

**Mount Albert Grammar School**



**Scholars Awards  
2022**

# SCHOLAR LION AWARDS

*Scholar Lion badges are awarded the first time earned and 're-awarded' with the recipient receiving a certificate in recognition of their achievement. Students who have earned a re-award have 'r' after their name.*

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## NCEA LEVEL 1 SCHOLAR LION WINNERS 2021

### NCEA Level 1 Endorsed with Excellence

Kairo Ah Kuoi-Simich	Maahd Imran	Siena Pound
Shayyan Ali	Harry Innes	Bianca Power
Fred Allen	Lucia Jack	Pavan Prakash
Aparna Anandarajan	Luka Johnson	Zexin Ally Qiu
Stella Anderson	Leilani Kaho	Matthew Radcliffe
Kelvin Annan	Sahil Kirpalani	Sebastian Radu
Larissa Appleby	Kurtis Knowles	Bharathi Ramanathan
Natasha Armstrong	Amelia Laing	James Ray
Milly Askew	Ethan Lay	Emily Rednall
Will Batcheler	Ella-Rae Lee Sang	Hilarie Reid
Leila Belt	Daniel Lees	Luke Reid
Olivia Bennett	Nick Lees	Annaliese Richards
Maxi Bevacqua-Kimi	Eiffel Lim	Nahlah Ridwan
Jackson Boswell	Jess Lord	Stella Roberts
Justin Brendolise	Aimee Loveday	James Robertshaw
Emma Brunton	Yani Luo	Lizzy Robins
Louis Bulman	Ollie Lynas	Emily Russell
William Butterworth	Lizzie Lyon	Felix Schollum
Willem Cahill-Chiaroni	Tyler Mackie	Ethan Schultz
Jacob Cameron	Farwa Mahmood	Ayush Sharma
Kobe-Ray Cameron	JR Mangkit	Ribhav Sharma
Kade Cartwright	Jay McElwee	Sanuj Sharma
Waimanu Clarken	Miles McFarland	Vibhaa Sharma
Milly Clegg	Anna McGowan	Madeleine Shaw
Harris Clow	Isla McLeay	Vedant Sheth
Tasman Covic	Alistair McManus	Daniel Simpson
Connor Craig	Coco-Sabine Meikle	Hashmita Singh
Reuben Cumberpatch	Jade Middleton	Mridul Singh
Josie De Monchy	Beth Miller	Georgia Smith
Ebbasa Debele	Sonal Mistry	Heather Smith
Hokioramai Dunn	Nelson Mitchell	Liam Spencer
Inara Dutta	Taiarahia Moataane-Mika	Abby Spring
Luke Eagles-Smith	Eva Moody	Hannah Stevens
Ella Edwards	Emily Morgan	Mila Stewart
Jamie Eickhoff	Sylvie Morrison	Max Stiven
Hannah Ellis-Ducobu	Amber Moss	Traya Sukha
Orion Elward	Hannah Moy	Asher Suri
Mattis Elwarth	Eva Moyle	Oliver Tang
Olivia Emirali	Ashleigh Muir	Chloe Targett
Lucca Everard	Keira Mulgrew	Kate Tearle
Jaimee Faioso	Emma Nash	Eve Thompson
Zainab Faqeeri	To Uyen Tam Nguyen	Tito Tipi
Ciara Fell	Lexi O'Connor	Kaloni Tovo
Nishika Fernando	India O'Neill	Maya Vince
Tabitha Freeman	Isabella Olliver	Vanya Viridi
Josie Gaoa	Stella Page	Hita Viswanathan
Ella Graves	Ridha Parkar	Lauren Vuetilovoni
Seb Harris	Charlotte Parore	Jules Webb
Vita Hicks	Chrish Patel	Annemarie Wen
Baxter Hilson	Dev Patel	Xanthe Werder
Emil Hinchliff	Ohm Patel	Jude Wilson
Belle Horan	Shrey Patel	Stuart Wong
Celestine Howard	Isla Paul	Jacob Woodall
Felix Hulls	Declan Paxton	Helen Zeng
Aoba Ikushima	Eva Persson	
Thomas Iles	Ruth Peterson	

