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## **Principal's Report**

#### Cantervale

On Friday December 9, Canterbury Boys High School held its annual Cantervale celebrations. Cantervale is a day to celebrate the end of the academic year and an opportunity to invite our community into the school. This year we had many activities including human foosball, spin the wheel, giant connect four and the always popular pie in the face. I had my face through the hole at the start and I am happy to report that apart from some residual mess, I got away relatively lightly. At the end of the



day, we were treated to a talent quest performed by the students. All boys were exceptional and did their best, but Leo Miller was the star of the event and took out the coveted first prize. Well done Leo and every student who entered.

#### The Tiger Strikes

In Term 4, the boys from the Special Education Unit have been learning songs so they could perform for the school. I was invited to their first concert in week 9. They played six songs, and all took a turn at different roles during the concert, whether it be lead singer, back up vocal, keyboard or even stage manager. It was easily the highlight of my year. The energy and enthusiasm the boys showed during each song was inspiring. Well done to each boy who participated, but also the teachers who did a wonderful job preparing the boys for such an event.



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## **SRC Camp Out**

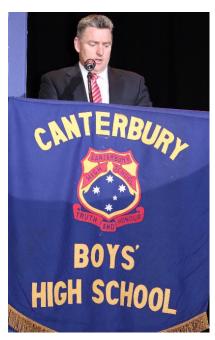
Earlier in the term, the schools SRC organised a camp out on the back oval. We had approximately 40 boys and close to a dozen staff camp out under the stars on the back oval. The boys played games like spotlight, sardines and went on a treasure hunt. When the sun went down, they cooked smores over the campfire, but for me the highlight was using the school telescope to observe Jupiter and its rings. A very big thank you to the SRC, and Ms Simpson and Ms Shuhevych who managed the whole event.



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#### **Presentation Evening**



The 2022 Canterbury Boys High School Presentation Evening has come and gone. This year we held the event at Canterbury Girls High School. I would like to thank Belinda Conway, Principal

of Canterbury Girls High School, for graciously allowing us to host the event at their school hall. We have not had a presentation evening since 2019 due to Covid. I forgot how important this evening was in our school calendar. It was great to see all the boys get their awards in front of their friends, family, and the general school community. Special thanks to Mr Adam Dukes who once again did a wonderful job in organising this event. The



whole night ran like clockwork. Final congratulations to all the award winners on the evening.

#### Orientation Day

Canterbury Boys High School, like every NSW public high school held its Orientation Day on Tuesday 29 November. The school had already held transition activities prior to this event and most of the families had already had their interview with either me or Ms Dwyer so the students all seemed very relaxed in the library at the start of the day. Orientation Day is a great way for primary school students to get an insight into what life at high school will be like, plus it is usually the first time they get to meet their new year group. The day went very well, with all students going home with a big smile on their face.





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## **Deputy Principal's Report**

#### Teaching and Learning in Term 4 round up

**Our new Year 12s** have undertaken their first round of HSC assessment tasks (yes, already), remembering that 50% of the HSC mark is comprised of their School Assessment Mark. We're expecting them to actively seek guidance from their teachers and attempt all set tasks, in class and for homework, to the very best of their abilities – each learning opportunity is a step towards success. As Ms Webster says, the upcoming summer break isn't a 'holiday' for Year 12 – they all have HSC coursework and study to do at this time.



Year 10 have completed the **All My Own Work program**, which is a prerequisite for entry into the Preliminary Courses. The program teaches important principals of good scholarship – integrity and honesty. Our boys will learn about malpractice, and how to avoid it, acknowledging sources used, copyright and working with others. Students need to pass each of the five modules on the Google Classroom to be able to enter Preliminary Courses in 2023.



All students in **Years 7 to 10** have been working hard on their **reading fluency and comprehension every day at school and at home**. The final round of **Star Testing** for this year has just been completed and we're seeing a continuation of the Semester 1 growth in reading across the school.



Check In Assessments School Results have just become available.

In summary, our results are very strong. Year 7 and Year 8 results in both reading and numeracy are all above state average, and up to five percentage points above the results for similar schools.

These are great results!



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#### **ALPHA** program update

This week **Year 12 ALPHA program** students and their families joined Mr Dummett, Ms Webster and Ms Giameos in a seminar on maximising ATAR results. Mr Dummett guided students through their individualised information pack, providing valuable insights into 'tipping points' for each course they have undertaken. Ms Giameos shared her wealth of knowledge about specific universities' entrance requirements. Ms Webster motivated the group to use their summer break wisely with the following key messages:

There is no substitute for a strong work ethic. (But there are ways to work smarter.)

