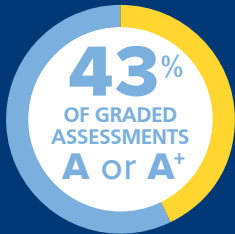
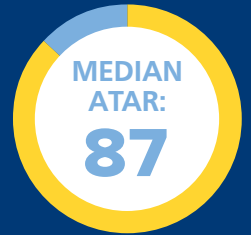
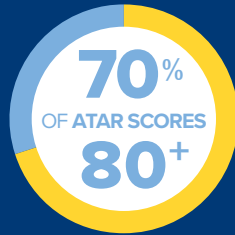
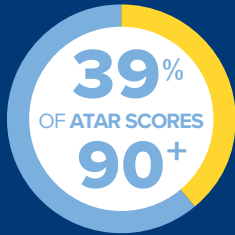
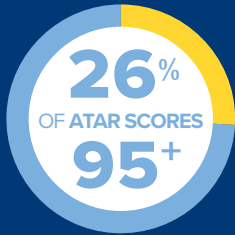
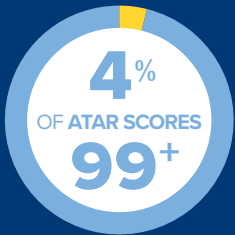




## Congratulations to our 2024 VCE Students

Lowther Hall girls have continued to thrive academically in 2024, as evidenced by the outstanding VCE results achieved this year. With 70 percent of students placing in the top 20 percent of the nation, the hard work and dedication of students and teachers is clear! We congratulate the Class of 2024 and celebrate the efforts of all who have supported them.

Ms Elisabeth Rhodes | Principal

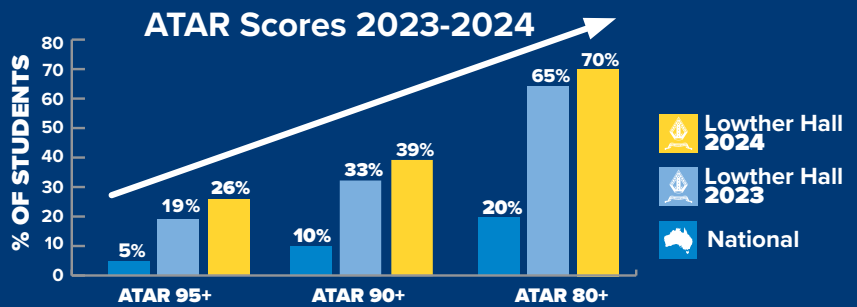


70%  
OF STUDENTS  
IN THE  
TOP  
20%



## Continuing to Excel

As illustrated in the graph, 2024 has seen an upward trend in tertiary entry ranking (ATAR) scores at Lowther Hall. **26 percent** of ATAR scores 95 or above, **39 percent** of ATAR scores 90 or above and **70 percent** of ATAR scores 80 or above.



## School Captain / Lowther Clarke Scholar (Dux)

Taking advantage of every opportunity!



Our 2024 School Captain **Sonia Li**, has achieved an ATAR score of 99.05 and along with **Lily Hao** and **Ava Peterson**, is named our 2024 Lowther Clarke Scholar (Dux).

Sonia truly personifies Lowther Hall's focus on 'educating the whole person for the whole of life', and is no stranger to the cocurricular program at school! Taking full advantage of every opportunity afforded to her, the 2024 School Captain delved into a myriad of music, sport, and leadership activities including: the Lowther Hall Orchestra, Piano Ensemble and Lowther Singers Choir as well as orienteering, badminton, cross country, lawn bowls, rowing and swimming.

In 2023, she ventured to France with the Lowther Hall French Study Tour and in 2024, received the highest of Lowther Hall accolades, voted by her peers as the recipient of the **Winstow Prize**. This Award recognised the student identified by their cohort as most exemplifying the *Qualities of a Lowther Hall Girl* including confidence, care, leadership and a clear set of values. Well done, Sonia!