# NCEA LEVEL 2 SCHOLAR LION WINNERS 2021

## NCEA Level 2 Endorsed with Excellence

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Amaan Aab Khan	Amelia Gladding (r)	Aryan Nigudkar (r)
Hart Adriano	Fatma Golzarpour	Madison Oliver (r)
Kaemon Ah Kuoi-Simich (r)	Lily Gracie (r)	Amelia Orr (r)
Kian Ah-Sue	Caitlin Graham (r)	Maanav Parikh (r)
Sonia Airehrour (r)	Maia Gregory (r)	Aastha Patel (r)
Thomas Aish (r)	Lara Grozev (r)	Dhruv Patel (r)
Amir Anany (r)	Kate Grubi	Eashan Patel (r)
Ali Arabi (r)	Lily Hansen	Praful Patel (r)
Sepehr Asgari (r)	Lily Hardy (r)	Alisbakhnam Pathan
Sai Ashamgari (r)	Pip Hawksworth (r)	Philip Paxie (r)
Hiro Austen	Lucy Henshaw (r)	Ajith Penmatsa (r)
Liam Baber (r)	Lucy Hocquard (r)	Jade Perry
Alexandra Barker (r)	Mihimere Hope	Anna Petrukhina
Zara Baxter	Alex Horst (r)	Dylan Pollock
Rishita Bharani (r)	Bella Houghton	Reuben Preston
Arnav Bhatiani (r)	Jacob Howarth (r)	Leilani Puletiuatoa (r)
Olivia Bindon (r)	Nathan Hrstic (r)	Aquila Pullen (r)
Sophie Bowden (r)	Marnie Inkpen	Sachith Ranathunga (r)
Hannah Brook	Kiho Chloe Irie	Alyssa Reburiano (r)
Natalie Brook (r)	Luqman Ismail	Sam Ritchie (r)
Nick Bryan	Puwachi Jaewtrakul (r)	Hunter Roberts (r)
Muhammad Budi (r)	Luka Jeremic	Elena Robison (r)
Ruby Burge (r)	Claire Jiang (r)	Aleisha Roulston (r)
Paris Campbell (r)	Devendra Johnston (r)	Ayush Saha (r)
Liu Shirley Cao (r)	Kahu Jones (r)	Elise Sharp (r)
Mia Cato (r)	Hannah Jordan (r)	Owen Shaw (r)
Molly Cavanagh (r)	Gabriel Kan	Jude Sheehan (r)
Venus Chandra (r)	Nyra Kanwar (r)	Misha Simpson (r)
Rachel Charles (r)	Greeshma Kasuganti (r)	Ben Skelton
Ethan Chester (r)	Kevin Kim (r)	Emily Skinner (r)
Tiara Chettiar (r)	Sriharish Kotte	Sofia Skinner (r)
Manas Chigurukota (r)	Bella Krikorian (r)	Madison Smith
Isaac Chisholm (r)	Waejen Kwan (r)	Jacob Solomon (r)
Josh Chote	Yasmin Lakeman (r)	Jackson Somerville
Gabryel Clark	Jessica Lal	Richel Song
Louise Clarke (r)	Narin Lane (r)	Jorja Stevens (r)
Anatol Coen	Matisse Vienna Laskey (r)	Nico Stroud
Emma Cook (r)	Rhylan Lee	Ella Sutton
George Cooper (r)	Tabea Leonhardt (r)	Lukasz Swain (r)
Samuel Cooper	Nicholas Levy (r)	Christopher Sykes (r)
Pipiana Coventon (r)	Alan Li (r)	Ella Sykes (r)
Lorielle Cowley (r)	Esta Lightbourn (r)	Al Tahir (r)
Lauren Cudmore (r)	Chengyi Bill Liu	Lucy Taylor (r)
Hannah Culley (r)	Ella Lord (r)	Sam Tebbutt (r)
Max Cumberpatch (r)	Mikayla Love	Nicky Tian
Myer Cuthbert (r)	Charlie Lucas	Bree Tipene
Maja Da Costa (r)	Miles Makino-Torrington	Paige Tyson-Taylor (r)
Sharnia Dahya (r)	Lucy Makinson (r)	Lukas Van Aken (r)
Max Davison (r)	Sam Mandeno-Clay (r)	David Vincent
Finn de Lange (r)	Chieri Masu	Olivia Wakelin (r)
Billie Diprose (r)	Molly McGowan (r)	Maddy Walker (r)
Wesley Donald (r)	Fergus McLeay	Pippa Wason
Dylan Drever	Pavi Menon (r)	Matthew Waugh
Tala Dwyer	Theo Middleton (r)	Rena Weatherall (r)
Husnia Ebrahim (r)	Jack Millar (r)	Helen Wen (r)
Naomi Emslie (r)	Priyam Mistry (r)	Zoe Whaley (r)
Thomas Fairweather (r)	Ben Mitchell (r)	Bryn Williams (r)
Joshua Feng	Paige Moffat (r)	Taine Wilson
Chloe Fernley (r)	Stefan Moon (r)	Callum Wishart (r)
Alexander Fitzpatrick (r)	Nikora Morehu (r)	Vivienne Hei Man Wong (r)
Alonso Fitzpatrick (r)	Poppy Morris (r)	Daniel Wood (r)
Oliver Fox (r)	Shona Nakano (r)	Stella Rose Woodman
Jack Frear (r)	Minh Hoang Josh Nguyen (r)	Mandy Zhang (r)
Matheus Geronasso (r)	Raymond Nightingale (r)	Yujia Karen Zheng (r)