The brain is like a muscle – use it, stretch it, or it atrophies!

We left the seminar energised and focused, ready for 2023.









The **Year 11 2023 ALPHA cohort** have now completed their three Elevate Education seminars, as well as their Welcome to the ALPHA program interview with Mr Dummett, Ms Webster and their parents. Congratulations to all the ALPHA students on their nomination and acceptance into the Stage 6 enrichment program.

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#### **Enrichment program Special Interest Project presentations afternoon**

Year 7N students impressed parents, staff and peers on Thursday afternoon with their presentation of Special Interest projects. Over the course of the last two terms, the students identified different interests, created a driving question, researched and then used creative and critical thinking to develop a final product, under the tutelage of Ms Bec Gray and the 7N teaching team. The students' final products range from podcasts, TV shows, a 3D printed cricket ball, a functioning homemade telescope, and more. The class is very proud of their hard work, understandably so. See later in the newsletter for images of the final products.

#### **Student reports for Semester Two**

Reports for all students in Years 7 to 10 will be available on the Parent Portal as well as being mailed out to home addresses this week. We encourage all parents and carers to talk with their son about the feedback they receive from their teachers and make a plan for even greater success in 2023.

#### **Snapshots from Orientation Day**

A huge thank you to all the staff and students who welcomed our Year 7 2023 families into the CBHS community. Our School Captains, Samir and Alex, were outstanding in hosting the meeting with new parents and students. Leo M and Adam B spoke confidently about the transition to high school, having experienced it recently themselves. Our prefects and SRC were the welcoming face of the school, providing excellent student support, as well as a number of outstanding Year 8 students who helped teachers run workshops – Science, Literacy, Numeracy, Coding and How to Tie a Tie!

The day was a valuable introduction to life at CBHS. Enjoy the snapshots of the day.



#### Stage 4 Raging Waters and Stage 5 Jamberoo

Students in stage 4 and 5 enjoyed their end of year activities to Raging Waters and Jamberoo. These days are a wonderful opportunity for students to celebrate the end of the school year with their friends and to be rewarded for their effort throughout the year. We would like to thank the Year Advisers for the tireless care and support that they offer students daily and for organising these activities.

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#### **SRC Investiture**

SRC members for 2022 - 2023 year were presented to the school community this term. The ceremony was recognition for a group of boys who thoroughly deserve congratulations for their accomplishments this year.





#### Join us on Facebook to see what Term 4 looks like at CBHS

As Term 4 draws to a close, the activity levels at CBHS have remained the same – *HIGH!* Make sure you check out our Facebook page to see photos of Year 7 Movie Night, Year 12 Graduation Dinner, Stage 5 Jamberoo, Stage 4 Raging Waters, CBHS Football World Cup, Presentation Evening, Year 7N Special Interest Projects afternoon, and a particular highlight, the SRC Great Canterbury Camp Out.



#### Keep on reading!

With the holidays approaching, now is the time to plan holiday reading for the whole family. Perhaps join a library, listen to some audiobooks together in the car, as you drive to the beach...

#### With thanks.....

We would like to thank the CBHS community for your unwavering support throughout 2022. We gratefully acknowledge the determination and expertise of our teaching and support staff, and the willingness of our students to rise to the challenges and opportunities provided to them. The successes we've achieved stem from genuine connections between families and our school. We wish our entire school community a safe and enjoyable break. We look forward to starting school again next year:

- Years 7, 11 and 12 start Tuesday 31 January
- Years 8, 9 and 10 start Wednesday 1 February.

### Best wishes for the holiday season!

Ms Caitlin Dwyer Deputy Principal

Ms Marilena Webster Deputy Principal





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## **Snapshots from Orientation Day**



Coding with Ms Clark



Welcome in the library



Richard and Year 6



Ms Ali and Science



Parents, Ms Webster and Prefects



Lunch and table tennis



Issy working with Year 6 students



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## **School Captain's Report**



