



# JUNIOR PRIZEGIVING

2025



# **JUNIOR PRIZEGIVING PROGRAMME - 2025**

## **MUSICAL INTERLUDE**

Jacob Huang, Lydia Kong, Callum Morgan,  
Olive Coombs, Max Stevens, Cyllus Ngamu,  
Finlay Barrett, Georgia Calman, Grace Taylor,  
Chloe Andrews, Arne Leiva Benegas,  
Moata Leiva Benegas, Giovanni Maraku

## **PROCESSION OF STAFF AND OFFICIAL PARTY**

'Valerie' by The Zutons

Max Stevens, Olive Coombs, Cyllus Ngamu,  
Finlay Barrett, Grace Taylor, Chloe Andrews,  
Georgia Calman

## **OPENING RURUKU**

Te Rangihaeata Pauro

## **INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME**

Year 10 Representatives

Olivia Campbell

Chloe Andrews

## **2026 YEAR 9 ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS**

Presented by Principal, Mr M McAllen

Deputy Principal

Mrs E Spooner

## **YEAR 9 ACADEMIC AWARDS**

Presented by Mr I Thomas

Dean

Mr H Wilson

## **ITEM:** A Selection of Christmas Carols

Arne Leiva Benegas, Giovanni Maraku  
Eshton Huang, Moata Leiva Benegas

## **YEAR 10 ACADEMIC AWARDS**

Presented by Ms O Wright

Dean

Ms R Easton

## **ITEM:** 'Honey Baby' by Three Plus

Phoenix Campbell, Moata Leiva Benegas,  
Arne Leiva Benegas, Giovanni Maraku,  
Te Manawanui Marks-George

## **PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**

Mr M McAllen

## **PRINCIPAL'S ACADEMIC AWARDS**

Presented by Principal, Mr M McAllen

Deputy Principal

Mrs E Spooner

## **NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL ANTHEM**

## **CLOSING RURUKU**

Te Rangihaeata Pauro

## **RECESSIONAL**

Music by CKY

Seth Coneybeer, Connor Ellicott

# **2026 YEAR 9 ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS**

Micah Chiet	Ivan Higgins Scholarship
Zachary Ellicott	English Scholarship
Casey Sharratt	Mathematics Scholarship
Theodore Varga	Science Scholarship
Mila Marsh	Social Studies Scholarship
Sterling Ngapeka-Coe	Confucius Scholarship
Alijah Ngaronga	Cultural Scholarship
Deepika (Mila) Madhu	Cultural Scholarship
Charlotte Hamilton	Sports Scholarship
Carter Fyfe	Sports Scholarship

## **DISTINCTION AND DILIGENCE**

A distinction is awarded to students who have achieved at an outstanding level in a subject.

A diligence is awarded to students who work to their potential in a subject all year.

Students are unable to earn both in the same subject.

To qualify to walk across the stage for Junior Prizegiving, a student requires a special prize or a special Distinction or Diligence certificate, awarded as follows:

### **Year 9**

Distinction Certificates are awarded to students achieving at least five subject distinctions.

Diligence Certificates are awarded to students achieving a combination of at least seven subject distinctions and/or diligences.

### **Year 10**

Distinction Certificates are awarded to students achieving at least four subject distinctions.

Diligence Certificates are awarded to students achieving a combination of at least six subject distinctions and/or diligences.

## **YEAR 9 PRIZE LIST**

Cadian Abbott-Reid	Distinction in Technology Materials <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Technology (joint winner)</b>
Ella Absolum	Distinction in Technology Materials Diligence in Art, Dance, English and Design & Visual Communication
Matthew Alston	Distinction in Science and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Drama and Digital Technology
Gypsy Anderson	Distinction in Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Art and Mathematics
Pippa Anderson	Diligence in Science
Carmen Armstrong	Distinction in Art, English, French, Science, Social Studies, Physical Education, Fashion Design and Technology Materials Diligence in Drama, Mathematics and Design & Visual Communication <b>Paul Minett Memorial Shield for Most Promising Art Student</b>
Vinnie Atkinson	Distinction in Physical Education
Enoch Ayban	Distinction in French and Spanish Diligence in Physical Education
Olivia Back	Distinction in Chinese and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Dance, English, Music, Science, Spanish, Social Studies, Physical Education, Fashion Design and Design & Visual Communication
Braedyn Baillie	Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology, Drama, English and Technology Materials
Bhavika Bajaj	Distinction in Mathematics, Spanish and Fashion Design Diligence in Art, English, Music and International English Language
Meah Baker-Pokotea	Diligence in Dance, Design & Visual Communication, Social Studies and Spanish
Zoe Baskett	Distinction in English, Spanish, Food & Nutrition, Physical Education, Social Studies and Technology Materials Diligence in Art, Dance, Drama, French and Mathematics
Nevaeh Batten	Diligence in Art
Shyanna Baxter	Distinction in Dance, Fashion Design and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Art, Music, Spanish and Physical Education
Laken Baxter-Maraku	Diligence in Drama

Dawn Beamsley	Distinction in Food & Nutrition Diligence in French, Mathematics, Physical Education and Technology Materials
Levi Beech	Distinction in Mathematics and Spanish Diligence in French
Adam Belalioui	Diligence in International English Language
Mason Belk	Distinction in Science, Spanish, Physical Education, Technology Materials and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Music
Jayde Bell	Distinction in Drama and Te Reo Māori Diligence in English and Fashion Design
Hadlee Belton	Diligence in Mathematics
Jack Benson	Distinction in French, Spanish and Digital Technology Diligence in English
Samuel Benson	Diligence in Food & Nutrition and Spanish
Chardel Bishop	Distinction in Digital Technology Diligence in Dance and Music
Honour Bishop-McClune	Diligence in Dance, Science, Physical Education, Social Studies, Te Reo Māori and Design & Visual Communication
Xander Black	Diligence in Drama
Danya Booth	Distinction in Art, Chinese, English, Science, Spanish, Physical Education, Technology Materials and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Digital Technology, Mathematics, Music and Social Studies
Quinn Boylin	Distinction in Art, Chinese and Physical Education Diligence in Drama and Music
Deylion Brider-McDonnell	Distinction in Te Reo Māori <b>Osborne Cup for Excellence in Y9 Boys' Sport</b>
Grace Brignall	Distinction in Dance, Drama, English, Spanish, Mathematics, Physical Education and Technology Materials Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Music, Science and Fashion Design <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b>
Poppy Brooks-Mann	Distinction in Chinese, Drama, English, Science and Social Studies Diligence in Art, Mathematics, Spanish, Physical Education, Technology Materials and Design & Visual Communication

Jacob Bruning	Distinction in Drama Diligence in English, Spanish, Physical Education and Technology Materials
Sera Bulivou	Diligence in Digital Technology and Te Reo Māori
Kayde Butler	Diligence in Drama
Adele Butters	Distinction in Art and Technology Materials Diligence in French, Drama, Science, Digital Technology and Food & Nutrition
Jake Buxton	Distinction in French, Mathematics, Science, Spanish and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Art, Drama, Social Studies and Technology Materials
Georgia Calman	Distinction in Science, Social Studies, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology and Physical Education Diligence in Drama and Music <b>Excellence Certificate – 1<sup>st</sup> Place, Junior Handler, National Dog Show and NZ Representative at Crufts International Dog Show</b>
Baylee Cameron	Distinction in Music, Science, Spanish and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Drama
Olivia Campbell	Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Social Studies and Spanish
Ella Cavanagh	Distinction in Spanish and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Digital Technology, Physical Education, Technology Materials and Fashion Design
Jindveer Chahal	Diligence in Science
Devin Check	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Music, Spanish, Science, Digital Technology and Food & Nutrition
Serena Chernoff	Distinction in English, French, Mathematics, Spanish and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Art
Mey I Chreang	Distinction in Art Diligence in Food & Nutrition and International English Language
Moriah Clark	Distinction in Art, Mathematics, Science, Spanish, Physical Education, Food & Nutrition and Technology Materials Diligence in Dance, Drama, English, Social Studies, Digital Technology and Design & Visual Communication
Annazaya Clarke	Distinction in Art, Digital Technology and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Drama, Science, Social Studies, Spanish and Food & Nutrition
Hamish Coe	Diligence in Music

