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Dear Parents and Girls

It is with great pleasure that I am able to share the results of the Class of 2019 with you this morning. Whilst the results are good, they would not mean as much were it not for the effort and perseverance of many: parents, teachers and of course the girls themselves. It is therefore befitting that I can start by sharing that many of our girls achieved their personal bests in the recent examinations and this does not happen without effort. Therefore, we can indeed be proud of our girls who all achieved a Bachelor Degree pass enabling them to pursue their studies at the universities of their choice.

Before I share more details with you, I would like to thank the teachers who have walked alongside the girls encouraging and guiding them this past year. They often go the extra mile and share your sleepless nights and concerns.

In particular, we congratulate the following candidates on being placed on the *IEB List of Outstanding Achievers* Countrywide.

Kereena Bhana (8 distinctions)

Emma Sharratt (7 distinctions)

This means that they achieved within the top 5% of learners in 6 or more subjects and scored 80% or more for Life Orientation.

We also congratulate the following candidates on being placed on the *IEB List of Commendable Achievers* Countrywide.

Caitlin Honeywell (7 distinctions)

Rachel Wedderburn-Maxwell (7 distinctions)

This means that they achieved within the top 5% of learners in 5 or more subjects and scored 80% or more for Life Orientation.

The Class of 2019 collectively achieved 252 distinctions. An impressive 79% of all symbols achieved were A's and B's.

Candidate distinctions:

8 Distinctions: Kereena Bhana

7 Distinctions: Luisa de Vlieg
Shivika Govender
Caitlin Honeywell
Michaela Kapp

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Ara Naidoo
Andrea Reddy
Emma Sharratt
Rachel Wedderburn-Maxwell
Keren Wessels

6 Distinctions: Olivia Bradshaw
Isabella Cochrane
Jocelyn Farrell
Riya Gopal
Jessica Masefield
Victoria McIntosh
Anna Pansegrouw
Carina Ramlagan
Zah'ra Seedat

5 Distinctions: Abigail Brown
Jenna Cooper
Jessica Hoare
Aaliya Islam
Ariana Moodley
Abigail Phipps
Jade Ramini

4 Distinctions: Londi Busse
Husnaa Mall
Phillipa Meek
Paige Nash
Olivia Saad
Georgina Saulez
Emily Thomson

The following candidates achieved results that placed them in the **top 1% of the IEB candidates nationally in individual subjects**:

Ara Naidoo (Afrikaans First Additional Language, Life Orientation)
Anna Pansegrouw (Afrikaans First Additional Language)
Caitlin Honeywell (Afrikaans First Additional Language, History)
Emma Sharratt (Afrikaans First Additional Language, Visual Arts)
Shivika Govender (Afrikaans First Additional Language)
Jessica Hoare (Business Studies)
Paige Nash (Business Studies)
Abigail Brown (Business Studies)
Zah'ra Seedat (Business Studies)
Jenna Cooper (Business Studies)
Rachel Wedderburn-Maxwell (Life Orientation, Life Sciences)
Andrea Reddy (Life Sciences)
Kereena Bhana (Life Sciences, Mathematics)
Micaela Kapp (Mathematics)

Our best wishes for a bright future go with the Class of 2019. We acknowledge the roles they have played in upholding the name of the school and indeed leaving it a better place for those who follow. The mural designed by Ché Harris and painted by Giffy, to which our Matrics contributed, will serve as a reminder of their Matric year.

I end with a quote by Zig Ziglar, which I find meaningful and trust that it may mean something to each one as we move into 2020 and beyond.

*Behind you all your memories
Before you all your dreams
Around you all who love you
Within all you need*

Warm regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Bailey', written in a cursive style.

Marianne Bailey
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