



GENAZZANO
FCJ COLLEGE

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Celebrating the Class of 2023

VCE Results



Congratulations Class of 2023.

All 109 students in the Class of 2023 have successfully earned their Victorian Certificate of Education. Among them, 108 students from Genazzano's graduating class have received their ATAR results today. Congratulations to every student for exemplifying the College's values of courage and confidence throughout their senior secondary education.

At Genazzano FCJ College, we pride ourselves on providing a holistic education for students that allows them to become well-rounded women ready to take on tomorrow. We recognise that a single score never fully defines our success. We believe that every girl has the potential to make her mark on the world, and we empower our students to become change-makers, to choose their own futures, and to transform the world by taking action and advocating for social change. Congratulations to the entire cohort for their ongoing commitment, collaboration, courage, and confidence to complete their VCE studies, some of which were undertaken during COVID lockdowns and sickness.

Heartfelt congratulations to Madelyn Bui for being distinguished as the Dux of Genazzano FCJ College for 2023. Madelyn's impressive ATAR score of 99.6 stands as a testament to her exceptional academic prowess and unwavering commitment to excellence. As detailed in our profiles, Madelyn has truly embodied the spirit of a Gen girl, demonstrating versatility and active engagement in various areas of College life. Her contributions have positively impacted not only her fellow students but also the broader community.

Overall, the median ATAR was 87.4

7 students were in the top 1% of the state, and 41 students achieved an ATAR above 90. Congratulations to the following students who also achieved an ATAR over 99: Madelyn Bui 99.6, Hoi Tung (Kathy) Chang 99.45, Emily Kamel 99.45, Miranda McTigue 99.4, Fiona Pan 99.3, Chinan Yang 99.15, and Katerina Lim 99. These young women are excited to apply for tertiary studies at the University of Melbourne or Monash University. Their passions lie in Law, Arts, Medicine,

Bio-Medicine, Chemical Engineering, Engineering, and Science, many with double degrees.

Our Class of 2023 attained four perfect study scores as part of their outstanding commitment during their VCE journey. The attitude and determination of the graduating class is reflective of what it means to be a Genazzano student – someone who remains positive and focused, approaches challenges head-on, has the courage to ask for help, works with their class and team, and has the confidence to keep going. These results acknowledge the efforts of our community, which has supported these young women in their final two years of schooling. Parents, carers, teachers, ancillary staff, and school leaders have all played valuable roles in supporting these students during their VCE studies.

Congratulations to the Class of 2023, I am so proud of you. I am certain that as you venture into the world, you will remain, at your core, a Gen Girl. I hope that you will continue to have a heart for justice, possessing and putting into practice our College values of excellence, companionship, dignity, hope, and gentleness. Remember, you are surrounded by women filled with potential for creativity, innovation, and change in a challenging and evolving world.



At Genazzano, we encourage students to leverage their strengths and talents and excel in new and diverse ways. Our inclusive, non-selective, unique environment allows girls to grow personally and academically and develop the life skills they need to succeed in life beyond school.

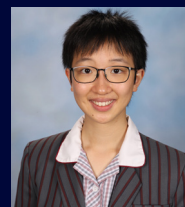
Loretta Wholley
Principal

Dux of subject

Congratulations to our students who were the Dux in each area of the following studies at Genazzano FCJ College.

Accounting	Madelyn Bui
Applied Computing	Hannah O'Flynn
Art: Creative Practice	Hoi Tung (Kathy) Chang
Art: Making and Exhibiting	Lucy Smith
Biology	Sienna Van Velzen & ZhuJun (Sarah) Ke
Business Management	Phoebe Berry & Katherine Montagner
Chemistry	Emily Kamel
Chinese 1st Language	Che (Jannie) Liu
Chinese Lang: Culture & Society	Chloe Park
Chinese: 2nd Lang Advanced	Sichen (Selina) Li
Chinese: 2nd Language	Catherine Huang
Dance	Bridget Mori
Dance VET	Alannah De Maria
English	Sophie Chen (AMC)
English as an Additional Language	Runjia (Mary) Lui
English Language	Hoi Tung (Kathy) Chang
Food Studies	Niamh Gorman
French	Katerina Lim
General Mathematics	Germana Di Scala
Global Politics	Madeleine Driscoll
Health and Human Development	Alice Birrell
History: Revolutions	Miranda McTigue
Italian	Lauren Valentino
Latin	Ariyana Wanigasekera Farik
Legal Studies	Germana Di Scala & Amber Hecker
Literature	Miranda McTigue
Mathematical Methods	Miranda McTigue & Emily Kamel
Media	Alexandria Abeyewardene
Philosophy	Lauren Valentino
Physical Education	Klara Seidel & Maria Youssef
Physics	Lara Rodriguez Villavicencio
Product Design and Technology	Alice Birrell
Psychology	Charlotte Bunn
Religion and Society	Ella Vodopija
Specialist Mathematics	Emily Kamel
Theatre Studies	Ines Brear
Visual Communication and Design	Chinan Yang