Corbyn Compton	Diligence in English, Spanish, Music, Science, Food & Nutrition and Physical Education
Lewis Conley	Distinction in Mathematics and Science Diligence in Art, Spanish and Digital Technology
Nathan Cook	Distinction in Drama and English Diligence in Spanish, Mathematics, Music, Food & Nutrition, Social Studies and Physical Education
Olive Coombs	Distinction in Art, Chinese, Dance, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, Drama, English, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics, Physical Education, Science, Social Studies, Spanish and Fashion Design <b>Confucius Prize for Chinese</b> <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Fashion Design</b> <b>Earle Cup for Excellence in Y9 Girls' Sport</b> <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b> <b>WHS Principal's Cup for Best All-Round Cricketer - Junior Girls</b> <b>Merit Certificate for Y9 House Spirit – Moana</b> <b>Excellence Certificate – 1<sup>st</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Mixed Junior Relay</b>
Carlee Cooper	Distinction in Design & Visual Communication and Spanish Diligence in Art, Dance, English, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Science, Social Studies and Technology Materials <b>Mary Ross Rosebowl for the Most Valuable Player in Y9 Netball</b>
Ellen Cornelius-Nuku	Distinction in Dance and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Physical Education <b>Taonga for Outstanding Contribution to Kapahaka – Wāhine</b>
Harrison Cotter	Distinction in English and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Drama and Spanish
Lara Crawford	Diligence in Drama
Hannah Cunningham	Distinction in Dance, Drama, Physical Education and Spanish Diligence in Mathematics and Social Studies
Harlan Currin	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in English and Social Studies
Booker Davidson	Diligence in English, Spanish, Mathematics and Physical Education
Jonty Davies	Distinction in Science Diligence in Drama, English, Spanish and Physical Education
Riley Davies	Diligence in Drama, French, Mathematics, Music, Digital Technology and Design & Visual Communication
Hailee Dehar	Diligence in Dance, English and Mathematics
Zahir Delasau	Diligence in Science



Troy Denton	Distinction in French Diligence in Spanish
Riddhi Deo	Distinction in Digital Technology Diligence in Drama, Social Studies, Spanish, Technology Materials and Design & Visual Communication
Eli Deuchars	Diligence in Mathematics, Music, Science, Social Studies and Spanish
Ryleigh Dorricott	Distinction in English, Chinese, Science, French, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Food & Nutrition, Design and Visual Communication and Social Studies Diligence in Art and Fashion Design <b>WHS Principal's Cup for Excellence in English</b>
Riley Downes	Diligence in Dance and Spanish <b>WHS Trophy for Junior Girls' Soccer</b>
Lucy Drake	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Dance, French, Social Studies, Fashion Design, Design & Visual Communication and Food & Nutrition
Michael Dyer	Distinction in Music, Social Studies, Spanish and Technology Materials Diligence in Art, French and Food & Nutrition <b>Hodder Brothers Cup for Y9 Public Speaking</b> <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b>
Indee Earnshaw	Diligence in Art and English
Zak Easton	Diligence in English and Music
Sage Edwardson-Smith	Distinction in Dance, Digital Technology, Mathematics and Technology Materials Diligence in Drama, Science and Spanish
Nancy Etuale	Distinction in Fashion Design Diligence in Art, Chinese and Te Reo Māori <b>WHS Cup for Outstanding Junior Contribution to Pasifika</b>
Mila Fantham-Houia	Distinction in Dance and Spanish Diligence in Physical Education, Social Studies and Te Reo Māori
Cairo Farmer	Diligence in Drama, Mathematics and Music
Kasey Farr	Distinction in Art
Ryder Fife	Diligence in Drama, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics and Science
Kaylee Fitzwater	Diligence in Chinese and Spanish
Eva-Jade Flavell	Diligence in Mathematics and Physical Education

Makayla Floyd	Distinction in Chinese, Physical Education and Spanish Diligence in Art, Dance, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, English and Science
Tangirau Frawley	Distinction in Te Reo Māori Diligence in Art and Dance
Nicholas Frith	Diligence in Physical Education
Korbin Gabbott	Distinction in Art, Mathematics, Music, Science, Social Studies, Physical Education and Digital Technology Diligence in Chinese, English, Food & Nutrition and Technology Materials
Annika Garner	Diligence in Dance, Digital Technology, English, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies
Kaitlin Gepp	Distinction in Spanish, Fashion Design and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Chinese, Science and Social Studies
Willow Gibb	Distinction in Dance and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Mathematics, Music, English and Technology Materials
Manasa Govindarasu	Distinction in English, Food & Nutrition, Music, Science and Social Studies Diligence in Art, Chinese, Mathematics, Spanish, Digital Technology and Physical Education
Taylor Green	Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology, Drama, Social Studies and Spanish
Oscar Gulbransen	Distinction in Food & Nutrition
Arthur Gunn	Diligence in French and Food & Nutrition
Elyse Hale	Distinction in Art, English and Science Diligence in Design & Visual Communication and Digital Technology
Rafe Hall	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in French and Music
Valyn Hall	Distinction in Art, French, Digital Technology, Design & Visual Communication and Physical Education Diligence in Drama, English, Mathematics, Social Studies, Spanish and Fashion Design
Xander Havenga	Distinction in English, Social Studies and Spanish Diligence in Art and Music
Luke Hawker	Distinction in Drama Diligence in Art, Chinese, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, Physical Education and Social Studies
Tama Henderson	Diligence in Te Reo Māori

Karney Herewini	Distinction in Art and Spanish Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology and Te Reo Māori <b>Taonga for Outstanding Contribution to Kapahaka – Tāne Herewini Whanau Junior Boys' Basketball Player of the Year</b>
Tyrell Herewini-Lama	Diligence in Social Studies and Te Reo Māori
Tyler Herkes	Diligence in Art, Music and Science
Noel Heymann	Distinction in Art and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Spanish and Food & Nutrition <b>WHS Stacey Hildreth Cup for Visual Art</b>
Corey Higgins	Diligence in Chinese, Drama, English, Physical Education and Science <b>Todd Murray Memorial Trophy for Junior Boy's Hockey</b>
Noah Hill	Diligence in Art, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics, Physical Education and Fashion Design
Paige Holly	Distinction in Drama Diligence in Art, Chinese, Digital Technology, English, Mathematics, Music and Science
Max Hooper	Diligence in Art and Drama
Jess Hopkins	Diligence in French and Spanish
Chelsie Howe	Distinction in Spanish, Drama, Digital Technology, Food & Nutrition, Physical Education and Technology Materials Diligence in English
Eshton Huang	Distinction in Music and Science Diligence in Art, Drama, French, Spanish and Design & Visual Communication
Cole Humphries	Diligence in Food & Nutrition, Music and Social Studies
Reon Humphries	Diligence in Mathematics and Music
Jahna Irving	Distinction in Social Studies Diligence in French and Music
Noah Jackman	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology and Spanish
Akeeliah Jones	Diligence in Music and Spanish
Brooklyn Jordan	Diligence in Food & Nutrition, Social Studies and Technology Materials
Blake Kauika-Puketapu	Distinction in Drama and Physical Education Diligence in Te Reo Māori

Ayla Kelly	Distinction in Art Diligence in Chinese, Drama, Physical Education, English and Spanish
Ivy Kenny	Distinction in Art, Design & Visual Communication and Physical Education Diligence in Dance, Digital Technology, Music, Science, Spanish and Technology Materials
Sophia Kerwin	Distinction in Digital Technology Diligence in Physical Education, Social Studies, Spanish and Technology Materials
Zydane Kililit	Distinction in French and Spanish Diligence in Food & Nutrition and Physical Education
Aria Kilmister	Distinction in Physical Education and Social Studies Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, English and Music
Fern King	Diligence in Art
Nevaeh Kirk	Distinction in Social Studies, English, Digital Technology, Food & Nutrition, Te Reo Māori and Fashion Design Diligence in Art, Dance, Design & Visual Communication, Physical Education, Science and Spanish <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Social Studies</b>
Lucie Kirk-Roberts	Diligence in Food & Nutrition and Social Studies
Waisake Kolinisau	Diligence in Spanish
Lydia Kong	Distinction in Art, English, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Social Studies and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Food & Nutrition, Spanish and Technology Materials
Ayaana Kumar	Diligence in Science, English, Design & Visual Communication and Food & Nutrition
Mayumi Lagahid	Distinction in Drama, Music and Physical Education Diligence in Art, English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Spanish, Technology Materials and Fashion Design
Lilee Lambe	Diligence in English, Physical Education, Social Studies and Spanish
Angel Landon-Lane	Distinction in Dance, Digital Technology, French, Physical Education, Te Reo Māori and Technology Materials Diligence in Drama, English, Food & Nutrition, Science and Fashion Design <b>WHS Junior Girls' Softball Cup for Best All-Round Player</b>
Xyrist Laughlin	Distinction in Art, Digital Technology, English, Mathematics, Science and Spanish Diligence in Dance, Music, Design & Visual Communication, Technology Materials and Fashion Design
Moata Leiva Benegas	Distinction in English, Music, Science and Spanish Diligence in French and Social Studies