# NCEA LEVEL 3 SCHOLAR LION WINNERS 2021

NCEA Level 3 Endorsed with Excellence

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Hannah Adye (r)	Harding Gong (r)	Harriet Neradt (r)
Elka Aitchison (r)	Hamesh Govind (r)	Nidha Nureen (r)
Ayyan Ali (r)	Alaina Granger (r)	Mackenzie Paul (r)
Sathvika Alle (r)	Sophie Grimes (r)	Milan Paul (r)
George Allen (r)	Jessica Gurnsey (r)	Charlie Pellett (r)
Edie Ansell (r)	Caleb Hall (r)	Quinn Pham (r)
Holly Appleby (r)	Aaron Hassan	Keertivaasan Prakash (r)
Melissa Barnes (r)	Bridgit Hay	Shreya Prakash (r)
Glory Bateman (r)	Rahul Hendriksen (r)	Lewis Pratt (r)
William Bell-Purchas (r)	Max Hertzum (r)	Aidan Price (r)
Paul Beyer (r)	Cole Hickey (r)	Xander Pritchard (r)
Zara Blum	Hana Hilson (r)	Grace Ren
Maria Boow (r)	Katie Hughes (r)	Nazirah Ridwan (r)
Samara Brain (r)	Ben Hume (r)	Jade Robertson (r)
Hayden Breen	Humeera Imran (r)	Maggie Robins (r)
Lisa Brunton (r)	Chloe Innes (r)	Cassie Robinson (r)
Katie Bui (r)	Rosa Jack (r)	Keertana Sannidhanam (r)
Oliver Bulman (r)	Maitreyi Jaywant (r)	Marcus Savelio (r)
Bryn Burke (r)	Char'lee Jones (r)	Kavita Sayers (r)
Amelia Caltaux (r)	Pranit Kancharlapalli (r)	Bohemia Schollum (r)
Luke Campbell	Declan Kelly (r)	Reuben Schoonbee (r)
Nate Carroll (r)	Joshua Kent	Ida Solimani Zohrshiri (r)
Sweet Yee Chan (r)	Saira Khan (r)	Loren Solomona
Andrew Chapple (r)	Anna Kozawa	Mohinder Suri (r)
Junren Max Chen (r)	Kalaimakan Kukanenthiran	Sunny Syem
Mingi Cho (r)	Lance Law (r)	Fiorenza Tan (r)
Freya Coulson (r)	Joe Lawrence	Isabella Taouma (r)
Emma Crummer	Atia Leonhartsberger (r)	Kaija Thompson (r)
Sunny Davies	Dasha Leonhartsberger (r)	Shivani Unka (r)
Gus de Monchy (r)	Vanessa Liu (r)	Ullrich Von Reiche (r)
Rosie De Pledge (r)	Tarin Love (r)	Ella Vuetilovoni (r)
Matthew Denby	Sofia Lundberg (r)	Eva Wadsworth (r)
Emma Douthwaite (r)	Hamish MacGibbon (r)	Breanna Waka (r)
Grace Duan (r)	Deboprana Mallick (r)	Rosemary White (r)
Mikayla Eade (r)	Kayla Manders (r)	Ruby Wilson (r)
Angus Edwards (r)	Flick Marsh (r)	Lucy Woodall (r)
Jack Eggleston (r)	Isla Marsh (r)	David Wu (r)
Lucy Flatt (r)	Willa Meikle (r)	Evenly Yang (r)
Cameron Foster	Ben Mimms	Daniel Zhang (r)
Sophie Gainsford (r)	Ella Mitchell (r)	Jennifer Zhou
Leilani Ginnen (r)	Nicole Muir (r)	Keming Zhou
Nishera Gnanendra (r)	Claire Munneke	