Number perfect study scores



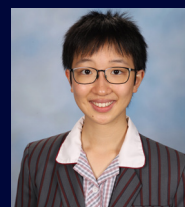
Hoi Tung (Kathy) Chang

Art Creative Practice
Teacher: Kirstie Murrirhy



Emily Kamel

Chemistry
Teacher: Fisun Kewming



Hoi Tung (Kathy) Chang

English Language
Teacher: Daniel Lodder

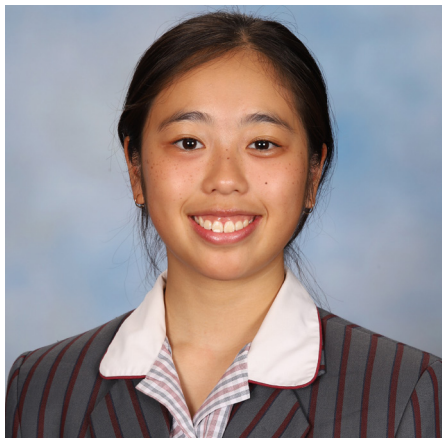


Charlotte Bunn

Psychology
Teacher: Alli Lehmann

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College Dux



Madelyn Bui
99.6

Congratulations to Madelyn Bui on achieving the well-deserved honour of being named the Dux of Genazzano FCJ College for 2023. Madelyn's remarkable Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR) of 99.6 reflects her outstanding academic achievements and dedication to excellence.

Madelyn's exceptional results in Chemistry, English Language, Mathematical Methods, Specialists Mathematics, including Business Management during her Year 11 studies showcase her proficiency across a diverse range of subjects. Her commitment to academic success is further emphasized by her diligence and disciplined approach to learning, actively seeking and constructively acting upon feedback from her teachers.

Having embarked on her educational journey at Genazzano as a Year 7 student in 2018, Madelyn has fully immersed herself in the College community. Described by her teachers as an incredibly diligent learner, she not only excelled academically but also achieved the Silver Duke of Edinburgh's International Award in 2021, highlighting her commitment to personal development and service.

Madelyn's engagement in sports demonstrates her well-rounded nature. Actively participating in Saturday Netball,

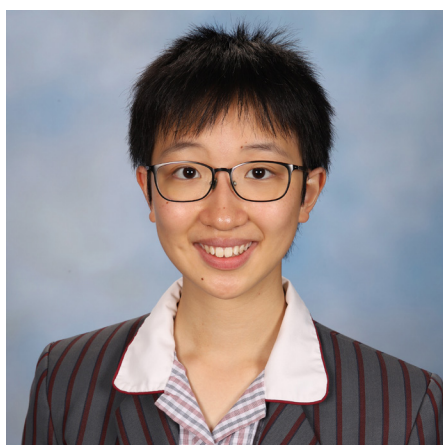
Tennis, Diving, Rowing, Madeline Strings, Soccer, and Gen Productions, Madelyn has showcased her talents across various domains, contributing to the vibrant sports and cultural life at Genazzano.

Madelyn was recognised with the Australian Defence Force Future Innovators Award in 2023 - testament to her abilities in technology and engineering. This prestigious award reflects her motivation and innovation in the areas of STEM within the school, coupled with a demonstration of strong personal ethical values, such as doing one's best.

Madelyn's ability to expertly balance her academic pursuits with a diverse range of co-curricular activities and community engagement is truly commendable. Her achievements culminate in her being awarded the prestigious title of Dux of Genazzano for 2023.