Jordan Lewer	Distinction in Drama and Mathematics Diligence in Social Studies
Hunter Lewis	Diligence in Music
Piper Loft-Angel	Distinction in Art Diligence in Mathematics, Social Studies, English and Spanish
Mecedes Lyttle-Teal	Diligence in French
Reyne MacKinnon	Diligence in Physical Education
Emily Mackintosh	Distinction in Art, English, Science, Social Studies and Technology Materials Diligence in Design & Visual Communication
Lachlan Mackintosh	Diligence in Science
Leo Mackintosh	Distinction in Art, Science, Mathematics, Music, Design & Visual Communication and Physical Education Diligence in Chinese, English and Food & Nutrition
Tukorero Mair	Distinction in Te Reo Māori <b>Taonga for Excellence in Te Reo Māori</b>
Kahlo Makutu-Wikohika	Diligence in Te Reo Māori
Te Wharekapunga Malcolm	Diligence in Technology Materials
Angira Malik	Distinction in Art, Chinese, Design & Visual Communication, English and Physical Education Diligence in Dance, Food & Nutrition, Science, Social Studies and Spanish
Izabella Malou	Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Mathematics, English, Music and Science
Te Maire Mansell	Distinction in Art and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Mathematics and Spanish
Amy Manu	Distinction in Chinese, French, English, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, Music, Science and Fashion Design Diligence in Mathematics <b>Waione Cup for Excellence in Languages (joint winner)</b>
Giovanni Maraku	Distinction in Music Diligence in Te Reo Māori
Hunter Matthews	Distinction in Science
Sasha McCarten	Diligence in Art, Design & Visual Communication, English and Technology Materials
Alaye McClintock-Muir	Diligence in Drama and Mathematics

Jade McGhie	Diligence in Mathematics
Niamh McKenna	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in Art, Chinese, Music, Spanish, Science, Fashion Design, Food & Nutrition and Design & Visual Communication
Blayne McKeown	Diligence in Music and Science
Daevii McKinney-Bennet	Distinction in Food & Nutrition, Mathematics and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Dance, Drama, English, French, Physical Education and Science
Bronwyn McLean	Distinction in Dance, Drama, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, Mathematics and Social Studies Diligence in Art, Chinese, English, Science and Spanish
Alice McPhun	Distinction in Digital Technology, Drama, Music and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Art, Chinese, Design & Visual Communication, Science and Social Studies
Kya Mete Te Koari	Diligence in English and Te Reo Māori
Byron Moase	Diligence in Digital Technology
Paige Moase	Distinction in Technology Materials Diligence in English
Ngakau Moore	Diligence in Physical Education and Te Reo Māori
Callum Morgan	Distinction in Music Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Food & Nutrition and Social Studies <b>WHS Music Cup for Outstanding Achievement Beyond the Classroom</b>
Khloe Moroney	Diligence in Technology Materials
Annabel Muir	Distinction in Art, Dance, Music, Food & Nutrition and Physical Education Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology, French, Science and Technology Materials
Jaime Munro	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Dance, Mathematics and Spanish <b>WHS Baker Cup for Junior Girls' Athletics</b>
Cian Murphy	Distinction in Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Art and Science
Zack Newton	Distinction in Drama, Food & Nutrition, Physical Education, Science, Social Studies and Spanish Diligence in Art, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, French and Mathematics
Cyllus Ngamu	Distinction in Music Diligence in Art, Drama, Social Studies, Spanish, Digital Technology, Te Reo Māori and Technology Materials

Sevryn Nixon	Diligence in Art, Chinese, Music and Spanish
Tyler O'Brien	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Drama, English, Food & Nutrition, Music and Social Studies <b>Merit Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Junior Boys Relay</b>
Rylee Ottow	Diligence in Drama, Physical Education and Social Studies
Ava Overton	Distinction in Chinese, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, Food & Nutrition and Social Studies Diligence in English and Science <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b>
Zac Payne	Distinction in Technology Materials Diligence in Physical Education and Spanish
Samuel Pearson	Distinction in Mathematics and Music
Chloe Peck-Waitokia	Diligence in Digital Technology, Music and Spanish
Logan Plant	Diligence in Art, Digital Technology, Drama and Physical Education
Awatea Plumridge	Distinction in Spanish
Faith Ponga	Distinction in English and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Art, Dance, Mathematics, Science, Food & Nutrition, Physical Education, Social Studies, Technology Materials and Fashion Design
Kyaana Potaka	Distinction in Spanish and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Art
Lucia Pound	Distinction in Digital Technology Diligence in Dance, Design & Visual Communication, English, Food & Nutrition and Social Studies
Toya Prasad	Distinction in Design & Visual Communication, French and Spanish Diligence in Art, Digital Technology, Music and Social Studies
Bentley Prujean	Diligence in Music and Physical Education <b>WHS Trophy for Outstanding Junior Soccer Player</b>
Ayush Rampersadh	Distinction in Food & Nutrition Diligence in Art, Drama, English, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Te Reo Māori and Technology Materials
Maximus Rennie	Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Science and Social Studies
Kahu Rewha Ranginui	Distinction in Spanish and Technology Materials Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Drama and Te Reo Māori
Finlay Rhodes	Distinction in Social Studies Diligence in Art, Chinese, Music, Science and Technology Materials

Jayden Ross-Weaver	Diligence in French and Spanish
Harlow Rowan Pikari	Distinction in Art
Germaine Rust	Distinction in Mathematics, Science, Art, Spanish, Social Studies, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Drama, Music and Fashion Design
Gracyn Severinsen	Distinction in Digital Technology and Physical Education Diligence in Drama, Food & Nutrition, Science, Spanish and Technology Materials
Lara Sievwright	Distinction in Drama Diligence in Dance and Spanish
Veeryash Singh	Distinction in Technology Materials Diligence in Physical Education and Science
Isaac Smith	Diligence in Food & Nutrition
Timothy Smith	Distinction in Art, English, Physical Education, Social Studies and Technology Materials Diligence in Digital Technology and Spanish
Banita-Jade Snowden	Distinction in Music and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Mathematics
Nixon Solly	Distinction in Digital Technology, Physical Education and Science Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Food & Nutrition and Mathematics
Dubialyn Sorio	Distinction in International English Language, Science, Spanish and Technology Materials Diligence in Art, Mathematics and Fashion Design
Julie Stoop	Distinction in Art, English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Physical Education and Technology Materials Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Drama, Food & Nutrition, French and Spanish
Millie Sturzaker	Distinction in Fashion Design Diligence in Art, Dance, Design & Visual Communication, Drama, Food & Nutrition, French, Mathematics, Physical Education, Science, Social Studies and Spanish
Jayla Symes	Distinction in Art Diligence in Chinese, Design & Visual Communication, Food & Nutrition and Mathematics
Nena Symes	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in Dance, Design & Visual Communication, Drama, Science, Social Studies and Technology Materials



Riley Symes	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Music and Science
George Taylor	Diligence in Art, Drama, English, Food & Nutrition and Spanish
Grace Taylor	Distinction in Art, English, Music, Drama, Science, Spanish, Digital Technology, Social Studies and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Food & Nutrition, Mathematics and Te Reo Māori
Autumn Te Huia	Diligence in Art, Dance, Social Studies and Te Reo Māori <b>WHS Junior Girls' Basketball Cup for Most Improved Player</b>
Katlyn Terrill	Distinction in Physical Education and Spanish Diligence in Science, Drama, English, Food & Nutrition, Technology Materials and Design & Visual Communication
Vadim Thompson	Distinction in Drama and Social Studies Diligence in Digital Technology, Physical Education and Spanish
Mila Thoms	Distinction in Physical Education and Social Studies Diligence in Mathematics, Music and Technology Materials
Stevie Thomson	Diligence in Social Studies and Spanish
Anya Thorpe-Sergent	Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics, Music, Science, Social Studies, Spanish and Te Reo Māori
Shanae Tims	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Chinese, Spanish, Dance, Drama, English, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics and Science <b>Brumpton Young Cup for Y9 Public Speaking</b>
Scarlett Tindle	Distinction in Art and Technology Materials Diligence in French, Spanish and Fashion Design
Jackson Tizard	Diligence in Drama and Technology Materials
AJ Tofa	Diligence in Mathematics
Darcie Trevor-Roper	Distinction in Chinese, Dance, Drama, English, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics, Physical Education, Spanish and Technology Materials Diligence in Digital Technology, Music, Science, Social Studies and Fashion Design <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Technology (joint winner)</b> <b>WHS Merit Cup for Y9 House Spirit</b>
Awatea Tutaki	Distinction in Te Reo Māori Diligence in Art, Design & Visual Communication, English and Social Studies
Caleb Valentine	Diligence in Chinese, English, Physical Education and Spanish
Jessie Van der Hoeven-Browes	Diligence in Physical Education

