



ST AUGUSTINE'S
COLLEGE - SYDNEY

Congratulations to our
2025 Augustinian Graduates

A message from the Principal

St Augustine's College has a proud tradition as a comprehensive Catholic boys' school where every young man is supported to pursue personal excellence. The Class of 2025 has embodied this tradition with humility, determination and a genuine sense of purpose. Their achievements across academic, creative, performing and co-curricular domains speak to their effort, their character, and their understanding that success comes from challenging oneself rather than competing with others.

The 2025 cohort achieved the highest percentage of Band 5 and 6 results in our academic history, with 66% of all results falling within these top bands. 35% of students attained an ATAR of 90 or above, and 60% achieved an ATAR over 80. Several graduates were also recognised on the NSW Premier's All-Round Achievers List for attaining at least ten units of Band 6 or E4 results, an exceptional accomplishment.

Our students also excelled in the HSC Showcase nominations, with the highest number of submissions in Drama and technology-based subjects to date. Remarkably, 100% of our Drama cohort was nominated for OnSTAGE, highlighting the depth of creativity within this group of young men.

Importantly, our success was not confined to a narrow group of subjects. The College ranked among the top schools in the state across a wide academic spectrum, including Engineering Studies, Ancient History, Mathematics Standard, Investigating Science, Economics, Mathematics Advanced/Extension and English Advanced/Extension. These results, achieved among more than 800 schools across NSW (including selective and scholarship-based institutions), reflect the expertise and commitment of our staff, and the hard work of our students.

We are equally proud of the character our graduates displayed throughout their final year. In a period of significant community challenges, they continued to demonstrate the qualities we aspire to cultivate in every Augustinian graduate: humility, trust, self-reflection and a restless search for improvement.

I extend my sincere thanks to the parents, families and teachers who walked beside these young men. The partnership between home and school remains central to our mission, and the achievements of this cohort are shared by all who supported them.