#### Samir Sungkar

As co-captain of Canterbury Boy's High School, the experiences provided by this role have allowed me to truly reflect upon the concept of leadership. Becoming co-captain was not an easy process, as I had to deeply ponder the traits that would enable me to become the best leader I could possibly be. The events that both Alexander and I MC'd, and other aspects of the roles we had to take on have allowed me to demonstrate the qualities of leadership, the required confidence, passion, and commitment. It is my intent to

further exhibit these traits throughout the course of my leadership. The first big event we MC'd for was the Graduation Ceremony for the year twelves who had recently completed their HSC course. The experience was gratifying for everyone involved. In addition to its being a milestone event for the year twelves, its importance too was shared with the leadership group. It granted us our first taste of what it means to be the face of the school, and in turn, the responsibilities that are tied to it. Another major event was presentation night, in which awards were given to hardworking students who were acknowledged and congratulated for their efforts where I continued to apply the responsibilities of a school representative. With our experiences from other events during the past term, such as the orientation day, we were able to conduct the occasion successfully without any problems whilst engaging the audience. By undertaking these duties, I hope that these experiences of leadership will allow me to contribute more for the school and excel in providing a safe and energetic community for our peers and teachers. I wish everyone the best, and to enjoy this upcoming summer break.

#### Alex Le

Greetings Canterbury Boys High School,

WOW! What a year it has been. This year has been a big year for the school leadership group, the students, and the teachers. Our most recent school event, Cantervale, has was huge success and enjoyed by all year groups. Personally, I found it entertaining as it gave students a breather from their assignments and academics, it provided some time to socialize with friends and enjoy their last days of school before summer break. I have had the pleasure,



alongside my co-captain Samir Sungkar, to run many major school events that include the previous year's graduation ceremony, presentation night, orientation day and many more. The leadership group is looking forward to leading more events next year. A personal reflection upon my role as a captain is to consistently display the embodiment of pride no matter what happens and always expect the unexpected. It has already been a term since I got elected as the school captain of 2023, and I have already learnt many lessons and core values to have as a Cantabrian leader. My goals for this following year are to guide the school, with the school leadership team, and make 2023 a fun year. I wish everyone the very best and to stay safe over the summer break.



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#### 7N Special Interest Projects presentation afternoon

Thank you 7N parents and families for sharing afternoon tea with us and experiencing the diversity of projects our talented students have created as part of the Year 7 Enrichment Program.



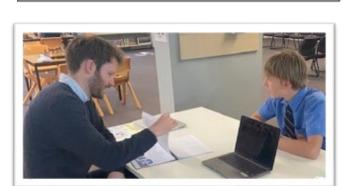




Usku explaining how he used science to create a lava tube



Mr McKinley talking podcasts with Asher



Leo showcasing his comedy quiz game



Aiden and computer modelling



Adam with enthralled parents



Joseph demonstrating how to create a podcast



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#### Career's Corner

#### **Volunteering at Our Big Kitchen**

On the 10th of November, our class 7N went on an excursion to "Our Big Kitchen" in Bondi. During our visit we had been tasked with preparing vegetables which would be cooked into a soup for the lesser fortunate around Sydney. After which, we made cookies for the Prince of Wales Hospital staff and packaged the soup into containers to be sent out by the afternoon for the disadvantaged in the community to eat for lunch. - Aiden Flack 7N





Last week we visited "Our Big Kitchen" in Bondi and prepared food for people who had not had a meal for one or more days. I was fortunate to be given the opportunity to volunteer at Our Big Kitchen a second time as a Yr 8 student. My first time was last year when I was in Yr 7. I love going on excursions like these as it teaches students how important it is to provide aid and help people in need who are less fortunate in the community. **– Leo Nguyen 7N** 









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#### Work Experience at Chau Chak Wing Museum

They say the best experience in life is having a child but for me it's working voluntarily at any Museum. Being surrounded and immersed by ancient artefacts found from a long-lost age and revived to the most exquisite detail brings an excitable joy to me. Whether it be from the Papua New Guinian Kerewa Tribe holding the skulls and severed heads of fallen Generals from rival Tribes as trophies or the actual



genuine tomb of the great Egyptian pharaoh Padiashaikhet you will find yourself overwhelmed with astonishment and lost in wonder and awe at this museum.



I will never forget the first time I saw that Thylacine. (Tasmanian Tiger) Its eyes were as black as pearls and its beautiful striped fur put me in a time warp back to ancient Tasmania. This was just one of the thousands of artefacts on and off display at the Chau Chak Wing Museum which I've had the upmost privilege at studying and working with. Throughout my 3 entire days I attended this museum here are my handpicked best experiences I've ever had out of the list of thousands of great options. (In no order)

My most memorable highlight at this museum was going into the collection room, unobtainable

by the general-public. Assisting the staff with a status check of the hidden treasures of the Museum, walking down the aisles filled with tribal spears, shields, masks and amulets of the oceanic and pacific lands of the Cook Islands, Solomon Islands and the Māori people of New Zealand made me feel like a child on Christmas day!