Kadyn Vincent-Skelsey	Diligence in Digital Technology, Food & Nutrition, Social Studies and Te Reo Māori
Milly Vivian	Distinction in Social Studies Diligence in Art, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, Drama, Food & Nutrition, French, Mathematics, Physical Education, Science, Spanish and Fashion Design
Kyroh Vole	Diligence in Art and Drama
Pania Waimotu-Morgan	Diligence in Design & Visual Communication
Emelia Wait	Diligence in Mathematics, Science, English and Technology Materials
Jack Walker	Diligence in Physical Education
Blake Wallace	Diligence in Drama and Music
Zoey Walters	Diligence in Art, Dance, English, French, Music, Physical Education, Science, Social Studies and Food & Nutrition
Nate Ward Collins	Distinction in Science, French, Mathematics, Technology Materials, Digital Technology, Drama, Music, English, Social Studies and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Art <b>Standley Cup for Science</b> <b>Waione Cup for Excellence in Languages (joint winner)</b> <b>WHS Principal's Cup for Excellence in Mathematics</b> <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Technology (joint winner)</b> <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b> <b>Merit Certificate for Y9 House Spirit - Awa</b>
Charlotte White	Distinction in Digital Technology Diligence in Art, English and French
Denby Whittington	Diligence in Digital Technology and Music
Bhakthi Wickramanayake	Distinction in Art, Digital Technology and French Diligence in Physical Education and Spanish
Isabel Wikotu	Distinction in Art Diligence in Science
Lacie Williams	Distinction in Dance and Music Diligence in Art, Social Studies and Technology Materials
Nicky Williams	Distinction in Dance
Levi Willis-Croft	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in English, Food & Nutrition and Music
Aria Wilson-Johnson	Diligence in Art, Drama, French, English and Music

Conrad Woods	Distinction in English, Mathematics, Music, Science and Social Studies Diligence in Food & Nutrition, Physical Education and Spanish
Eddie Wright	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in Food & Nutrition, Music, Physical Education, English and Science
Lucas Wright	Diligence in Drama and Social Studies
Kayla Yakas	Distinction in Dance Diligence in English, Art, Te Reo Māori, Mathematics, Physical Education, Social Studies, Design & Visual Communication and Food & Nutrition
Emily Ye	Distinction in Chinese and Fashion Design Diligence in Mathematics, Music, Science, Social Studies, Spanish, Digital Technology and Design & Visual Communication
Toby Young	Diligence in Spanish, Art, English, French, Music and Food & Nutrition

# **CULTURAL AWARDS**

These certificates were presented at the Cultural Awards evening on 23 October 2025

## **EXCELLENCE CERTIFICATES**

Olivia Campbell	Best Junior Speaker, Central North Island Debating Competition
Karney Herewini	Special Award, Patillo Whanganui Arts Review
Darcie Trevor-Roper	1 <sup>st</sup> Place, Y9 Solo, Dance NZ Made Regionals
Annabel Muir	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place, Y9 Solo, Dance NZ Made Regionals
Isabelle Teki	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place, Y10 Solo, National Nomination, Dance NZ Made Regionals
Mahalla Hague-Davis	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place, Y10 Solo, National Nomination, Dance NZ Made Regionals
Mahalla Hague-Davis	1 <sup>st</sup> Place, Y9-10, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Overall Duo/Trio, Dance NZ Made Regionals
Isabelle Teki	1 <sup>st</sup> Place, Open Duo/Trio, Dance NZ Made Regionals
Willow Gibb Lacie Williams	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place, Y9-10 Duo/Trio, Dance NZ Made Regionals
Callum Morgan	1 <sup>st</sup> Place, U16 Slow Melody, Central Districts Brass Band Competition
Moata Leiva Benegas	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place, U16 Slow Melody, Central Districts Brass Band Competition 1 <sup>st</sup> Place, U16 Air Varie, Central Districts Brass Band Competition 1 <sup>st</sup> Place, Solo with C Section Band & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Overall Open Solo with Band, Central Districts Brass Band Competition
Arne Leiva Benegas	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place, U16 Slow Melody, Central Districts Brass Band Competition
Arne Leiva Benegas Moata Leiva Benegas Callum Morgan	1 <sup>st</sup> Place, Junior Large Ensemble, Central Districts Brass Band Competition – ‘Try Harder’ KBB Award & Highly Commended, NZCT District Chamber Music Contest – ‘No Strings Attached’
Giovanni Maraku	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place, U13 Slow Melody, Central Districts Brass Band Competition
Ella Absolum Quinn Boylin Eshton Huang Arne Leiva Benegas Moata Leiva Benegas Giovanni Maraku	2 <sup>nd</sup> Overall, C Grade Band, Central Districts Brass Band Competition
Quinn Boylin Callum Morgan	Most Promising Junior Group, NZCT District Chamber Music Contest – ‘The QMC Trio’
Eshton Huang	Highly Commended & Adjudicator’s Award, NZCT District Chamber Music Contest – ‘The Ghost Notes’
Eshton Huang Jacob Huang	Best Performance of a New Zealand Work & Highly Commended, NZCT District Chamber Music Contest – ‘The Rail Riders’
Poppy Brooks-Mann Arne Leiva Benegas Moata Leiva Benegas Giovanni Maraku	1 <sup>st</sup> Place Band & 1 <sup>st</sup> Place Tangata Beats, Smokefree Rockquest Regional Final – ‘Lights Go Out’

## **NATIONAL EXCELLENCE CERTIFICATES**

Poppy Brooks-Mann  
Arne Leiva Benegas  
Moata Leiva Benegas  
Giovanni Maraku

Top 10 Finalist and Te Reo Maori Award, Smokefree Tangata Beats Nationals –  
'Lights Go Out'