Jonathan Byrne
Principal



6th

**Ranked Catholic
Boys School**

NSW State Ranking



71st

**Ranked
School**

NSW State Ranking



98.80

**Top
ATAR**

Ethan Hilton




235

Mentions on the
**NSW Distinguished
Achievers List**

Top Achievers

DUX
98.80



Ethan Hilton

ALL ROUNDER

PROXIME ACCESSIT
98.75



Rhys Thomas

ALL ROUNDER



Nicholas Christou

7TH IN STATE IN MATHEMATICS
ADVANCED



Zane Carter

ALL ROUNDER



Caleb Conners

ALL ROUNDER



Orlando Grinbergs

ALL ROUNDER



Maximillian Hart

ALL ROUNDER




Finn Potts

ALL ROUNDER



Jacob Saady

ALL ROUNDER



Gianluca Seminara

ALL ROUNDER

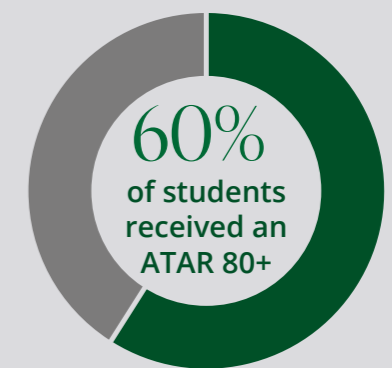
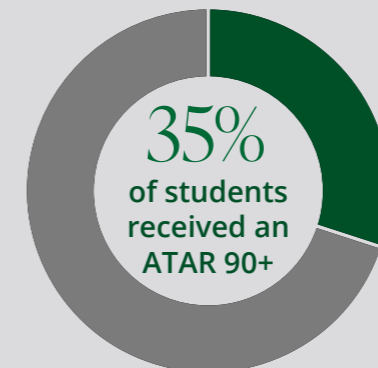
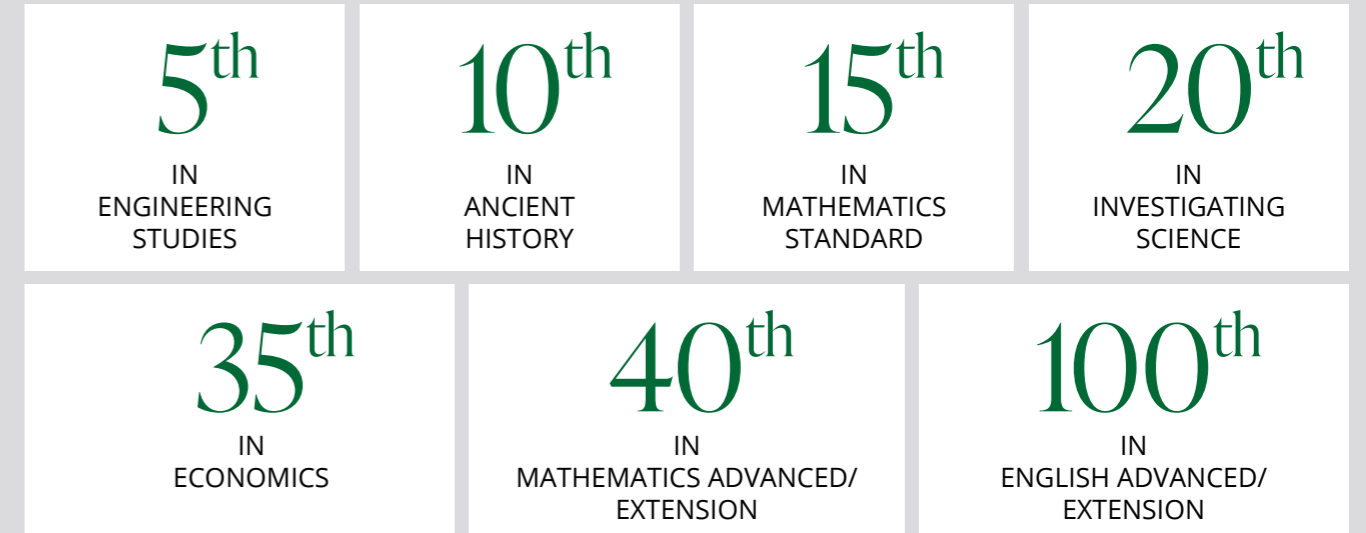