Another extreme highlight was assisting with the tour guides. I learned a lot from the 2 very special guides I was assisting on. I learned that the jaded sword in the educational room wasn't a sword at all but a sacrificial dagger the Romans would've used as tribute to the gods, and mummies weren't cared about at all, I learned there was a shipment for 40,000 mummified cats just to be turned into fertiliser! History is one of the most interesting topics you can learn about, especially when it's helping a museum.



By far one of the best tasks, I had tackled working at this museum was when me and one of the staff members, Liam, went down to the Natural Selection exhibit and brainstormed new ideas for future exhibitions. We both came up with a collective of 3 topical ideas. 1. Adaptation, 2. Evolution and 3 Verification.



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The staff at the museum are so welcoming and friendly, the front desk worker, Bella is so delightful,

Julian is a shy but great acquaintance and Liam is one of the most relatable and likable workers I've ever met. The museum curator and public adviser, Craig Barker is extremely friendly and flexible, it's a bonus that he is an archaeologist himself whom if I recall currently has an expedition team in Athens!

Overall, I highly recommend visiting the Chau Chak Wing Museum as its extremely educational and great for work experience! This museum has truly encouraged and motivated me to pursue my career in Palaeontology and Archaeology! This is the most fun I've ever had at work experience! Thank you, Craig Barker, for allowing me to attend at the Chau Chak Wing Museum for Work Experience, it has truly helped me in my educational life and added a major boost to my resume since I will be applying to other museums.

If you ever wish to visit the Chau Chak Wing Museum, opening hours are 10AM-5PM on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Friday, 12AM-4PM on Saturday and Sunday and 10AM-9PM on Thursdays. The museum is located at Sydney University next to the Fisher Library.

#### Yr 10 Campbell Reid

#### **Downer Work Experience**

I participated in Work Experience at Downer along with 7 students from my school and a group of students from Ashfield Boys High and Moorefield Girls High. Downer is upgrading the T3 Bankstown Line between Sydneham and Bankstown. We were all split up into pairs and participated in Construction and Electrical Work Experience at the various stations under the supervision of site managers.



On the first day at the Belmore Head Office, we were given a safety induction presentation, PPE to wear for the rest of the week, as well as a Downer esky and snacks! We also heard from supervisors and project managers share their career journey and job roles at Downer, before leaving to our designated Work Experience sites. I helped install switches and assisted the electricians.

I really enjoyed my experience at Downer working with a friendly bunch of people. This experience was an eye opener into the electrical trade relating to the transport and infrastructure. I would consider working with Downer if an electrical apprenticeship came up.



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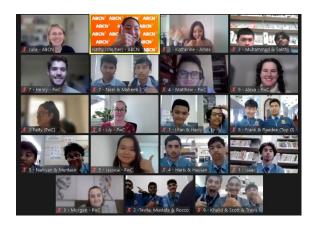


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#### **ABCN Interview2Impress**

Year 9 and 10 students participated in the ABCN program, Interview2Impress via Zoom. Mentors from ABCN member companies, American Express and PwC guided students on applying interview techniques and making a good impression in a mock interview context. Students gained knowledge of the interview process, building confidence and interpersonal skills.



#### **Student Comments:**

"I really enjoyed the meeting and learned a lot of new things that are applicable for future interviews. The mentors were friendly"

"It is an amazing workshop and should be available to more schools"

"Overall, it's a good workshop to learn how to act during an interview and how to answer the questions"

"Your interviewer can be your best friend, give it your best shot"

"The most important thing I learnt from my mentor was that interviews can be really powerful"

#### **Mentor Comments:**

"It is a worthwhile experience and really helps make a difference in students' confidence!"

"Great program. Great to help people and feel the value of the program. Definitely worth doing" "It's a really rewarding experience. It's a great feeling knowing that your experience can help to guide young people"

"These mentoring sessions are always fantastic, full of positive energy and heart-warming. You will leave full of hope for the new generations and the future of the world"









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#### **UAC News**

#### Digital ATAR is coming

ATARs are released on 15 December. Students access their ATAR by logging into UAC's website www.uac.edu.au Remind them to download their official ATAR Advice Notice while they're there; it's free until 12 March 2023. This year students will also be able to access and store their ATAR in a digital wallet, CredFolio. More information and registration details will be sent to students this week.