Callum Morgan

11<sup>th</sup> Place, U19 Slow Melody, NZ Brass Band National Championships

## **EXCELLENCE TIE**

Callum Morgan

2<sup>nd</sup> Place, U15 Cornet, NZ Brass Band National Championships

## **BLUE**

Callum Morgan

1<sup>st</sup> Place, Junior Ensemble, NZ Brass Band National Championships

## **SPECIAL CULTURAL AWARDS**

Arne Leiva Benegas

WHS Cup for Contribution to School Music in Year 9 & 10

Callum Morgan

WHS Music Cup for Outstanding Achievement Beyond the Classroom

Chloe Andrews  
Michael Lister

De Zoysa Trophy for Outstanding Cultural Contribution to the School

## **MAORI AND PASIFIKA AWARDS**

Ellen Cornelius-Nuku

Taonga for Outstanding Contribution to Kapahaka - Wāhine

Karney Herewini

Taonga for Outstanding Contribution to Kapahaka - Tāne

Nancy Etuale

WHS Cup for Outstanding Contribution to Pasifika - Junior

# **SPORTS AWARDS**

**Some of these awards were presented at the Sports Awards evening on 16 October 2025**

Alex Payne	Kylie Allpress Cup for Most Improved Athlete Karyn Parkin Memorial Trophy for the Most Improved Athlete in Junior School
Sean Frieslaar	Martin Holmes Trophy for Best Senior Middle-Distance Athlete Michael Silk Trophy for Junior Boys' Cross Country
Olivia Campbell	Calman Cup for Most Improved Female in WHS Cross Country
Xavier Brotherton	Cornaga Cup for Most Improved Male in WHS Cross Country
DJ O'Brien	Robinson Family Cup for Best All-Round Member Girls' Hockey Jackson Trophy for Service to Junior Girls' Hockey
Corey Higgins	Prime Cup for Senior Boys' Most Improved Hockey Player Todd Murray Memorial Trophy for Junior Boys' Hockey
Liam Penwarden	Glenn Scott Shield for Best Novice Shooter
Ethan Wells	Trevor Lockett Memorial Rosebowl for Junior Boys' Athletics
Jaime Munro	WHS Baker Cup for Junior Girls' Athletics
Autumn Te Huia	WHS Junior Girls' Basketball Cup for Most Improved Player
Phoenix Campbell	WHS Junior Boys' Basketball Cup for Most Improved Player WHS Junior Boys' Softball Cup for Best All-Round Player (joint winner)
Lucas Toohill	WHS Cup for Most Valuable Player in Junior Basketball
Halo Bishop	Herewini Whanau Junior Girls' Basketball Player of the Year WHS Cup for Most Valuable Player in Y10 Netball
Karney Herewini	Herewini Whanau Junior Boys' Basketball Player of the Year
Bruce McGregor	WHS Cup for Most Outstanding Batsman in Junior Cricket Maguire Trophy for Best All-Round Cricketer – Junior Boys Shane Scott Trophy for the Most Promising Junior in Rugby
Drian Joubert	Don Gill Memorial Shield for Most Promising Fast Bowler in Junior Cricket
Olive Coombs	WHS Principal's Cup for Best All-Round Cricketer – Junior Girls
Hannah Cameron	WHS Trophy for Girls' Cross Country
Riley Downes	WHS Trophy for Junior Girls' Soccer
Bentley Prujean	WHS Trophy for Outstanding Junior Soccer Player
Carlee Cooper	Mary Ross Rosebowl for Most Valuable Player in Y9 Netball
Sophia Su'a	WHS Cup for Best Junior Rower
Dempsey Schicker Sophia Su'a	WHS Simon Watson Trophy for the Best Junior Rowing Crew – U15 Coxed Quad

Rhylan Van Delden	WHS Cup for Most Outstanding Junior Rugby Player
Moana Newland	Waione Cup for the Best Junior in Girls' Rugby
Angel Landon-Lane	WHS Junior Girls' Softball Cup for Best All-Round Player
Te Rahuika Hina	WHS Junior Boys' Softball Cup for Best All-Round Player (joint winner)
Rachel Pui	WHS Martin Family Cup for Excellence in Junior Swimming
Akanisi Tamaniyaga	Fairhurst Bennetts Cup for Most Outstanding Player in Junior Girls' Volleyball
Carter Hallett	Te Huna Cup for Most Outstanding Player in Junior Boys' Volleyball

## **EXCELLENCE CERTIFICATES**

Georgia Calman	1 <sup>st</sup> Place Junior Handler, NZ National Dog Show NZ Representative at Crufts International Dog Show
Bruce McGregor	1 <sup>st</sup> in the NZSS 300m Junior Boys' Hurdles
Hannah Cameron, Olive Coombs, Alex Payne, Charlie McBride	1 <sup>st</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Mixed Junior Relay

## **BLUES**

Isabel Ross	NZ Women's Open Rink Hockey Team & Whanganui U19 Team National Title
Eden Ashby	Whanganui U19 Rink Hockey Team National Title
Jayden Bourke	Whanganui U19 Rink Hockey Team National Title

## **SPECIAL SPORTS AWARDS**

Olive Coombs	Earle Cup for Excellence in Year 9 Girls' Sport
Deylion Bridger-McDonnell	Osborne Cup for Excellence in Year 9 Boys' Sport
Halo Bishop	Battersby Cup for Excellence in Year 10 Girls' Sport
Bruce McGregor	Coker Cup for Excellence in Year 10 Boys' Sport

## **DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S HILLARY AWARDS**

Chloe Andrews	Bronze Award
Xavier Brotherton	Bronze Award
Olivia Campbell	Bronze Award
Mackenzie Cook	Bronze Award
Michael Lister	Bronze Award
Grace Brignall	Bronze Award
Olive Coombs	Bronze Award
Michael Dyer	Bronze Award
Ava Overton	Bronze Award
Nate Ward Collins	Bronze Award

## **WHS HOUSE TROPHIES**

Darcie Trevor-Roper	WHS Merit Cup for Year 9 House Spirit
Allegra Pickering	WHS Merit Cup for Year 10 House Spirit
Awa	WHS Shield for Champion House



## **YEAR 10 PRIZE LIST**

Shelby Adlam	Diligence in Science and Social Studies
Ryder Ahern-Grant	Diligence in Chinese, Drama and Technology Materials
Luke Ander	Diligence in Mathematics, Physical Education and Spanish
Nathan Anderson	Diligence in Mathematics
Chloe Andrews	Distinction in Drama, English, Food & Nutrition, Physical Education and Social Studies Diligence in Dance, Science and Spanish <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Junior Drama (joint winner)</b> <b>De Zoysa Trophy for Most Outstanding Cultural Contribution to the School (joint winner)</b> <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b> <b>Merit Certificate for Y10 House Spirit – Awa</b> <b>Awa Representative – WHS Shield for Champion House</b>
Lily Andrews	Diligence in Art, Digital Technology, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and Spanish
Muhammad Ansari	Distinction in Chinese and English Diligence in Digital Technology
Eden Ashby	Distinction in Music Diligence in Drama, Mathematics, Social Studies and Spanish <b>Blue Award – Whanganui U19 Rink Hockey Team National Title</b>
Leeroy Aubrey	Diligence in Physical Education
Malikae Baker-Atkinson	Diligence in Physical Education and Social Studies
Isabella Barclay	Diligence in English, Mathematics and Music
Orla Barlow	Distinction in Te Reo Māori Diligence in Dance <b>Taonga for Excellence in Te Reo Māori</b>
Mason Barnes	Distinction in Mathematics, Science and Spanish Diligence in Digital Technology, Music, Social Studies and Te Reo Māori
Hayley Bartlett	Distinction in Physical Education and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Digital Technology
Isabelle Bastable	Diligence in Digital Technology, Making Music and Physical Education
Dinasha Batra	Diligence in Art and Spanish
Fen Battersby	Distinction in Physical Education

Ashton Baxter	Distinction in Chinese Diligence in Science
Jayden Belton	Diligence in French and Physical Education
Zavier Bills	Distinction in English Diligence in Art and Spanish
Halo Bishop	Distinction in Physical Education, Food & Nutrition and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Art and Social Studies <b>WHS Martin Cup for Physical Education and Health</b> <b>Herewini Whanau Junior Girls' Basketball Player of the Year</b> <b>WHS Cup for the Most Valuable Player in Year 10 Netball</b> <b>Merit Certificate for Y10 House Spirit - Maunga</b> <b>Battersby Cup for Excellence in Year 10 Girls' Sport</b>
Sophie Booth	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in Dance, Drama and English
Jayden Bourke	Diligence in Social Studies <b>Blue Award – Whanganui U19 Rink Hockey Team National Title</b>
Miyah Boyd	Distinction in Fashion Design
Eli Brandt	Distinction in English, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Science and Social Studies Diligence in Drama and Spanish
Zachary Bridson	Distinction in Chinese, Physical Education and Technology Materials Diligence in Physical Education and Social Studies
Kezia Brooker-Wright	Distinction in Art, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology and Physical Education Diligence in Drama, Mathematics and Social Studies
Xavier Brotherton	Distinction in Social Studies, Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology, English, Science, Spanish and Technology Materials Diligence in Drama, Making Music and Mathematics <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Social Studies</b> <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b>
Jack Brougham	Diligence in Physical Education
Angus Buchanan	Distinction in Digital Technology Diligence in Spanish and Food & Nutrition
Leah Bullock	Distinction in Dance and English Diligence in Drama, Food & Nutrition, French and Physical Education
Levi Bunn	Diligence in Technology Materials
Owen Bunn	Distinction in Digital Technology, Science and Technology Materials Diligence in English and Physical Education

