

Subject	Students
Biology HL	Simone Norman, Bridget Theophile, Katrina Yuen
Chemistry SL	Simone Norman
Design Technology SL	Christina Shin
Economics HL	Mirella Carr, Simone Norman, Bridget Theophile
English HL	Zanna Farrell, Christina Shin, undisclosed student
English SL	Mirella Carr, Simone Norman, Bridget Theophile, Katrina Yuen
French HL	Simone Norman
French SL	Mirella Carr
History HL	Christina Shin
Latin SL	Jessica Attenborough, Bridget Theophile
Mathematical Studies SL	Christina Shin
Mathematics SL	Bridget Theophile
Psychology HL	Lauren Hopkins, Natasha Redhill, Christina Shin
Spanish ab initio SL	Katrina Yuen



BREADTH OF HSC ACHIEVEMENT

100 percent of Kambala students achieved Bands E3 and E4 in the following Extension subjects



- English Extension 1
- English Extension 2
- Japanese Extension
- Mathematics Extension 1
- Mathematics Extension 2
- Music Extension

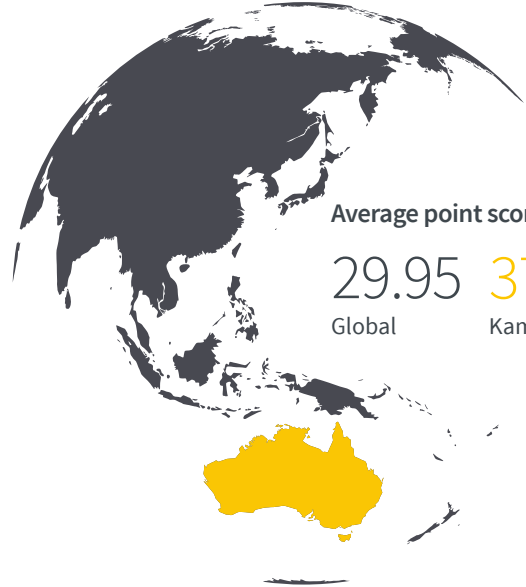
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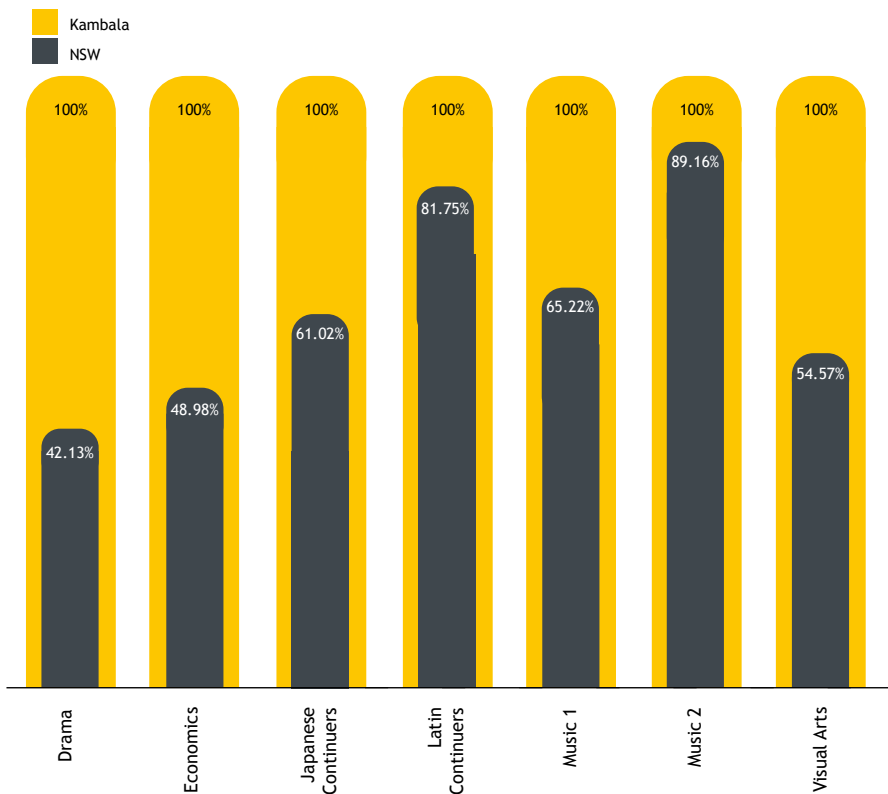
BREADTH OF IB ACHIEVEMENT

Average IB Diploma Programme points

Maximum point score for IB Diploma candidates is 45.
Highest Diploma points awarded to a Kambala student 44.



100 percent of Kambala students achieved Bands 5 and 6 in the following subjects – compared to the state





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