Sonia reflected: "Participating in different cocurricular opportunities gave me the ability to learn life skills such as persistence and resilience, and I thought it was really important that I didn't just gain those skills from my studies, but from other activities that brought me a lot of joy and helped me develop as a person."

Above: Lowther Clarke Scholar, Sonia Li, Principal, Ms Elisabeth Rhodes and Deputy Principal and Head of Senior School, Ms Tracy Healy.

# Lowther Clarke Scholars (Duces)

ATAR  
99.05

We are proud to celebrate the outstanding achievements of Lily Hao, Sonia Li and Ava Peterson who attained the highest ATAR scores in 2024. With an exceptional ATAR of 99.05, Lily, Sonia and Ava have been named our 2024 Lowther Clarke Scholars (Duces) demonstrating remarkable academic excellence. Each of these students has exemplified dedication, resilience, and a commitment to achieving their personal best, embodying the values of Lowther Hall. Their success is a testament to their hard work, the support of their families, and the strength of the holistic educational opportunities provided at our school. Congratulations to these remarkable young women on their extraordinary accomplishments!



Lily Hao

Lowther Clarke Scholar (Dux) ★

VCE Baccalaureate  
Mathematics Co-Captain

- > Biology
- > Chemistry
- > Chinese Second Language Advanced
- > English
- > Mathematical Methods
- > Specialist Mathematics



Sonia Li

Lowther Clarke Scholar (Dux) ★

VCE Baccalaureate  
School Captain (Prefect)

- > Chemistry
- > Chinese Second Language
- > English
- > French
- > Mathematical Methods
- > Specialist Mathematics



Ava Peterson

Lowther Clarke Scholar (Dux) ★

- > English
- > Geography
- > History: Revolutions
- > Legal Studies
- > Literature

Following on from Sonia's reflection on the front page, Lily reflected *"My studies this year were supported by the ever-present encouragement and friendship of my amazing cohort; and of course, my final results are a testament to the remarkable skill and dedication of all teachers and adults involved in the Year 12 journey, who have always motivated me to do my very best!"*

and Ava reflected *"This year has been a journey of both growth and perseverance, where I've not only deepened my knowledge but also learned the true value of hard work and dedication. From late-night study sessions to tackling challenging assignments, every moment was a reminder that success is earned through consistent effort and a passion for learning."*

## ATAR Scores of 90 or higher High Achievers:

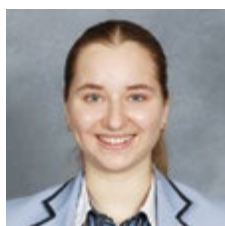
39%  
OF ATAR SCORES  
90+

We congratulate the following students who have achieved an ATAR of 90 or higher. As the information below each name demonstrates, these students studied a diverse range of subjects and many of them combined their academic studies with a leadership position within the School. Students who studied a language other than English in conjunction with either Specialist Mathematics and/or Mathematical Methods are awarded the VCE Baccalaureate in addition to the standard VCE Certificate.



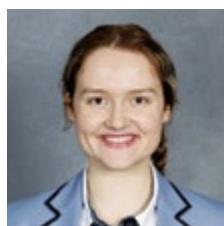
Hala Bahnasawi  
VCE Baccalaureate  
Deputy School Captain (Prefect)

- > Chemistry
- > English
- > Food Studies
- > French
- > Mathematical Methods
- > Psychology



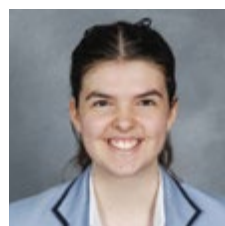
Sophie Barresi  
VCE Baccalaureate

- > Biology
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- > English
- > General Mathematics
- > Japanese Second Language
- > Mathematical Methods



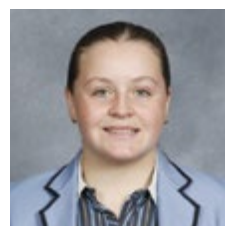
Lily Beck

- > English
- > History: Australian History
- > History: Revolutions
- > Legal Studies
- > Literature
- > General Mathematics