Oscar Waring

ALL ROUNDER

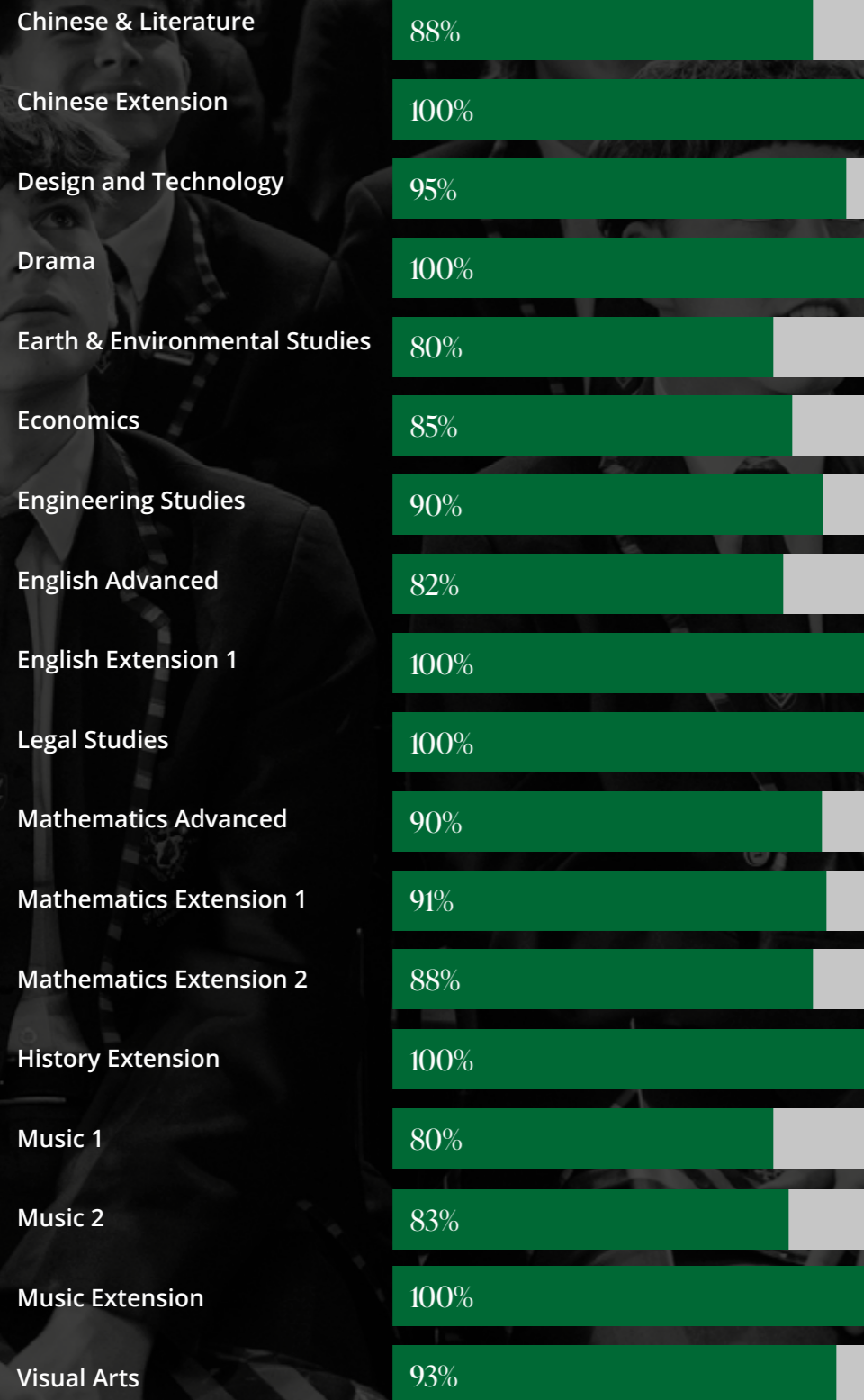
College HSC Subject Rankings

Exceptional Results out of 800+ NSW Schools



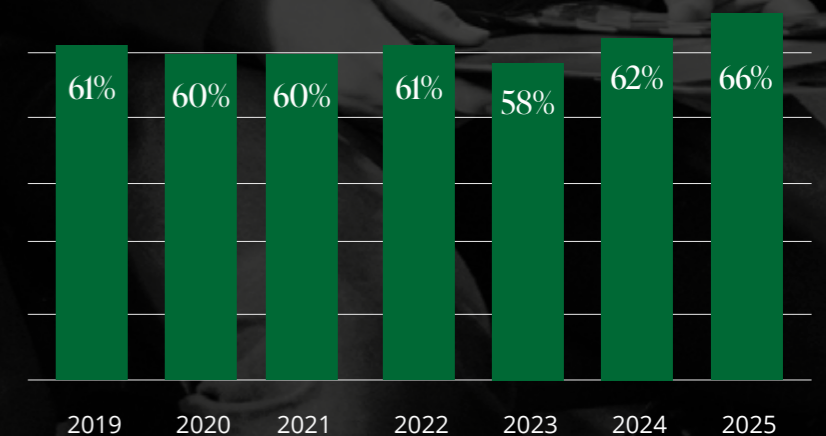
Diversity of Success

Courses achieving significant overall Band 6 and Band 5 Results



Academically Strong

Results that are competitive with the very best schools in NSW, % of Band 5 and Band 6 results



HSC Showcase

The HSC Showcase is an exhibition of exemplary Individual and Group Performance or Projects from the Higher School Certificate

Drama OnSTAGE Nominations

INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE

Samuel Crowley
Liam Haines
James Livingstone
Henry Lucius
Otis O'Neill
Hartley Russell
Rhys Thomas

GROUP PERFORMANCE

Taiyu-Michael Chen
Samuel Crowley
Tyler Gaunt
Hugo Hawkins
Toby Hodgson
Henry Lucius