## THE JUNE GRAY CHARITABLE TRUST TERTIARY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

*This scholarship is awarded to a female student who has shown excellent academic results, leadership skills and who merits the financial assistance. The Scholarship recipient is a suitable representative for the values that MAGS and the June Gray Charitable Trust espouse.*

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Awarded to

**MELISSA BARNES**

# NEW ZEALAND SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS 2021

*Scholarships are awarded to approximately 3% or less of those assessed. An outstanding (O) scholarship is awarded to the top 0.3% of students in each subject. The achievement of scholarship success is a notable accomplishment.*

*These students gain \$500 per subject.*

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Elka Aitchison	English, Painting
Ayyan Ali	Statistics
Melissa Barnes	Biology (O)
William Bell-Purchas	History, Statistics
Zara Blum	Classical Studies, Media Studies
Samara Brain	Dance (O)
Hannah Brook	Geography
Bryn Burke	Calculus
Jade Carroll	English
Molly Cavanagh	Drama
Anatol Coen	Calculus
Mekal Covic	Calculus, Physics
Annabelle Davison	Biology
Gustaaf de Monchy	Geography, Statistics
Wesley Donald	Calculus, Statistics
Jamie Eickhoff	Earth and Space Science
Alonso Fitzpatrick	Calculus
Nishera Gnanendra	Statistics
Caleb Hall	Chemistry
Chloe Innes	Photography (O)
Pranit Kancharlapalli	English
Greeshma Kasuganti	Geography
Declan Kelly	Biology
Yasmin Lakeman	Calculus, Statistics
Massimiliano Leotta	Biology
Vanessa Liu	Biology, Statistics
Sophia Luo	Statistics
Felicity Marsh	Media Studies (O), English
Abigail Miller	Statistics (O), Biology
Ella Mitchell	Statistics
Laura Muir	Dance
Claire Munneke	Design
Harriet Neradt	English
Bach Nguyen	Calculus
Charlie Pellett	Geography
Aidan Price	History
Alexander Pritchard	Calculus
Victor Qiu	Health and Physical Education, Statistics
Callum Raynor	Agriculture and Horticulture
Kiara Reddy	Biology, Media Studies
Maggie Robins	English, History
Aleisha Roulston	Painting
Marcus Savelio	Dance (O)
Mohinder Suri	Health and Physical Education
Oliver Tang	Calculus
Eva Wadsworth	Statistics
Ruby Wilson	Classical Studies, English
Vivienne Hei Man Wong	Statistics (O)
Lucy Woodall	Design
David Wu	Calculus, Geography
Jennifer Zhang	English, Statistics
Yujia Zheng	Chinese

# HONOURS BOARD SCHOLARS 2021

## ***New Zealand Scholarship - winners' names to be inscribed on the Honours Board.***

*Awarded to students who achieve three or more NZ Scholarships and these students gain \$2 000 per year for three years.*

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Matthew Batcheler	Technology (O), Calculus, Chemistry, Earth and Space Science, Physics, Statistics
Angus Edwards	Calculus, History, Statistics
Harding Gong	Statistics (O), Biology, Chemistry, English
Rahul Hendriksen	English, History, Media Studies
Cole Hickey	Calculus, Chemistry, Earth and Space Science, Physics
Rosa Jack	Biology, Calculus, Earth and Space Science, English, Geography, Statistics
Deboprana Mallick	Calculus (O), Statistics (O), Physics
Nicole Muir	Calculus, Earth and Space Science, Physics, Statistics
Ella Vuetilovoni	Biology, Media Studies, Statistics