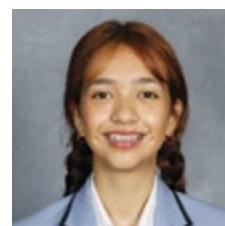
Tyler Clark  
Music Co-Captain

- > English
- > Mathematical Methods
- > Music Repertoire Performance
- > Physics
- > Psychology



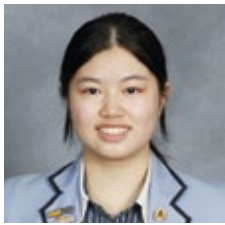
Alice Cook

- > English
- > Food Studies
- > General Mathematics
- > Media
- > Visual Communication Design



Lily De Antonis  
VCE Baccalaureate  
French Captain

- > Chemistry
- > English
- > French
- > General Mathematics
- > Mathematical Methods
- > Psychology



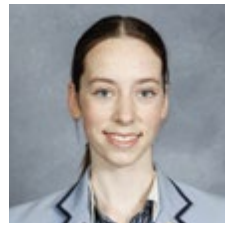
**Monica Doan**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Japanese Co-Captain**  
 > Biology  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Media



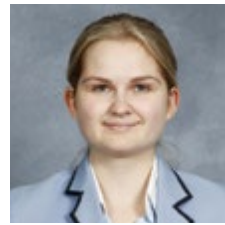
**Thinaara Dodammulla**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Music Co-Captain**  
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 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Music Repertoire Performance



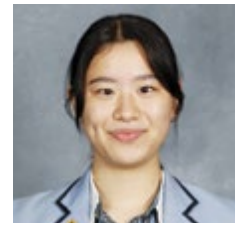
**Angelina Duong**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
 > Business Management  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Specialist Mathematics



**Heidi Golden**  
**Humanities Co-Captain**  
 > English  
 > History: Revolutions  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Legal Studies  
 > Literature  
 > Psychology



**Liliana Grillo**  
**Humanities Co-Captain**  
 > Applied Computing: Software Development  
 > English  
 > History: Revolutions  
 > Legal Studies  
 > Mathematical Methods



**Lily Hao**  
**Lowther Clarke Scholar (Dux)** ★  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Mathematics Co-Captain**  
 > Biology  
 > Chemistry  
 > Chinese Second Language Advanced  
 > English  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Specialist Mathematics



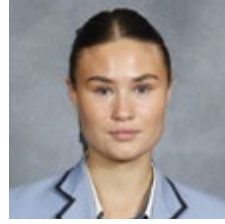
**Katie Harper**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Hindley House Captain (Prefect)**  
 > Biology  
 > English  
 > Geography  
 > **Health and Human Development (Perfect score)** ★  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods



**Parami Illeperuma**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Science Co-Captain**  
 > Biology  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
 > French  
 > General Mathematics  
 > Mathematical Methods



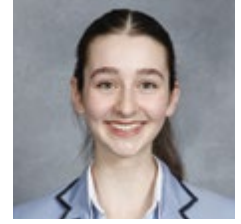
**May Jessup**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Debating Co-Captain**  
**Symphonic Band Captain**  
 > English  
 > History: Revolutions  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Literature  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Music Repertoire Performance



**Abbi Jones**  
 > English  
 > French  
 > General Mathematics  
 > Health and Human Development  
 > Legal Studies



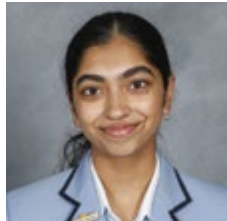
**Sonia Li**  
**Lowther Clarke Scholar (Dux)** ★  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**School Captain (Prefect)**  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
 > French  
 > Chinese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Specialist Mathematics



**Eloise Licciardello**  
**English Co-Captain**  
 > English  
 > General Mathematics  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Literature  
 > Psychology



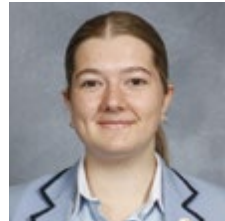
**Asha McCleane**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Senior School Concert Choir Co-Captain**  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
 > French  
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 > Mathematical Methods  
 > VET Certificate III In Dance (VCE VET)