GROUP PERFORMANCE

Liam Haines
James Livingstone
Otis O'Neill
Hartley Russell
Rhys Thomas

INDIVIDUAL PROJECT

Taiyu-Michael Chen

Design and Technology SHAPE Nominations

Angus Laird
Oscar Waring

Industrial Technology SHAPE Nominations

Caleb Conners
Cooper Fenn
Noah Miller

Music ENCORE Nominations

INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE

Jackson Quarrell
Cameron Tizzard
Luke Varde

Visual Arts ARTEXPRESS Selections

Taiyu-Michael Chen
Oscar Waring

Out Front Exhibition Selection

Alessio Albanese

Sport Highlights

ISA Rugby Premiers

First XV, 2nd XV, 5th XV, 6th XV

MWFA Football Premiers

18/1's

ISA Basketball Premiers

First V

CIS/ISA Touch Football Premiers

Senior A team

ISA Cricket Premiers

2nd XI

Cricket Downie Shield Finalists

First XI

1 x Australian Cricket U19's Representative

Julian Osbourne

1 x Australian Hockey Representative

Finlay Morris

1 x Australian U18 Rugby Union Representative

Chayse Geros

1 x Australian Schoolboys Rugby Union Representative

Noah Rylands

1 x Australian Sailing Representative

Louis Tilly

2 x NSW Athletics Representatives

Cameron Tizzard
Samuel Hildebrandt

1 x NSW CIS Basketball Representative

Hugh Lucas

1 x NSW CIS Cricket Representative

Caleb Conners

1 x NSW CIS Rugby League Representative

Chayse Geros

6 x NSW Rugby Union Representatives

Beau Alexander
Chayse Geros
Oliver Metcalf
Ewan Coates
Casey Bray
Noah Rylands

1 x NSW CIS Touch Football Representative

Chayse Geros

Annual Awards

Senior Actor of the Year

Otis O'Neill

Senior Musician of the Year

Luke Varde

Principal's Recognition for Outstanding Contribution to Drama

Samuel Crowley
Hartley Russell

Senior Debater of the Year

William Curzon

Captain of Athletics

Cameron Tizzard
Samuel Hildebrandt

Senior Basketball Player of the Year

Finn Potts

Senior Cricket Player of the Year

Alfie Gatehouse

Senior Football Player of the Year

Taj Ballesty

Senior Rower of the Year

William Pender

Senior Rugby Player of the Year

Chayse Geros

Senior Tennis Player of the Year

Andy Wang

Senior Water Polo Player of the Year

Aiden Hibbert



Class of 2025 Award Winners



Fr David Austin OSA Trophy Archie Isherwood

This trophy is awarded to a student based on pastoral care and contribution to the College and wider community life. Fr David was Rector at the College for 11 years. The Augustinian values of friendship, compassion and community were Fr David's priorities in dealing with the whole College community.



Australian Defence Force Future Innovators Award Cian Richmond

Awarded to a student who has studied courses in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM), to encourage their STEM pursuits and recognise their innovative talents.



Aggregate Cup Caleb Conners

This award is presented based on high academic achievement, conduct and sport and co-curricular. It is the oldest College award, first presented in 1957.



International Student of the Year Award Hongjin - Jame Han

This award is presented to the student who has strived for academic excellence, is involved in the College community, supportive of his fellow students, and is respected by his peers and staff alike.



John Reid Black Memorial Award Rhys Thomas

The Class of 1977, of which John was a member, initiated this award. It is presented to a student who is passionate, yet easy going, well-mannered, respected by peers and staff alike, and has shown great support to his fellow students. The recipient is of excellent character and is nominated by his peers.



International Student Award for Academic Excellence Zixu - Eddy Wang

This award is presented in recognition of academic excellence amongst our International students.



Sportsman of the Year Award Chayse Geros

To be eligible for this award a student must be outstanding in one sport, participate in a variety of school sports, assist younger students in their sporting life and provide a role model for them in the way he conducts himself on the playing field.



Community Bank Freshwater Bendigo Bank Tertiary Scholarship Jayden Kirby

Awarded to a Year 12 student, residing within the former Warringah and Manly local government areas of the Northern Beaches Council, who has demonstrated academic excellence and community involvement.



Australian Defence Force Long Tan Youth Leadership Award Caleb Conners

Formally recognises young Australian school students exhibiting the qualities of leadership, teamwork and community service.



Reuben F Scarf Award Taj Ballesty

Awarded to a Year 12 student in recognition of his consistent effort and the desire to improve. This student has been persistent, dedicated and goal oriented.

Student Leadership 2025



College Captain
Jayden Kirby



Vice Captain
Caleb Conners



Head Prefect
Samuel Crowley

A message from the Deputy Principal – Academic

Success comes in countless forms, and we are especially pleased that many of our boys achieved beyond original hopes and expectations. Their success has been achieved through their application, dedication, and hard work, with the significant support of their family. Of course, none of this success is possible without the highest quality teaching staff and we thank all the staff for their dedication and expert guidance. To the Class of 2025, we say, well done and best wishes as you launch into the world, along a road less travelled.

John Laforest
Deputy Principal - Academic





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Succeed in the eyes
of yourself not others.

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2025 Student Leaders



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