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To Malek Fahd Islamic School Community
Assalamualaikum

Outstanding performance in HSC

Our students excelled in this year's Higher School Certificate (HSC) to drive Malek Fahd Islamic School up another seven places in the rankings of NSW school performance.

We are now ranked 69th out of almost 600 schools in the State.

We congratulate our students and our teachers for a remarkable achievement in a tough year that tested and tried us all. We've come through with colours flying!

It is a tribute to the hard work and dedication of our students, the professionalism and sacrifices of our teachers and, of course, the support, loyalty and understanding of our parents and families.

Our performance in English, Mathematics, Biology and Chemistry, in particular, stood out. Overall, we bettered the State average in almost all subjects.

We gained 79 Band 6's and 121 Band 5's. Many students received a score of 89, which is just one short of Band 6. Our results were outstanding.

All Extension 2 Mathematics students received a notional Band 6, which is outstanding. Every Compression student in Year 11 achieved Band 6 results for Mathematics and Biology.

There was at a point during the year with the possibility of school closure. Our HSC teachers responded magnificently with extra tuition outside of school hours, on Saturdays and in holidays to make sure everyone completed the syllabus. We are now moving forward and the future looks exceptionally bright.

The seeds of high achievement for HSC are, of course, sown from the day a child arrives at Malek Fahd. Every Malek Fahd teacher, at every year level, will draw satisfaction from today's results. We also are reaping the rewards of our initiative to intensify and allot extra hours and teaching practice in English, Mathematics and Science in Years 7 to 10. This, too, is having a positive impact on HSC performance.

We thank our School Board, Chair Dr John Bennett, previous Chair Ms Miriam Silva and all Board members for their leadership, counsel and support through the year.

Congratulations to everyone who achieved their personal goals in 2017!

Jazakallah Khairan for your ongoing support.

Wassalam

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