Sophie Burgess	Diligence in Dance and Mathematics
Jordan Calver	Distinction in Physical Education
Hannah Cameron	Distinction in Art and Technology Materials Diligence in Social Studies and Spanish <b>Faculty Prize for Technology</b> <b>WHS Trophy for Girls' Cross Country</b> <b>Excellence Certificate – 1<sup>st</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Mixed Junior Relay</b>
Olivia Campbell	Distinction in Dance, Digital Technology, Drama, English, Fashion Design, French, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies <b>WHS Principal's Cup for Year 10 Speech – Girls</b> <b>WHS Principal's Cup for Excellence in English</b> <b>WHS Nulake Cup for Mathematics</b> <b>WHS Principal's Cup for Debating</b> <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b>
Phoenix Campbell	Distinction in English, Making Music and Social Studies Diligence in Digital Technology, Mathematics, Music, Science, Te Reo Māori and Technology Materials <b>WHS Junior Boys' Basketball Cup for Most Improved Player</b> <b>WHS Junior Boys' Softball Cup for Best All-Round Player (joint winner)</b>
Mackenzie Carter	Distinction in French, Spanish, Art, English, Digital Technology, Social Studies and Food & Nutrition <b>Titus Cup for Excellence in French</b>
Quillan Carter	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in Mathematics
Kesaia Caucau	Diligence in Digital Technology
Kyla Chant	Diligence in Art, Mathematics, Social Studies and Spanish
Cullen Clark	Diligence in Physical Education and Spanish
Maja Clausen	Diligence in Art, English, French and Physical Education
Peyton Collins	Diligence in Digital Technology and Mathematics
Kassidy Compton	Distinction in Digital Technology and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Art, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and Spanish
Seth Coneybeer	Distinction in Music
Mackenzie Cook	Distinction in Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Digital Technology and Food & Nutrition Diligence in Dance and Fashion Design <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b>
Xavier Couchman	Diligence in Art and Social Studies

Takuya Coveny	Diligence in Dance, Social Studies and Te Reo Māori
Isobel Craig	Diligence in Science
Ari Cromar	Distinction in Making Music, Physical Education and Technology Materials Diligence in Chinese and Digital Technology
India Crook	Distinction in Music, Science and Spanish Diligence in Social Studies
Solomon Crosse	Distinction in Technology Materials Diligence in Art and Chinese
Polly Davidson	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in Dance
Jake Davy	Diligence in French and Science
Britny Dennan	Diligence in Making Music
Athena Depusoy	Distinction in International English Language and Mathematics Diligence in Chinese, English, Food & Nutrition and Science
Te Awa Kairangi Dixon- Carroll	Diligence in Music
Wynita Doull	Distinction in Te Reo Māori Diligence in Physical Education and Social Studies
Jack Dromgool	Diligence in Mathematics and Social Studies
Myiah Dudson	Distinction in Social Studies Diligence in English, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics and Science
Annabel Dwyer	Distinction in Drama and Science Diligence in English, Mathematics, Social Studies and Spanish
Rylee Earles	Distinction in Art and Fashion Design Diligence in Spanish, Mathematics and Social Studies <b>Moana Clothing Cup for Excellence in Junior Textiles Technology</b>
Connor Ellicott	Distinction in Chinese, English, Music, Science and Digital Technology Diligence in Mathematics
Jakob Falkner	Distinction in Food & Nutrition Diligence in Art
Lyla Field	Diligence in Dance, English and Food & Nutrition
Kahukura Findlay	Distinction in English, Mathematics, Science and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Art, Food & Nutrition, Music and Social Studies
Kayla Flynn	Diligence in Spanish

Sean Frieslaar	Distinction in Physical Education and Science Diligence in Art and Social Studies <b>Michael Silk Trophy for Junior Boys' Cross Country</b>
Demi Fu	Distinction in Art, Design & Visual Communication, Mathematics and Social Studies Diligence in Digital Technology
Tumanako Gardiner-Tamou	Diligence in Te Reo Māori
Olivia Garrett	Diligence in Drama and Music
Tyler Gascoigne	Diligence in Drama
Keisha Goff	Diligence in Physical Education and Te Reo Māori
Ayiesha Golpe	Distinction in Chinese
Lukas Grübsch	Distinction in Science Diligence in Social Studies
Mahalla Hague-Davis	Distinction in Drama, English, Spanish, Physical Education and Social Studies Diligence in Mathematics and Science <b>Excellence Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Wynne Costley Essay Competition (joint)</b>
Phoebe Hales	Diligence in Digital Technology, Drama and Physical Education
Carter Hallett	Distinction in Design & Visual Communication and Digital Technology Diligence in Art, English, Food & Nutrition, Making Music, Mathematics, Music and Science <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Junior Design &amp; Visual Communication</b> <b>Te Huna Cup for the Most Outstanding Player in Junior Boys' Volleyball</b>
Toby Hamling	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in Physical Education
Jordan Hatfull	Distinction in Social Studies Diligence in Art, Mathematics, Dance and Science
Dante Havenga	Diligence in Making Music and Mathematics
Ryan Heap	Diligence in Art, Digital Technology, Making Music, Science and Social Studies
Livi Heerdegen	Distinction in Dance Diligence in Mathematics
Jennifer Heng	Distinction in Spanish, Mathematics, Digital Technology and Physical Education Diligence in Dance, Drama and Science <b>Merit Certificate for Y10 House Spirit – Whenua</b>
Alexus Hill	Distinction in Art and Spanish Diligence in Food & Nutrition, Music, Science and Social Studies

Trinity Hillman-Haley	Diligence in English, Science and Social Studies
Te Rahuika Hina	Distinction in Te Reo Māori Diligence in Chinese, Mathematics and Physical Education <b>WHS Junior Boys' Softball Cup for Best All-Round Player (joint winner)</b>
Kaylin Hoang	Distinction in Art and Mathematics Diligence in Chinese, Spanish, English, Science, Social Studies, Design & Visual Communication and Fashion Design
Asher Hodson	Distinction in Art and Spanish Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, English, Music and Science
Connell Horne	Diligence in Physical Education
Jessie Howells	Distinction in Chinese, Digital Technology, Drama, Physical Education and Science Diligence in Art, English, Physical Education and Social Studies <b>Confucius Prize for Chinese</b>
Jacob Huang	Distinction in English, Music, Science, Social Studies and L1 Cambridge Mathematics Diligence in Spanish and Food & Nutrition <b>WHS Principal's Prize for Excellence in Higher Mathematics</b>
Jolie Hughes	Distinction in Art, Spanish and Social Studies Diligence in Science, Drama, Physical Education, Digital Technology and Design & Visual Communication
Ruby Hughes	Distinction in Social Studies Diligence in Mathematics, Music and Te Reo Māori
Hunter Jackson	Diligence in Chinese, Mathematics and Food & Nutrition
Skylah-Marie Jane-Peipi	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in Art, Design & Visual Communication and Food & Nutrition
Sophia Jansa	Distinction in Spanish, L1 English and L1 Science Diligence in Drama
Leodin Joblin-Mills	Distinction in Chinese, Digital Technology, English, Food & Nutrition and Science Diligence in Mathematics and Physical Education
Penny Jones	Distinction in Science Diligence in Chinese
Keegan Jordan-Johnson	Diligence in Technology Materials
Gouravi Joshika	Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, English, Mathematics, Science and Spanish

Drian Joubert	Diligence in Music and Technology Materials <b>Don Gill Memorial Shield for Most Promising Fast Bowler in Junior Cricket</b>
Jorja Judd	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in English
Jada Jukes	Distinction in Drama, English, French, Science, Social Studies and Digital Technology Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Fashion Design and Mathematics <b>Wynne Trophy for Most Improved Debater</b> <b>Excellence Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Wynne Costley Essay Competition (joint)</b>
Eilish Kempthorne	Diligence in Dance, English, Physical Education and Spanish
Ian Kim	Distinction in English and Science Diligence in Mathematics, Social Studies and Spanish
Haizley Koro	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Te Reo Māori
Tiara Koroheke	Diligence in Social Studies, English and Te Reo Māori
Heinrich Kramer	Distinction in Digital Technology and Technology Materials Diligence in Art, Chinese, Drama, Making Music, Science and Social Studies
Aahish Kumar	Diligence in Art and Design & Visual Communication
Yuqing Lai	Distinction in Mathematics, Physical Education and Science Diligence in Fashion Design and Spanish
Haylie Lam	Diligence in Art, Digital Technology, Drama, English, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies
Heidi Lane	Diligence in Fashion Design
Dustin Leather	Distinction in Science Diligence in Digital Technology
Jean Leggett	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Mathematics
Arne Leiva Benegas	Distinction in Music, French, Science, Digital Technology, Spanish and L1 Spanish Diligence in Social Studies <b>WHS Cup for Contribution to School Music in Year 9 &amp; 10</b>
Liam Lennox	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in Design & Visual Communication and Physical Education
Aysha Lethbridge	Distinction in Food & Nutrition Diligence in Art and Spanish
Lacy Lewis	Diligence in Digital Technology and Social Studies