As Madelyn embarks upon the next stage of her educational journey, we extend our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes for continued success. Madelyn's achievements and dedication serve as an inspiration, and we look forward to witnessing her make meaningful contributions in all her future pursuits. Congratulations once again to Madelyn Bui, the Dux of Genazzano FCJ College for 2023.

Proxime Accessit



Hoi Tung (Kathy) Chang
99.45

We congratulate Hoi Tung (Kathy) Chang as our Proxime Accessit on her outstanding Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank of 99.45. She received a perfect study score of 50 in both Art Creative Practice and English Language and received excellent results in Chemistry, Chinese Second Language Advanced and Biology, which she studied in Year 11. Kathy received the Christina Cassar Memorial Award for reliability and endeavour at the Valedictory Awards and was the Boarding House Prefect of Hopetoun Hall.

Kathy's relationships with staff and students embody the Genazzano charism of companionship. She is friendly, approachable, and always genuine. Her capacity to make time for others, to offer unwavering support, and to spread positivity has left an indelible mark on the boarding community. Kathy has a strong sense of social justice and drew on her leadership skills to mobilise others to take action to support those in need.

Kathy led the International Student Voice Project to build intercultural awareness across the College and organised fundraisers to support communities in need. For this work, she was acknowledged by the 2023 Global Learning Awards.

Her teachers recognise her meticulous, dedicated and disciplined approach to her studies. Kathy was also an active member of the College and was involved in the Symphony Orchestra, Combined Orchestra, Snowsports, Badminton, Tennis, and Hockey. As her music teachers have remarked, Kathy's radiant smile during rehearsals is more than just a fleeting expression, it is a testament to the profound joy that creating music brings to her soul.

Congratulations, Kathy, on these outstanding achievements, and we wish you all the best as you embark on your studies in 2024.

High Achievers



Emily Kamel
99.45

Congratulations to Emily on her remarkable achievement and outstanding academic success! Attaining an Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank of 99.45 is a testament to her hard work, dedication, and exceptional academic abilities. Emily achieved a perfect study score of 50 in Chemistry and excellent results in Literature, Mathematical Methods, Specialist Mathematics, Psychology, and Biology. This showcases her depth of knowledge across a range of subjects. It's truly commendable that she also achieved such high standards as a Year 11 student.

Her journey at Genazzano from Year 7 reflects her commitment to both academic excellence and active participation in the College community. Described as a dedicated and conscientious student, Emily has not only excelled in her studies but has also contributed generously to various co-curricular activities. Her involvement in Choir, Gen/Xavier Musical, Fire Carriers, Saturday Netball, and Debating, along with achieving the Striped Colour band,

highlights her well-rounded and enthusiastic approach to college life.

Emily's leadership qualities and positive attitude were recognized with the achievement of her Silver Duke of Edinburgh Award in 2021. This award reflects her commitment, perseverance, and development of skills in service, showcasing a holistic approach to personal and character development.

In 2022, Emily's election as Mission Prefect is further evidence of her leadership abilities and willingness to embody the values and charm of the Sisters FCJ. Leading younger students and representing the College's principles, she has demonstrated her capacity to inspire and make a positive impact on the College community.

As Emily embarks on her future endeavours beyond Genazzano, we extend our heartfelt wishes for her continued success.



Miranda McTigue
99.4

With great pleasure, we congratulate Miranda on her achievement of an outstanding Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank of 99.4. This results from excellent scores in History Revolutions, Literature Mathematical Methods, Global Politics, Specialist Mathematics, and also History Ancients in Year 11.

Miranda joined Genazzano in Year 6 and quickly immersed herself in all the College offers, including Jazz Ensemble, Stage Band, St Vincent de Paul, Chess Club, Badminton, Friday Night School, Library Assistant, FIRE Carriers, Indoor Cricket, Track and Field and Saturday Netball. Her dedication to personal growth and service is evident in her attainment of the Silver Duke of Edinburgh's International Award and her subsequent receipt of the prestigious Gold Laurel Award

for her outstanding contributions to the co-curricular program. Furthermore, her first-place win in The Parliament Prize in 2022 highlights her exemplary dedication to excellence.

Miranda's teachers describe her as inquisitive, innovative, and conscientious. An exceptional student who approaches her studies with a genuine desire for knowledge. In the world of music, her educators applaud her thoughtful and adventurous approach to jazz, where she naturally assumed a leadership role with the Jazz Ensemble, fostering an inclusive environment that her peers deeply valued.