## ***Top Subject Scholar Award***

*Awarded to students who are the top Candidate in each one of the New Zealand Scholarship subjects.  
These students gain \$2,000 each year for up to three years.*

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Matthew Batcheler	Technology
Marcus Savelio	Dance

## ***Outstanding Scholar Award - winners' names to be inscribed on the Honours Board.***

*Awarded to students who achieve three Scholarships including at least two at "Outstanding" level, or more than three Scholarships including at least one at "Outstanding" level in the same year. There were 58 winners of this award nationally in 2019 and these students gain \$5 000 per year for three years.*

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Matthew Batcheler	Technology (O), Calculus, Chemistry, Earth and Space Science, Physics, Statistics
Deboprana Mallick	Calculus (O), Statistics (O), Physics

## ***Mount Albert Grammar School Top Academic Awards***

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### ***Proxime Accessit***

Nicole Muir  
Harding Gong

### ***Dux***

Rosa Jack  
Matthew Batcheler

# MOUNT ALBERT GRAMMAR SCHOOL TOP ACADEMIC AWARDS

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## *Proxime Accessit*

Nicole Muir  
Harding Gong

## *Dux*

Rosa Jack  
Matthew Batcheler



# Honours Board Scholar Profiles



### **Matthew Batcheler**

Matthew came to Mount Albert Grammar School as a Year 9 student in 2017 from Balmoral Intermediate School. Initially he was placed in our second stream, but it became increasingly clear as the year progressed that his abilities were those of a top-stream student. He came first overall in his form-class with first places in Social Studies, Chinese and Technology. He was also awarded the Student Technology Leader Prize (Junior) and received an orchestra award. Consequently, we promoted him to the top stream in Year 10. A top mathematician, he was accelerated two years ahead in Year 9 to sit NCEA Level One Mathematics.

By Year 11 he had gained an excellence endorsement in Calculus. He was also one of a handful of students taking Level One Physics in Year 10, easily passing 12 credits. In the same year he was also a junior speech finalist.

He passed Level Two in Year 11 and Level Three in Year 12, both with Excellence and gained a scholarship in Year 11 for Earth & Space Science and three scholarships in Year 12 (Physics, Calculus and Statistics).

In Year 12 he also topped year 13 Physics (winning the Edgar Bell Senior Physics Prize).

In the first semester of last year Matthew took a university mathematics paper, gaining an A+ pass. At the end of the year, he came first in Technology – Product Design, and received the prestigious CP Liddell Scholarship. He was also the winner of the Boys' Dux Prize.

Matthew passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three Scholar Lions.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Matthew won six scholarships: in Technology (Outstanding), Earth & Space Science, Calculus, Physics, Statistics, and Chemistry. In addition, he topped the country in Technology. These results rank him amongst the top 65 scholars in New Zealand and entitle him to an award of \$5000 per year for three years.

Matthew has enrolled to study Engineering at the University of Canterbury this year.

### **Angus Edwards**

Angus came to Mount Albert Grammar School as a Year 9 student in 2017 from Kowhai Intermediate School. He was placed in our top-stream class and was accelerated two years ahead in Mathematics, passing Level Two Mathematics and Level Three Calculus with Excellence. He won a certificate in Art in Year 9 and was placed second in class. The following year he won certificates in Visual Art & Design and Global Perspectives.

In Year 11, Angus won second place in History and a certificate in 11 Physics. In Year 12, he won second places in both Chemistry and History and certificates in Physics and English. He also won a scholarship in Statistics.

Last year he came first in 13 History (The Calder Senior History Prize) and won excellence certificates in Physics, Biology and Statistics Scholarship and was presented with the Statistics Cup. At the end of the year, Auckland University granted him a Top Achiever Scholarship.

Angus has passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three Scholar Lions.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Angus won three scholarships: in Statistics, Calculus and History. These entitle him to an award of \$2000 per year for three years.

Angus is enrolled to study Engineering at the University of Auckland this year.

**Harding Gong**

Harding came to Mount Albert Grammar School as a Year 9 student in 2017 from Kowhai Intermediate School. He was placed in our top-stream class and was accelerated two years ahead in Mathematics, passing Levels Two and Three with Excellence by the end of Year 11.