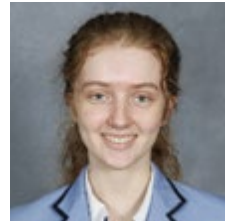
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**VCE Baccalaureate**  
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 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Psychology



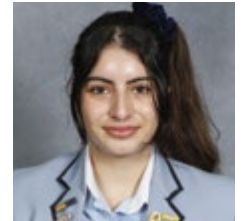
**Shreya Nayak**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Japanese Co-Captain**  
 > Biology  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
 > General Mathematics  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods



**Sophia Nordio**  
**Mathematics Co-Captain**  
**Netball Captain**  
 > Applied Computing: Software Development  
 > English  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Physics  
 > Specialist Mathematics



**Ava Peterson**  
**Lowther Clarke Scholar (Dux)** ★  
 > English  
 > Geography  
 > History: Revolutions  
 > Legal Studies  
 > Literature



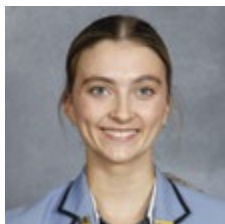
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**VCE Baccalaureate**  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
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 > General Mathematics  
 > Mathematical Methods



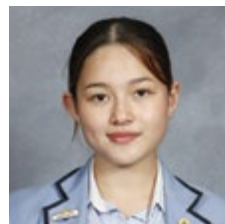
**Juliet Taylor-Sands**  
**Social Justice Prefect**  
 > Biology  
 > English  
 > Geography  
 > General Mathematics  
 > Psychology



**Phoebe Trieu**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Badminton Captain**  
 > Biology  
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 > English  
 > General Mathematics  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods



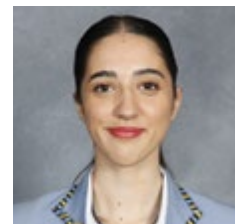
**Ruby Ure**  
**Lowther Singers Co-Captain**  
 > Business Management  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Psychology  
 > VET Certificate III In Dance (VCE VET)



**Miwa Wilson**  
**Visual Arts: Art Captain**  
 > Art Creative Practice  
 > English  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Psychology  
 > Visual Communication Design



**Lisa Xiong**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Faith And Worship Prefect**  
 > Biology  
 > Chemistry  
 > English  
 > Japanese Second Language  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Specialist Mathematics



**Rose Zouros**  
**VCE Baccalaureate**  
**Booth House Captain (Prefect)**  
 > English  
 > French  
 > Health and Human Development  
 > Mathematical Methods  
 > Physical Education  
 > Physics

# Perfect Study Score

## Health and Human Development



**Katie Harper**

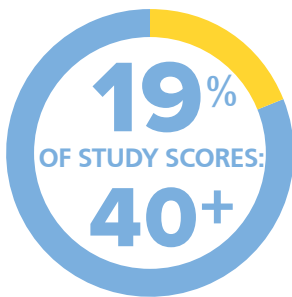
VCE Baccalaureate  
**Hindley** House Captain  
(Prefect)

- > Biology
- > English
- > Geography
- > **Health and Human Development** ★
- > Japanese Second Language
- > Mathematical Methods

Reflection from Katie Harper:  
*"Health and Human Development is a subject that interested me so much due to its varied content and analytical nature. My biggest piece of advice in succeeding in subjects is consistent hard work. Ensuring a solid understanding for each area of study allowed me to feel confident, and I could dedicate my end of year study time to exams. Thank you for Ms Hubeeek's support throughout the whole year, and always making time for meetings and extra feedback."*



**Katie Harper** was rewarded for her consistent diligence and commitment to excellence, when she achieved a perfect score for **Health and Human Development** in 2024.



Once again in 2024, students excelled in a variety of disciplines: a reflection of the way in which Lowther Hall's broad curriculum caters to a range of students with different strengths and passions. **Scores of 40 or more** were achieved by more than **25% of students** in the following subjects:

## High scores across the board!



**39%**  
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