Emma Leyden	Distinction in French, Mathematics, Physical Education, Science and Social Studies Diligence in Art, Fashion Design and Food & Nutrition
Michael Lister	Distinction in Art, Digital Technology, Drama, English, Fashion Design, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies Diligence in Physical Education <b>WHS Diana Pottinger Cup for Visual Art</b> <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Junior Drama (joint winner)</b> <b>De Zoysa Trophy for Most Outstanding Cultural Contribution to the School (joint winner)</b> <b>Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award</b>
Aleah Loft-Angel	Distinction in Art and Digital Technology Diligence in English, Science and Spanish
Georgia Love	Distinction in Mathematics and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Food & Nutrition
Annah Lyne	Diligence in French and Science
Elly Mackie	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Dance
Angela Malili-Malo-Lauano	Diligence in English, Physical Education, Social Studies and Te Reo Māori
Te Manawanui Marks-George	Distinction in Te Reo Māori Diligence in Art, Music, Science and Spanish
Johnathan Marsh	Diligence in Physical Education and Spanish
Te Awatea Mason	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Spanish
Charlie McBride	Distinction in Science, Spanish, Digital Technology, Social Studies, Technology Materials and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Art, Mathematics and Physical Education <b>Gibson Cup for Science</b> <b>Hurtado Cup for Excellence in Spanish (joint winner)</b> <b>Merit Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 400m Junior Boys' Timed Relay</b> <b>Excellence Certificate – 1<sup>st</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Mixed Junior Relay</b>
Patrick McCartie	Distinction in Making Music Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology, Physical Education and Technology Materials
Emmy McCook-Oakden	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in Technology Materials
Liam McCosh	Distinction in Digital Technology and Spanish Diligence in English, Science, Social Studies and Technology Materials



Cora McGillivray	Diligence in Digital Technology, French, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and English
Kaydee McGrath	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in English, Making Music, Mathematics, Music, Social Studies, Technology Materials and Design & Visual Communication
Bruce McGregor	Distinction in Chinese, French, Making Music, Physical Education, L1 English, L1 Science and L1 Cambridge Mathematics <b>WHS Principal's Cup for Year 10 Speech – Boys</b> <b>WHS Cup for the Most Outstanding Batsman in Junior Cricket</b> <b>Maguire Trophy for the Best All-Round Cricketer - Junior Boys</b> <b>Shane Scott Trophy for the Most Promising Junior in Rugby</b> <b>Coker Cup for Excellence in Year 10 Boys' Sport</b> <b>Merit Certificate – 3<sup>rd</sup> in the NZSS 100m Junior Hurdles</b> <b>Merit Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 400m Junior Boys' Timed Relay</b> <b>Excellence Certificate – 1<sup>st</sup> in the NZSS 300m Junior Hurdles</b>
Sophie McKeown	Diligence in Spanish
Lela McKnight	Diligence in Dance, Spanish and Technology Materials
Finn Middleton	Distinction in Social Studies Diligence in Digital Technology and Technology Materials
Sophie Middleton	Distinction in Art, Making Music and Physical Education Diligence in Digital Technology and Mathematics
Tessa Mosen	Diligence in Mathematics and Social Studies
Lachlan Natusch	Diligence in Art
Sophie Nevard	Diligence in Art
Moana Newland	Distinction in Food & Nutrition, Physical Education and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Art, Chinese, Mathematics and Design & Visual Communication <b>Waione Cup for the Best Junior in Girls' Rugby</b>
Lily Newton	Distinction in Drama Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, French, Science and Social Studies
Brylee Nicholson	Diligence in Dance, Food & Nutrition and Science
Celaya Niutao	Diligence in Science, Social Studies and Spanish
DJ O'Brien	Distinction in Food & Nutrition Diligence in Music, Science and Spanish <b>Jackson Trophy for Service to Junior Girls' Hockey</b>
Lachlan O'Leary	Diligence in Spanish

Mia Oberholzer	Diligence in English, Spanish, Mathematics, Social Studies, Fashion Design and Digital Technology
Alena Osborne	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in Art, Mathematics, Physical Education and Social Studies
Ella Papworth	Distinction in Dance, English, Food & Nutrition and Social Studies Diligence in Art, Chinese, Digital Technology, Drama, Mathematics and Physical Education
Te Rangihaeata Pauro	Diligence in Te Reo Māori, English, Making Music, Science, Social Studies and Art
Alex Payne	Diligence in Drama, Physical Education and Technology Materials <b>Karyn Parkin Memorial Trophy for Most Improved Athlete in Junior School</b> <b>Merit Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 400m Junior Boys' Timed Relay</b> <b>Excellence Certificate – 1<sup>st</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Mixed Junior Relay</b>
Lucca Penrice	Diligence in Fashion Design
Liam Penwarden	Distinction in Chinese, Science, Spanish, Mathematics, Physical Education, Digital Technology and Design & Visual Communication Diligence in Music <b>Ding Cup for Excellence in Chinese</b>
Leon Perry	Distinction in Digital Technology, English and Science Diligence in Mathematics and Spanish
Allegra Pickering	Distinction in English, Spanish, Mathematics and Social Studies Diligence in Dance, Drama and Science <b>WHS Merit Cup for Y10 House Spirit</b>
Hunter Pirere-Te Huia	Diligence in Te Reo Māori
Meadow Potaka-Osborne	Diligence in Food & Nutrition
Shaayla Prasad	Distinction in Spanish and Te Reo Māori Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology and Physical Education
Lucian Prime	Distinction in Making Music Diligence in Mathematics and Music
Rachel Pui	Diligence in French and Physical Education <b>WHS Martin Family Cup for Excellence in Junior Swimming</b>
Rhys Pullen	Diligence in Technology Materials
Miro Punzalan	Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics and Science
Gowri Rajesh	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, Digital Technology and Spanish

Alexa Rankin	Distinction in Drama Diligence in Food & Nutrition and Physical Education
Jack Reid	Diligence in Chinese
Jordan Rennett	Diligence in Mathematics and Spanish
Alexandra Rennie	Distinction in Chinese, English and Social Studies Diligence in Digital Technology, Food & Nutrition, Science and Spanish
Joshua Richardson	Diligence in Chinese, Drama, Mathematics and Physical Education <b>Merit Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Junior Boys Relay</b>
Isaac Roberts	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Chinese, Food & Nutrition, Science and Technology Materials
Taya Roberts	Distinction in French and Social Studies Diligence in Digital Technology, English, Food & Nutrition, Mathematics and Physical Education
Isabel Ross	Diligence in Chinese, English, Spanish, Digital Technology, Fashion Design and Food & Nutrition
Lucas Rowan	Diligence in English
Kaitlyn Roydhouse-Barrow	Diligence in English and Spanish
Paige-Tui Rudolph	Diligence in Spanish
Jhalayiz Sanson-Pikari	Distinction in Te Reo Māori
Dempsey Schicker	Distinction in English Diligence in French <b>WHS Simon Watson Trophy for Best Junior Rowing Crew (joint winner)</b>
Jess Scott	Diligence in Mathematics and Spanish
Tayla Scrivener	Distinction in English, Social Studies and Spanish Diligence in Mathematics
Narii Simpson	Distinction in Spanish, Art, English and Social Studies Diligence in Making Music and Science <b>Hurtado Cup for Excellence in Spanish (joint winner)</b>
Mehar Sinha	Distinction in Digital Technology, Art, Design & Visual Communication, Drama, English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and Spanish Diligence in Physical Education <b>WHS Cup for Junior Digital Technology</b>
Christian Slement	Distinction in English and Science Diligence in Drama, Music and Social Studies

Cherizay Smith-Reihana	Distinction in Dance, Mathematics, Te Reo Māori and Technology Materials Diligence in Spanish
Lucia Smith	Diligence in Art
Paige Smith	Distinction in Art Diligence in Dance, Digital Technology, Food & Nutrition and Technology Materials
Ruby Smith	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in English, Social Studies and Spanish
Vetle Sorenstua	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Science and International English Language
Devora Sorio	Distinction in Spanish, Physical Education and International English Language Diligence in Chinese, English, Food & Nutrition and Mathematics
Lucas Spink	Distinction in Art
Alice Stevens	Diligence in French, Mathematics and Science
Max Stevens	Distinction in Making Music Diligence in Chinese, Music and Science
Sienna Stroud	Diligence in Dance, English and Social Studies
Sophia Su'a	Distinction in Art, English, Fashion Design, Music, Physical Education and Spanish Diligence in Digital Technology and Science <b>WHS Cup for Best Junior Rower</b> <b>WHS Simon Watson Trophy for Best Junior Rowing Crew (joint winner)</b> <b>Merit Certificate for Y10 House Spirit - Moana</b>
Libby Summerhays	Distinction in Dance Diligence in French, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies
Spencer Sutherland	Diligence in Mathematics
Bella Swartz	Distinction in English Diligence in Spanish
Akanisi Tamaniyaga	Diligence in Digital Technology, Science, Spanish and Te Reo Māori <b>Fairhurst Bennetts Cup for the Most Outstanding Player in Junior Girls' Volleyball</b>
Solomon Taylor Thomas	Diligence in Spanish
Toa Te Huia	Diligence in Physical Education