In Year 10 he was second overall in class behind the Junior Dux. In Year 11 he also received certificates in Chemistry and English. In Year 12 he passed Level Three Statistics with Excellence and was awarded a certificate in English. In the Scholarship Examination he won an outstanding scholarship in Statistics.

It was in Year 13 where his academic commitment reaped full rewards. He placed first in 13 Physics (The Edgar Bell Senior Physics Prize), 13 Chemistry (The Joseph Shaw Senior Chemistry Prize) and 13 Japanese (The Japanese Cup). He was also awarded an Excellence Certificate for Biology. At the end of last year, he won the prestigious Top Achiever Scholarship from the University of Auckland and, based on his Scholarship and NCEA results, was named Proxime Accessit (Boys).

Harding has passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three Scholar Lions.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Harding won four scholarships: in Statistics (Outstanding in two successive years), English, Biology and Chemistry. These entitle him to an award of \$2000 per year for three years.

Harding wishes to study Engineering at the University of Auckland this year.

**Rahul Hendriksen**

Rahul came to Mount Albert Grammar School as a Year 9 student in 2017 from Balmoral Intermediate School. He was placed in an upper-stream class and did well in the junior school, winning a certificate for Physical Education in Year 10. The following year he topped his cohort in English and was awarded the Mitchell English Cup.

In Year 12 he again came first in English, received a certificate in History and received the University of Auckland Excellence in Humanities Award. Last year he was granted a Tangiwai Scholarship to attend Victoria University but has decided to attend Auckland University instead. Almost all his subject endorsements have been at Excellence level.

Rahul has passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three Scholar Lions.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Rahul won three scholarships: in English, Media Studies and History. These entitle him to an award of \$2000 per year for three years.

Rahul is enrolled to study for a conjoint degree in Law and Arts (History) at the University of Auckland this year.

**Cole Hickey**

Cole came to Mount Albert Grammar School as a Year 9 student in 2017 from St Peter's College (Epsom). He was placed in our top-stream class where he made fine progress through the junior school, devoting himself to science and being accelerated two years ahead in Mathematics, passing Level Two Mathematics and Level Three Calculus with Excellence.

In year 12 he won scholarships in both Statistics and Calculus. In his final year with us he was awarded the Calculus Cup and received the New Frontiers Entrance Scholarship from Otago University.

Cole has passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three Scholar Lions.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Cole won four scholarships: in Earth & Space Science, Physics, Chemistry, and Calculus. These entitle him to an award of \$2000 per year for three years.

Cole is enrolled for a science degree at the University of Otago, majoring in Physics and Chemistry.

**Rosa Jack**

Rosa came to Mount Albert Grammar School as a Year 9 student in 2017 from Balmoral Intermediate School. She was placed in our top-stream class and made such excellent progress that she was awarded first place in 11 Mathematics and a certificate in German. In Year 10 she was awarded the Junior Dux prize and came first in year 12 Calculus and won certificates of excellence in Accounting & Economics, German, Global Perspectives, Science and Social Studies as well as the Year 10 Cup for Excellence in English.

In Year 11 she achieved the outstanding feat of winning an Outstanding Scholarship in Statistics. At prize giving she received the Brian Murphy Cup for Best All-Round Girl, the Austin Cup for German, second place in Physics and certificates in Biology and English.

In Year 12 Rosa won Scholarships in Statistics and Geography. She achieved 2<sup>nd</sup> place in German, a certificate in 12 Physics and an award for Excellence in Creative Writing. In the first semester of last year, Rosa sat a university paper in Mathematics gaining an A+ pass. At the end of the year she was awarded first place in German and the Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarship from the University of Otago. She was named Girls' Dux for 2021.

Rosa has passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three Scholar Lions.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Rosa won six scholarships: in Earth & Space Science, Biology, English, Geography, Statistics, and Calculus. These entitle her to an award of \$2000 per year for three years.

Rosa is enrolled to study for a conjoint Arts/Science degree in Mathematics, German and Geology at the University of Otago this year.

