

Dear Parents,

Students from **St Thomas More's** achieved outstanding results when they participated in ICAS this year 2018. The skills-based assessment program recognises and rewards student achievement in the subject areas of Digital Technologies, English, Mathematics, Science, Spelling and Writing. Students whose achievements were outstanding were rewarded with Certificates of Merit, Credit, Distinction and High Distinction. Over one million student entries are accepted from over 6,300 schools in Australia and New Zealand annually. In addition, students from over 20 countries including Hong Kong, India, Malaysia, Singapore, South Africa and the USA participate in ICAS each year.

Denise Morgan (co-ordinator)

Awards and Recognition

In addition to a Student Report, each student that participates receives a Certificate which is awarded on the following basis:

Award	For each year level in each state or country
High Distinction Certificate	the top 1% of participants
Distinction Certificate	the next 10% of participants
Credit Certificate	the next 25% of participants
Merit Certificate	the next 10% of participants
Participation Certificate	for all remaining participants

The following students were awarded the following certificates:

Digital Technologies

James Grant	Grade 5 Credit
Ava Pankiw	Grade 5 Credit
Thomas Fryett	Grade 6 Credit
Samuel Lehner	Grade 6 Distinction
Khalen Matthews	Grade 6 Merit
Jackson Rockcliffe	Grade 6 Distinction
William Barns	Grade 6 Credit

Science

Heidi Slater	Grade 3 Credit
Lucas Jarman	Grade 4 Credit
Jessica Lehner	Grade 4 Credit
Isaac Pietsch	Grade 4 Merit
Ella Manshanden	Grade 5 Credit
Ava Pankiw	Grade 5 Merit
Hervee Sullivan-Arkless	Grade 5 Distinction
William Barns	Grade 6 Merit
Thomas Chambers	Grade 6 Credit
Thomas Fryett	Grade 6 Credit
Samuel Lehner	Grade 6 Credit
Ella Webber	Grade 6 Distinction

Writing

Lillian Barns	Grade 4 Credit
Emiy Crisp	Grade 4 Credit
Lucas Jarman	Grade 4 Credit
Jessica Lehner	Grade 4 Credit
Nieve Smith	Grade 4 Credit
Hervee Sullivan-Arkless	Grade 5 Distinction
Ava Pankiw	Grade 5 Merit
William Barns	Grade 6 Distinction
Jackson Rockcliffe	Grade 6 Credit

Spelling

Heidi Slater	Grade 3 Credit
Lillian Barns	Grade 4 Credit
Jessica Lehner	Grade 4 Merit
Nieve Smith	Grade 4 Merit
William Barns	Grade 6 Distinction
Samuel Lehner	Grade 6 Merit
Jackson Rockcliffe	Grade 6 Credit

Mathematics

Alexandra Pietsch	Grade 3 Merit
Lillian Barns	Grade 4 Credit
Jessica Lehner	Grade 4 Credit
Fraser Mackenzie	Grade 4 Merit
Hamish Eade	Grade 5 Credit
Ella Manshaden	Grade 5 Credit
William Barns	Grade 6 Credit
Thomas Chambers	Grade 6 Merit
Thomas Fryett	Grade 6 Distinction
Samuel Lehner	Grade 6 Merit
Ella Webber	Grade 6 Credit

English

Charlotte Clayton	Grade 3 Credit
Heidi Slater	Grade 3 Merit
Emily Crisp	Grade 4 Credit
Jessica Lehner	Grade 4 Credit
Molly Nolan	Grade 4 Credit
Hervee Sullivan-Arkless	Grade 5 Higher Distinction
Isabel Amaya	Grade 6 Credit
William Barns	Grade 6 Credit
Thomas Fryett	Grade 6 Distinction
Jackson Rockcliffe	Grade 6 Credit
Ella Webber	Grade 6 Credit