#### **UAC ATAR and Offer Dates**

December 15 - ATAR Released

December 16 - Last day to change preferences for December Round 2

December 22 - December Round 2 Offers Released

January 5 - Last day to change preferences for January Round 1

January 5 - January Round 2 application deadline

January 12 - January Round 1 offers released

January 19 - Last day to change preferences for January Round 2 offers

January 25 - January Round 2 offers released





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## **Sports Report**

#### **Season Wrap**

2022 was capped off by a famous victory in the year 8 Basketball competition. Canterbury Boys High School 8A's defeated Peakhurst in a thrilling encounter to be crowned champions in 2022. The final match of the season was a wonderful way to conclude a long and arduous campaign. The team encountered many challenges along the way, however developed into a close-knit group who not only overcame but excelled.

Early season games resulted in victory against the likes of Kogarah High, Sydney Tech and Belmore, until meeting Peakhurst (Grand Final opponents) who had earlier in the season defeated Canterbury on home soil. It was a humbling experience for the team, who had to regroup and focus on developing strategies, when under pressure. The team then went out and defeated all comers until winning their way to the big dance!



#### YEAR 8A BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP WINNING TEAM 2022

Back row left to right: Mr Papadakis (coach) Salman Hossain, Ibrah Osman, Amarlin Altanshagai (captain), Chet James, Selim Sarikaya, Issy Kowaider.

Seated: Rafeeq Gala, Siale Lauki.



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#### **Final Match Report.**

It was clear halfway through the season that Canterbury may face Peakhurst in the Final and that is exactly how it played out. The difference now was that CBHS had become a fierce, hard bitten, fit and determined outfit. The game began extremely well for Canterbury, with them scoring in quick succession to lead by 10 points.

Amarlin Altanshagai the captain led by example, driving fearlessly to the ring scoring athletic and powerful points. He was served with some lovely passes by Siale Lauki, who controlled the mid court and set up the attacking raids. Issy Kowaider worked like a "terrior" moving to space, out manoeuvring his defenders, and making great link plays.

As the game progressed, Peakhurst, began to find their rhythm and slowed the game down and began to claw back the points. For the mid part of the game there were only a handful of points in it. At half time Canterbury Boys were starting to fade and the score was within 2. The half time message sent out by coach Papadakis was simple; "20 minutes to a lifetime of glory; so, what are going to do?"



The second half saw Canterbury re-establish the ascendancy. Chet James, who must be the most improved player was outstanding in defence. His energy and determination were inspiring! Rafeeq Gala, Selim Saikaya and Ibrah Osman, worked fantastically well as the teams' rotating subs, harassing, and frustrating the opposition. Ibrah scored an amazing free throw to stretch the lead, while Salman Hossain was a crucial link player working the entire match without a sub, transitioning defence into attack, and providing valuable support for his captain.

But like the first half, Peakhurst came back, and Canterbury looked like they would be overrun! Papadakis was nervously looking at the clock and there were still 8 minutes to go, and Peakhurst were coming home with a wet sail.

This is when a team demonstrates their character. This is when a leader shows their strength. Amarlin the captain, responded incredibly, by lifting the intensity even higher and motivating his players. Initially with a 3-point bomb and then by driving them and encouraging them, forcefully at times, but squeezing everything out of them; resulting in an amazing victory.

By then the yr. 9's and 7's was on the sideline cheering and when the final siren sounded the scenes of jubilation on the court, symbolised what it meant to the team and the school. A lifelong achievement!

Mr Papadakis (coach)

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## **Presentation Day**

On Monday 5<sup>th</sup> of December, we celebrated our high achieving students for 2021 and 2022. The event was hosted at Canterbury Girls High School and was a fantastic evening celebrating with our school and the community. Thank you to all that worked so tirelessly to make the night such a success.



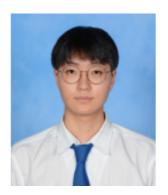


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## Cantabrian Recipients 2021

Year 11: Heewon Seo



Heewon Seo is a true embodiment of a Cantabrian. Over the past five years, Heewon has continually strived to improve himself both academically and personally. Heewon is a keen student, accomplished musician, avid volleyball player and an important member of the school community. Great listener, humble, committed, hardworking, diligent, and respectful are just some of the words used by his teachers to describe him.

