

## **Junior Girls Dux 2018**

This award is also known as the Newton Wickham CBE Scholarship of Excellence. This year's girls' junior dux came to us from Balmoral Intermediate School. She was placed in our top-stream class last year and took our accelerated course in Mathematics, sitting Level One at the end of the year. She has 34 excellence credits in NCEA Mathematics, 19 at Level One, 9 at Level Two and 6 at Level Three. Last year she was first in Year 11 Mathematics and won a certificate of excellence in German. In this prize-giving she has gained first place in 12 Calculus and certificates of excellence in Accounting & Economics, German, Global Perspectives, Science and Social Studies. She has also received the Year 10 Cup for Excellence in English and, just a few moments ago, the Old Boys' Association Cup for the Best All-Round Girl in Year 10.

The girls' junior dux for 2018 is **Rosa Jack of 10GRG**

## **Junior Boys Dux 2018**

This award is also known as the Newton Wickham CBE Scholarship of Excellence. This year's boys' junior dux came to us from Auckland Normal Intermediate School. He was placed in our top-stream class and came first overall, topping Year 11 Mathematics and receiving certificates of excellence in Technology, English, Science, Te Reo Maori and Social Studies. He also received the David Atkinson Memorial Cup for English and the JG Millar Memorial Mathematics Prize.

He is an outstanding scholar across every subject area. In his four core academic subjects he gained 100% in each. He followed this up by achieving 100% in all his options as well, which included Global Perspectives, Accounting/Economics, Maori and Music. As with Rosa, he has 34 excellence credits in NCEA Mathematics, 19 at Level One, 9 at Level Two and 6 at Level Three. In Music he has 32 excellence credits: 16 at Level One and 20 at Level Two. In total he has 70 NCEA credits, all excellence, quite remarkable for a Year 10 student.

In this prize-giving he has received awards for first place in 12 Calculus and certificates of excellence in Accounting & Economics, English, Global Perspectives, Science, Social Studies and Year 11 Music and has received the Des Cole Cup for Excellence in English and the HL Towers Prize for Mathematics.

The boys' junior dux for 2018 is **Matthew Somerville of 10ASH**