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Dear Parents

2022 IEB MATRIC RESULTS

In 2022, St John's D.S.G. entered the largest number of candidates for the IEB Matric examinations in its history. The 78 candidates faced the challenges of the Matric year with determination, having bravely faced the difficulties of COVID-19 and online teaching in the previous two years. With several ups and downs along the way, the girls finally wrote their Final examinations in November and achieved results of which they can be proud.

- 78 candidates wrote and 76 (97,4%) achieved Bachelor Degree passes.
- 174 subject Level 7 symbols (80% or more). This is 32% of all the results.
- 183 subject Level 6 symbols (70 79 %). This means that 64% of all marks were 70% or higher.
- The girls achieved an average of 2,23 distinctions per candidate, with 66 girls achieving at least one distinction.
- On average, the girls achieved 4,54 Level 6 or 7 passes per candidate.

Our top achiever for 2022 was the first student at St John's D.S.G. to offer 10 subjects for Matric. **Bethlehem Shimelis** achieved an incredible 9 distinctions and a Level 6 pass for the Further Studies Mathematics elective module, with an average of 94,2%.

Second in the grade is Erin Channon who achieved 7 distinctions and an average of 90,5%, follow closely by Abigail Oberholser with 7 distinctions and an average of 90,3%. Congratulations to Abigail Oberholzer for also earning a place on the IEB **Commendable Achievement List** for achieving within the top 5% in 5 Subjects and achieving a level of 7 in Life Orientation.

For the first time in St John's D.S.G.'s history, four girls have earned a place on the IEB **Outstanding Achievement List** for achieving within the top 5% in 6 or more Subjects and achieving a level of 7 in Life Orientation. Congratulations to Erin Channon, Nadia do Vale, Bethlehem Shimelis and Jessica Wells on this incredible achievement. A well-deserved accolade.

Fifteen girls achieved four or more distinctions:

Nine Distinctions: Bethlehem Shimelis

Eight Distinctions: Jessica Wells

 Seven Distinctions: Abby Anderson, Erin Channon, Nadia do Vale, Nitya-Yauvana Naidoo, Abigail Oberholzer



• Six Distinctions: Sara Muil

• Four Distinctions: Kate Dolbey, Kathleen Forde, Ezamaphemba Ntuli, Hannah Riley, Kayla Stead,

Rachel Valentine, Calleigh Zunckel

A number of our girls achieved places in the Top 1% of Candidates in various subjects as outlined below:

Accounting: Bethlehem Shimelis

• Business Studies: Kathleen Forde

• English: Bethlehem Shimelis

• History: Erin Channon

• IsiZulu First Additional Language: Ezamaphemba Ntuli

• Life Orientation: Erin Channon and Bethlehem Shimelis

• Life Sciences: Erin Channon, Nadia do Vale and Bethlehem Shimelis

Mathematical Literacy: Megan Anderson, Sara Muil and Sarah-Jayne Wyllie

• Mathematics: Bethlehem Shimelis

Physical Sciences: Bethlehem Shimelis

In total, 11 girls achieved A aggregates (over 80% average in all subjects) and 39 candidates achieved B aggregates (70 - 79%). This means that 74,3% of girls achieved A or B aggregates. The average overall mark achieved was 71,9%.

We wish the Class of 2022 everything of the best as they walk into the future which is filled with great opportunities and adventures. May each girl achieve her dreams and succeed in whatever she puts her hand to in the year ahead

Yours sincerely

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