



Ellesmere

Academic Success 2013



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Daisy Clarke - Grades A*A*A

University West London Musical Theatre

Daisy joined Ellesmere in the Lower School and eventually progressed to becoming a College Prefect. Her academic ability was complemented by a real talent for Musical Theatre. She proved herself a stalwart in drama presentations and in contributing to music programmes. She relished the House Drama Festival but also enjoyed hockey, netball and rounders.



Kotryna Calova - Grades A*AA

Parsons College, Paris Design

Kotryna joined the College from school in Lithuania. She rapidly made an impact in the Tennis Academy, became Girls Tennis Captain and successfully took part in national tournaments. She also found time to practise playing the piano. Her creativity and practical talents should serve her well in Paris.



Ben Hall - Grades A*AAA

Liverpool University Medicine

Determined to make the most of his opportunities Ben joined the Sixth Form on a scholarship from the Corbet School. He was actively involved in debating, drama and charity work. He also completed his Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award, played hockey for the 1st team and achieved his Grade 7 in drums. During the Easter break he attended the Woodard Schools Master Class at Oxford University. In his second year he became Captain of House and a College Prefect.



Beth Lee - Grades A*AA

Leicester University Medicine

Beth completed her GCSEs in Shrewsbury before transferring to the Ellesmere Sixth Form. She enjoyed being a member of the Chapel Choir and taking part in expeditions as a member of the CCF. She gained work experience in a number of local hospitals and also gave her personal time to help organise a youth group.



Zoe Lin - Grades A*A*A

Imperial College, London
Civil Engineering

Before joining Ellesmere College, Zoe gained experience at the Engineering Design Institute in Shanghai. She relished practical challenges and was able to take part in the College summer expedition to Monduli Green in Tanzania. She was also part of the team who travelled to the Model United Nations Conference in The Hague.



Mark McBrien - Grades A*A*A*AB

Edinburgh University
Medicine

Mark was actively involved in a range of activities in the Sixth Form. He played hockey for the 1st team and debated at the Model United Nations in Bath. He gained the Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award and took part in a number of charity events including the Snowden Run and a sponsored walk for Save the Children.



Rebecca Orr - 45 points (IB)

Cambridge University
History

Rebecca studied the International Baccalaureate and scored the maximum points for her efforts. One of only 100 students from 61,000 candidates world-wide. She secured a place at Cambridge University and looks forward to continuing her education in the "best university in Britain".



Emily Palmer - Grades A*A*AA

Birmingham University
Medicine

Emily achieved academic success in both the Biology Olympiad and the UK Maths Challenge. She was a member of the Chapel Choir from Year 9 when she also joined the CCF. She took part in a number of expeditions including adventure training in the Cairngorms and canoeing along the river Wye. As Head Girl she helped lead the team of prefects and assist in planning the Sixth Form Ball.



James Morrison - 40 points (IB)

King's College, London
History

James joined the Sixth Form because of the opportunities offered by the International Baccalaureate. Besides his academic abilities, he was a gifted cricketer and enjoyed being able to play in the Woodard Festival at the end of the Summer Term. He also played football for the 1st XI and joined the team on its tour to northern Spain. After finishing his studies, he travelled to South America to help improve his command of Spanish.



John Paul - Grades A*A*AA

Oxford University
Music

John was a student at Ellesmere since the age of 10. He joined as a very keen and able musician with high hopes and ambitions. Following an impressive set of GCSE results, achieving straight A* at GCSE, John studied Music, Music Technology, Maths, Advanced Maths and Chemistry at A-Level. John goes up to Oxford to continue his passion for music and composing.



Joe Pescod - Grades A*AA

Royal Veterinary College, London
Veterinary Medicine

Always clear on his future career Joe had work experience on a number of local farms and in veterinary practices. He was fortunate to participate in a conservation scheme in Madagascar (learning techniques for species differentiation). He enjoyed debating and represented the College at the Model United Nations conference in Bath. He was House Captain and an Under Officer in the CCF.



Julia Schuster - 39 points (IB)

King's College, London
Business Management

Julia's home is in Germany but she was attracted by the academic opportunities offered by the International Baccalaureate (and by the possibility of joining the tennis academy). She was part of the winning team in the Aegon National tennis finals and also represented her House in a variety of other sports. She sang in the Chapel Choir and enjoyed debating with the Model United Nations group in the Netherlands.