Isabelle Teki	Distinction in Dance, Digital Technology and Mathematics Diligence in Art, Science and Spanish <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Junior Dance</b>
Rashad Teki	Distinction in Music and Social Studies Diligence in English and Mathematics
Divan Thom	Diligence in Mathematics and Music
Reiley Thomas	Distinction in Physical Education, Making Music, Technology Materials, Mathematics and Science Diligence in Design & Visual Communication, English, Music and Social Studies <b>WHS Cup for Excellence in Technology</b> <b>WHS Barnett Cup for Physical Education and Health</b> <b>Merit Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Junior Boys Relay</b>
Evie Thornton	Distinction in Spanish Diligence in Digital Technology and Social Studies
Lucas Toohill	<b>WHS Cup for the Most Valuable Player in Junior Basketball</b>
Noah Toy	Distinction in Chinese Diligence in Physical Education
Olivia Trevethick	Diligence in Chinese, Mathematics and Music
Bela Trevor-Roper	Distinction in Dance and Food & Nutrition Diligence in English, Mathematics and Spanish
Tainui Tuaine	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology, Music and Science
Kenley Tui	Diligence in Art and Drama
Cazna Vaetoru	Distinction in Te Reo Māori Diligence in Making Music and Physical Education
Cade Valentine	Diligence in Spanish
Rhylan Van Delden	Distinction in Physical Education Diligence in Science <b>WHS Cup for the Most Outstanding Junior Rugby Player</b>
Shila Verma	Diligence in Dance and Spanish
Emma Vincent	Diligence in Art, Food & Nutrition, Social Studies and Technology Materials
Luca Warner	Diligence in Art, Digital Technology and French
Dahjche Watana-Harrison	Diligence in Social Studies

Jaxon Watty	Diligence in Physical Education, Spanish and Technology Materials
Eli Webber-Kelly	Diligence in Digital Technology, English, French, Mathematics and Science
Ethan Wells	Distinction in Chinese, Digital Technology, Food & Nutrition and Physical Education Diligence in Science and Social Studies <b>Trevor Lockett Memorial Rosebowl for Junior Boys' Athletics</b> <b>Merit Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 100m Junior Boys Relay</b> <b>Merit Certificate – 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NZSS 4 x 400m Junior Boys' Timed Relay</b>
Simon Whyte	Diligence in English
Campbell Wilkins	Distinction in Art, Drama and English Diligence in French and Music
Ruby Williamson	Distinction in Social Studies Diligence in Digital Technology, English, Fashion Design and Food & Nutrition
Jett Wilson	Diligence in Chinese, Digital Technology, Social Studies and Spanish
Abbey Wilton	Diligence in English and Mathematics
Alice Yuen	Distinction in Mathematics, Physical Education and International English Language Diligence in Art, English, Music, Science and Social Studies
Pepper Zhang	Distinction in Mathematics Diligence in Chinese, English and Social Studies

# **WHS LIFE HONOURS AWARDS**

## **YEAR 9**

Olivia Back	Valyn Hall	Annabel Muir
Bhavika Bajaj	Luke Hawker	Cyllus Ngamu
Zoe Baskett	Tyler Herkes	Ayush Rampersadh
Mason Belk	Corey Higgins	Finlay Rhodes
Grace Brignall	Noah Hill	Germaine Rust
Jacob Bruning	Chelsie Howe	Timothy Smith
Jake Buxton	Jahna Irving	Banita-Jade Snowden
Devin Check	Ivy Kenny	Dubialyn Sorio
Mey I Chreang	Sophia Kerwin	Millie Sturzaker
Moriah Clark	Zydane Kililit	George Taylor
Annazaya Clarke	Aria Kilmister	Grace Taylor
Corbyn Compton	Lydia Kong	Katlyn Terrill
Nathan Cook	Mayumi Lagahid	Mila Thoms
Olive Coombs	Angel Landon-Lane	Anya Thorpe-Sergent
Hannah Cunningham	Xyrist Laughlin	Shanae Tims
Jonty Davies	Piper Loft-Angel	Darcie Trevor-Roper
Ryleigh Dorricott	Leo Mackintosh	Milly Vivian
Lucy Drake	Angira Malik	Nate Ward Collins
Zak Easton	Izabella Malou	Bhakthi Wickramanayake
Sage Edwardson-Smith	Te Maire Mansell	Aria Wilson-Johnson
Makayla Floyd	Amy Manu	Conrad Woods
Korbin Gabbott	Bronwyn McLean	Eddie Wright
Annika Garner	Eli McLeay	Toby Young

## YEAR 10

Ryder Ahern-Grant	Ryan Heap	Lily Newton
Chloe Andrews	Livi Heerdegen	Alex Payne
Lily Andrews	Jennifer Heng	Liam Penwarden
Isabelle Bastable	Te Rahuika Hina	Mariana Pereira Araujo
Ashton Baxter	Kaylin Hoang	Allegra Pickering
Halo Bishop	Asher Hodson	Gowri Rajesh
Sophie Booth	Jessie Howells	Alexa Rankin
Miyah Boyd	Jacob Huang	Jordan Rennett
Xavier Brotherton	Sophia Jansa	Joshua Richardson
Leah Bullock	Gouravi Joshika	Isaac Roberts
Jordan Calver	Drian Joubert	Taya Roberts
Olivia Campbell	Jorja Judd	Mehar Sinha
Phoenix Campbell	Jada Jukes	Christian Slement
Mackenzie Carter	Ian Kim	Devora Sorio
Maja Clausen	Tiara Koroheke	Alice Stevens
Mackenzie Cook	Heinrich Kramer	Max Stevens
Takuya Coveny	Aahish Kumar	Sienna Stroud
India Crook	Yuqing Lai	Bella Swartz
Gustavo Henrique Da Silva	Haylie Lam	Rashad Teki
Polly Davidson	Lacy Lewis	Reiley Thomas
Athena Depusoy	Michael Lister	Bela Trevor-Roper
Wesley Diniz dos Santos	Te Manawanui Marks-George	Tainui Tuaine
Joyce dos Santos Felisberto	Charlie McBride	Shila Verma
Myiah Dudson	Patrick McCartie	Luca Warner
Kahukura Findlay	Liam McCosh	Eli Webber-Kelly
Sean Frieslaar	Kaydee McGrath	Campbell Wilkins
Demi Fu	Sophie McKeown	Jett Wilson
Ryan Goncalves da Silva	Sophie Middleton	Alice Yuen
Mahalla Hague-Davis	Sophie Nevard	
Carter Hallett	Moana Newland	



# **THE PRINCIPAL'S ACADEMIC AWARDS**

## **YEAR 9**

Carmen Armstrong	Lydia Kong
Danya Booth	Amy Manu
Grace Brignall	Germaine Rust
Moriah Clark	Julie Stoop
Olive Coombs	Grace Taylor
Ryleigh Dorricott	Darcie Trevor-Roper
Korbin Gabbott	Nate Ward Collins

## **YEAR 10**

Eli Brandt	Michael Lister
Xavier Brotherton	Charlie McBride
Olivia Campbell	Bruce McGregor
Mackenzie Carter	Liam Penwarden
Jada Jukes	Mehar Sinha
Arne Leiva Benegas	Sophia Su'a

# **BEST ALL ROUND STUDENTS**

## **YEAR 9**

Olive Coombs	Nate Ward Collins
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## **YEAR 10**

Olivia Campbell	Michael Lister
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# **AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL ANTHEM**

E Ihoa Atua  
O nga iwi matou ra  
Ata whakarongona  
Me aroha noa

Kia hua ko te pai  
Kia tau to atawhai  
Manaakitia mai  
Aotearoa

God of nations at thy feet  
In the bonds of love we meet  
Hear our voices we entreat  
God defend our free land.

Guard Pacific's triple star  
From the shafts of strife and war  
Make her praises heard afar  
God defend New Zealand

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