### **Deboprana Mallick**

Deboprana came to Mount Albert Grammar School in 2018 from Balmoral Intermediate School. In Year 9 she was accelerated two years ahead in Mathematics and passed Level One Mathematics in that year but also received certificates in 11 Mathematics and 9 Te Reo Māori. In Year 10 she passed Level Two Mathematics with Excellence, coming first in Year 12 Calculus, and was awarded certificates in Science and Accounting & Economics.

In Year 11 she passed Level Three Calculus and Statistics, both with Excellence, while in the school prize-giving she received the HL Towers Memorial Prize for Mathematics and awards for first place in 13 Statistics, second place in 11 Physics and Economics, and certificates for 11 English and Chemistry and 13 Calculus. She also passed NCEA Level One Biology, Chemistry, Economics and Physics with Excellence and English with Merit. Her highest achievement was to gain an outstanding scholarship in Calculus in the Scholarship examinations.

In 2021 she jumped a year to sit Level Three Physics as well as Level Two Biology, English, Economics and Chemistry. She ended up passing all of these with Excellence. Consequently, she has passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three scholar lions. She won first place in 12 Biology, 13 Calculus Scholarship and 13 Statistics Scholarship and an excellence certificate in 13 Physics. She also received the Bull Mathematics Prize. She was invited to take a Mathematics paper from Auckland University and this she passed with an A.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Deboprana won three scholarships: outstanding scholarships in Statistics and Calculus and another scholarship in Physics. These results place her in the top 65 scholarship students in NZ. As an Outstanding Scholar, Deboprana receives an award of \$5000 per year for three years.

Deboprana has returned to school this year to improve on these results.

### **Nicole Muir**

Nicole came to Mount Albert Grammar School as a Year 9 student in 2017 from Blockhouse Bay Intermediate School. She was placed in our top-stream class where she was accelerated two years ahead in Mathematics, passing all three levels with Excellence over the first three years. In Year 10 she received certificates in 12 Calculus and 10 Chinese, Outdoor Education and Global Perspectives.

In Year 11 she won first prize in Chinese, second prize in 13 Statistics and certificates in Biology, Chemistry, English and Physics.

In Year 12 she won first prize in both Chinese and Physics and was awarded a certificate in Geography. She also passed the Scholarship Examination in Calculus and Geography.

Last year she again won first place in Chinese and Physics, received the Walker Cup for Spoken Chinese and Excellence Certificates in Chemistry and Calculus. At the end of the year, she won two important awards from the University of Auckland: The Jim Greatbanks Engineering Scholarship and the Edna Waddell Scholarship. Based on her NCEA and Scholarship results, Nicole was named Proxime Accessit (Girls).

Nicole has passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three Scholar Lions.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Nicole won four scholarships: in Earth & Space Science, Physics, Statistics, and Calculus. These entitle her to an award of \$2000 per year for three years.

Nicole wishes to study Engineering at the University of Auckland this year.

## **Ella Vuetilovoni**

Ella came to Mount Albert Grammar School as a Year 9 student in 2017 from Waikowhai Intermediate School. She was immediately accelerated two years ahead in Mathematics to sit Level One in this subject at the end of Year 9. She was presented with the Year 9 Cup for Excellence in English and won certificates in English, Japanese and French. The following year she sat Level Two Mathematics and won certificates in Business Studies, French and Media Studies.

In Year 11, Ella won first place in her cohort in Media Studies and Chemistry (including the Worley Chemistry Prize) and second place in Biology, English and French. She was also placed second in 12 Statistics and won a certificate in Physics.

At the 2020 prize-giving she won first place in Media Studies and second place in Classical Studies, English and French. She was also presented with the Yvette Williams Cup for Effort. Impressively, she also won a Scholarship in Statistics.

At the end of last year she won first place in French and excellence awards in English and Media Studies. For her all-round excellent academic results and her considerable contribution to the school in general, Ella was awarded the Woolf Fisher Memorial Scholarship.

Ella has passed all three levels of NCEA with Excellence and won three Scholar Lions.

In the scholarship examinations held at the end of last year, Ella won three scholarships: in Biology, Media Studies and Statistics. These entitle her to an award of \$2000 per year for three years.

This year Ella is enrolled for a conjoint degree in Arts and Communications at the University of Auckland.



**Congratulations to all Scholar Lion Recipients  
and Scholarship winners**

*Per angusta ad augusta*