We are so pleased to celebrate Miranda's academic success and eagerly anticipate the remarkable journey that lies beyond Genazzano.



Fiona Pan
99.3

We extend our warmest congratulations to Fiona Pan for achieving an impressive Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank of 99.3. Fiona's journey at Genazzano has been marked by her outstanding achievements and dedicated involvement in both academic and extracurricular spheres.

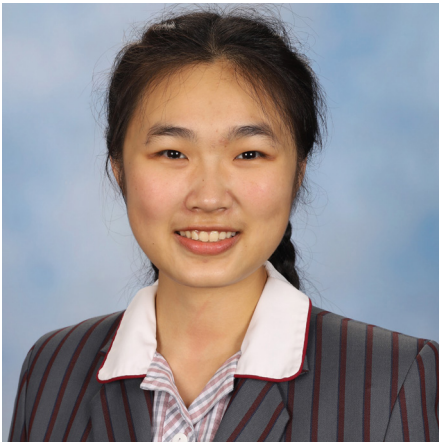
Her commitment to academic excellence is evident in her exceptional performance across subjects such as Creative Arts, Chemistry, English Language, Specialist Mathematics, and also Chinese Second Language during her Year 11 studies. Fiona's pursuit of knowledge extends beyond the classroom, showcasing her diverse interests and unwavering dedication.

Fiona's involvement in a multitude of co-curricular activities speaks volumes about her passion and versatility. From her contributions to the Symphony Orchestra and Painting to her active participation in Friday Night School,

Ethics Olympics, Genazzano Productions, and Choir, Fiona has exhibited a remarkable talent for both artistic expression and academic rigour. Her role as the Arts & Communication Prefect reflects her leadership and commitment to fostering creativity and effective communication within the school community.

Recognized for her achievements, Fiona received the Duke of Edinburgh Silver Award in 2021, highlighting her commitment to personal development, community engagement, and leadership. As Fiona continues her journey, we wish her continued success and fulfilment in all her future endeavours, confident in her ability to make a meaningful impact wherever her path may lead.

High Achievers



Chinan Yang
99.15

We proudly acknowledge Chinan Yang for her remarkable achievement with an Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank of 99.15. Throughout her academic journey, Chinan excelled in subjects of Literature, Specialist Mathematics, Physics, Visual Communication, and also Chinese Second Language during her Year 11 studies.

Chinan's started her Genazzano journey in Year 7, and her commitment and determination have shone through her accomplishments, demonstrating a disciplined approach to both her studies and co-curricular activities. Chinan contributed significantly to Genazzano through her participation in the Symphony Orchestra, Symphonic Band, Flute Chamber Ensemble, and Ensemble Leaders. Her diverse interests were evident in her active engagement with the

Chess Club and Ethics Olympics, showcasing a well-rounded and cooperative spirit.

Recognized for her leadership and talent in music, Chinan received accolades, including the 12D Homeroom Award and several music awards. Her cooperative spirit and disciplined work ethic have been an inspiration to her peers, fostering a collaborative and supportive environment.

As a valued member of Genazzano, Chinan Yang's positive influence extended beyond her academic achievements. Her determination and cooperative nature have left an indelible mark, exemplifying her commitment to excellence. As she moves forward, we extend our heartfelt wishes for her continued success in her future endeavours.



Katerina Lim
99.05

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to Katerina Lim for her exceptional Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank of 99.05. Katerina's dedication and diligence shone brightly in her academic pursuits, achieving excellence in subjects including Chemistry, Literature, French, Specialist Mathematics, including Biology during her Year 11 studies.

Her commitment to both academia and co-curricular activities at Genazzano exemplifies her multifaceted talents and unwavering motivation. Her involvement in Saturday Netball, Rowing, Friday Night School, FIRE Carriers, and Fitness showcases her enthusiasm for diverse pursuits and a disciplined approach to personal growth.

Recognized for her exceptional dedication and perseverance, Katerina achieved the prestigious Gold Duke of Edinburgh Award in 2023, further proof of her commitment to personal development and community engagement. This has not only been reflected in her academic achievements but also in her active participation in the Symphony Orchestra and Symphonic Band.

As Katerina Lim embarks on her journey, we commend her outstanding accomplishments and wish her continued success and fulfilment in her future endeavours.