DURBAN GIRLS' COLLEGE

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Dear Grade 12 Parents

It is with immense pride that we extend our congratulations on the achievements of the Class of 2024 in the National Senior Certificate (NSC) IEB examinations. These remarkable young women have worked diligently to reach this milestone, and their results reflect their tenacity and dedication to academic excellence.

As always, academic success is a collective effort, and we are thankful to you, the parents, for the critical role you have played in this journey. The encouragement and support you have provided at home has laid the foundation for these achievements.

We are thrilled to share a summary of our results:

- **100% Pass Rate**
- **99% Bachelor's Degree Pass**
- **233 Distinctions (3.2 distinctions per pupil on average)**
- **84% of candidates achieved an A or B aggregate**

Exceptional Individual Achievements

8 Distinctions

- **1st Place: Jia Patel – 96% (including 99% for Mathematics and 99% for History)** Top 1% Nationally in Accounting, Afrikaans FAL, English, History, Life Orientation, Mathematics and Physical Sciences. IEB Outstanding Achiever.
- **4th Place: Seo Hyun An – 90%** Top 1% Nationally in History
- Ruhi Mudely – 87%
- Ayesha Solwa – 86%

7 Distinctions

- **2nd Place: Mikha Maharaj – 93%** Top 1% Nationally in Business Studies, English, Life Orientation and Life Sciences. IEB Outstanding Achiever.
- **3rd Place: Khanyanjalo Mkhwanazi – 91%** Top 1% Nationally in English and History. IEB Commendable Achiever.
- Zara Dhooma – 87%
- Kellan Littley – 82%

6 Distinctions

- Tayo Haley – 85%
- Ruby Kraus – 80%
- Sisanda Madlala – 85% Top 1% Nationally in isiZulu
- Tusumenzi Majozi – 82%
- Bethel Mesele – 83%

5 Distinctions

- Salma Bejia
- Ella Carstens
- Amelia Darby-Wade
- Jordyn De Matteis Top 1% Nationally in Consumer Studies and Geography
- Zaara Francis
- Gia Gillmer
- Jenny Mac Donald
- Sapna Singh
- Sienna Smith

4 Distinctions

- Kimiera Jeewan
- Rebecca Martin
- Payal Outar
- Leah Parry
- Mayuri Ramsamy
- Asimbonge Zulu

Top 1% Nationally in isiZulu Thando'kuhle Ntaka

While we take immense pride in these results, we also recognize and celebrate the personal bests achieved by many of our students, which reflect their resilience and determination to succeed.

Our heartfelt thanks go to the Grade 12 teaching team and support staff for their unwavering dedication and commitment, as well as to every teacher who has played a role in preparing these girls for this moment, from their earliest days at Durban Girls' College. Your passion and expertise have inspired a love for learning and laid the foundation for this success.

As the Class of 2024 disembarks the Galleon, we eagerly look forward to witnessing the incredible contributions these young women will make as they venture into the world, empowered and confident to lead and innovate.

Thank you for your continued support and for being a vital part of the Durban Girls' College family.

Yours sincerely

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