#### Year 10: Aaron Kama

Aaron Kama is the deserving recipient of this prestigious Cantabrian Award. He is a respectful young man who consistently exhibits the personal qualities of a true Cantabrian. In awarding Aaron, we would like to commend him for his positive and mature behaviour, reflecting on his actions and attitude to learning. He respects his peers, engages admirably with his teachers, and interacts genuinely with the wider community. Aaron volunteers selflessly to support school initiatives and never seeks praise for his efforts. He displays a strong worth ethic both in the classroom and the sporting field, always giving his best and



supporting those around him. Aaron is respectful in his interactions with all the staff at Canterbury Boys, displaying maturity beyond his years - a true role model for the school's motto Truth and Honour. Aaron consistently wears his uniform with pride, has an excellent attendance record, and maintained excellent learning habits over the year. It is with great pride that the school presents him with the Year 10 Cantabrian Award.

Year 9: Sheikh Mainussaman



Sheikh represents our school motto Truth and Honour proudly, as well as encapsulating all the qualities of an exemplary student. He has participated with enthusiasm in a variety of programs across the school and continued to do so during remote learning. Sheikh is a talented, hardworking, and bright young man who contributes positively to the school community.

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#### **Year 8: Courtney Kawaley**

Courtney is a great listener and his attitude of kindness and support is valued by all of his peers and teachers who know he is always willing to help other people. He puts effort into everything he does, despite setbacks such as the lockdown and a broken arm, which shows how committed he is to improve his abilities and skills. He is a true Cantabrian.



Year 7: Selim Sarikaya



Selim has had a great introductory year to his secondary studies. He has been an excellent all-round student who strives to improve himself in all things. In conversations with his teachers and reading through his reports, he puts in a great effort to every subject, even with topics he might not like which is a sign of his maturity and belief in school values. Selim has played an active role in extracurricular activities around the school and is well known for his famous victory over Mr Miller in the Chess Club. He expresses interesting perspectives which adds to his well-rounded personality. He has

treated his peers with dignity and warmth, which makes it easy for them to reciprocate this respect. Congratulations Selim.





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## Cantabrian Recipients 2022

#### Year 11: Eddie Sharma



The recipient for this year's Cantabrian award is Eddie Sharma. While his was a difficult decision to make as there are many Year 11 students who are worthy of this award, it is with great pride that the school presents Eddie with the year 11 Cantabrian Award. Eddie is a respectful young man who has demonstrated integrity and commitment to the school community and our motto of Truth and Honour. In his academic success Eddie has shown dedication, perseverance, quiet achievements, and solid learning habits. He has displayed excellent attendance and his outstanding uniform record

shows that he represents our school with pride and honour both at school and when representing Canterbury Boys in the community. Congratulations Eddie.

#### **Year 10: Antonio Antaky**

Antonio is a mature young man who proudly represents the school motto of Truth and Honour, as well as the values of a serious learner. He is extremely talented, hardworking and is already on his way to attaining his future goals in hospitality. Antonio encapsulates all the qualities of an exemplary student and is a positive role model for his peers. He participates regularly in extra curricula activities such as volunteering for the Exodus program. Antonio is a cooperative, generous, and thoughtful student, who is highly deserving of this award.



Year 9: Richard Le



Richard's positive attitude has been unwavering. He demonstrates an excellent work ethic, making learning the first priority of all lessons. He always maintains a cooperative and positive attitude in his interactions with students and staff. Richard shows a clear sense of initiative in his studies and excels when working collaboratively with others. He has taken on a leadership role as a member of the SRC, supporting school activities enthusiastically and he has a positive influence on his peers. Richard exemplifies the qualities of a true and honourable Cantabrian.



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#### Year 8: Ibrahim Syed

Ibrahim consistently demonstrates an excellent attitude to his studies. He is always ready to think about new ideas and push himself out of his comfort zone. We commend him for his determination and resilience to set such high standards for himself. Ibrahim does not hesitate in helping the people around him. Teachers acknowledge that Ibrahim is proud of his work, and he should be. He should also be proud of the student he is and the positive impact he has had in the classroom. We look forward to Ibrahim maintaining these standards of excellence until his graduation in four years' time.



Year 7: Tevita Lauaki



Tevita Lauaki has been nominated for the Year 7 Cantabrian, amongst a group of outstanding Year 7 boys. He demonstrates all the qualities of a true Cantabrian including being respectful, polite, friendly, and presenting as a confident person who represents his family and school with pride. Tevita makes learning his priority as he is always in full school uniform and engaged in all classes, where he has always applied himself with diligence and enthusiasm. He has shown a great willingness to help others as well as being involved in whole school activities. An example has been his leadership skills, as captain of the Year 7 basketball team

during the Grade Sport season. As the Year 7 Adviser, I am very proud of Tevita who epitomizes our Cantabrian values: Congratulations Tevita.







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