

## **EAST OTAGO HIGH SCHOOL - PRIZE LIST 2025**

### **Class Prizes:**

**Year 7CW:** Natalia Chikwenhere (Merit Art); Axel McLeod (Merit Materials Technology); Kaiden Lott (Merit Music, Merit Science); Spencer Smith (Merit Mathematics, First Home Economics, First Physical Education & Health); Olivia Ferguson (Merit Home Economics, Merit Information Technology, Merit Māori, First English, First Music, First Social Studies, **Overall Merit**); Larissa Maw (Merit English, Merit Information Technology, Merit Physical Education & Health, Merit Social Studies, First Art, First Māori, First Materials Technology, First Mathematics, First Science, Citizenship Award, **Overall Excellence**).

**Year 8CW:** Izzy Connell (Merit Music, First Equal Science); Robert Ahlbrandt (Merit Social Studies, First English, First Equal Mathematics); Joshua Bani (Merit Home Economics, First Materials Technology, First Music, Citizenship Award); Paige Kearney (Merit Information Technology, Merit Physical Education & Health, First Equal Mathematics, First Equal Science); Emily Scott (Merit English, Merit Māori, Merit Materials Technology, First Art, First Social Studies, **Overall Merit**); Aria Church (Merit Art, First Information Technology, First Māori, First Physical Education & Health, **Overall Merit**).

**Year 7SD:** Kaydence Steel-Bruce (First Art); Isla Wardle (Merit Art, Merit Māori, Citizenship Award); Kaea Grant (Merit Physical Education & Health, Merit Science); Eli Takimoana (First Materials Technology, First Music); Luke Heckler (Merit Materials Technology, Merit Mathematics, First Information Technology, First Physical Education & Health); Sapphire Ollerenshaw (Merit English, Merit Music, First Home Economics, First Māori, First Social Studies); Nicole Fiala (Merit Home Economics, Merit Information Technology, Merit Social Studies, First English, First Mathematics, First Science, **Overall Merit**).

**Year 8SD:** Oliver Larking (Citizenship Award); Jasmine Ahlbrandt (Merit Materials Technology); Nathan Du Preez (Merit Art, Merit Music); Autumn Walker (Merit Māori, Merit Social Studies); Carley Porter (Merit Mathematics, Merit Science, Merit Physical Education & Health, First Equal English); Evie Peddie (First Materials Technology), Ruby O'Connell (First Art, First Mathematics, First Music); Ella Dippie (Merit Home Economics, First Equal English, First Māori, First Physical Education & Health, First Science, First Social Studies, **Overall Excellence**).

**Year 7MG:** Landon Scott (Merit Music), Darcy Johnston (Merit Materials Technology, Citizenship Award); Lucy Hutcheson (Merit Māori, First Physical Education & Health); Madeline Quaid (Merit English, First Home Economics, First Materials Technology, First Social Studies); Annie Browne (Merit Information Technology, Merit Mathematics, Merit Science, First Art, First English, First Equal Māori, **Overall Merit**); Jackson Foote (Merit Art, Merit Physical Education & Health, Merit Social Studies, First Equal Māori, First Information Technology, First Mathematics, First Music, First Science, **Overall Excellence**).

**Year 8MG:** Holly Bourne (Merit Home Economics); Frankie Fitzgerald (Merit Social Studies); Jun Liang (Merit Mathematics); Emily Howard (Merit Information Technology); Ruby Pullyn (Merit Materials Technology); Ella Johnson (Merit Art); Liv Lee (Merit English, Merit Science); Kane Kelly (Merit Home Economics, Merit Māori, First Materials Technology, First Physical Education & Health); Jademaree Bambery-South (First English, First Māori); Sophie McWilliam (Merit Physical Education & Health, First Art, First Music, First Social Studies, Citizenship Award, **Overall Merit**); Indi Ollerenshaw (Merit Music, First Information Technology, First Mathematics, First Science, **Overall Merit**).

**Year 9:** Aleczaender Saunderson (Merit Materials Technology), Ryan Fallow (Merit Music), Mariah Goldsmith (Merit Te Reo), Tyler Vickers (Merit Agriculture), Ava Todd (Merit Art, Merit Social Science); Addison Miller (Merit Physical Education / Health, First Te Reo); Sonny Browne (Merit English, Merit Mathematics, Merit Science, First Physical Education / Health); Lauchy Staley (Merit English, Merit Social Science, First Agriculture, First Home Economics, First Information Communication Technology, First Materials Technology, Citizenship Award, **Overall Merit**), Abigail Foote (First Art, First English, First Mathematics, First Music, First Science, First Social Science, Citizenship Award, **Overall Excellence**).

**Year 10:** Livana Skevington (Merit Social Science), Ray Ottley (First Materials Technology), Rhema Bani (Merit Art, Merit Physical Education / Health), Kane Crowther (Merit Te Reo, First Music), Kody Lozell (Merit Mathematics, First Art), Casey Bussell (Merit Music, First Science); Lacey Thompson (Merit Home Economics, First Te Reo); Caleb Ferguson (Merit Agriculture, Merit Materials Technology, First Information Communication Technology); Chloe Flavell (Merit English, Merit Science, First Physical Education / Health, First Social Science); Jennifer Fiala (Merit Social Science, First Agriculture, First English, First Mathematics, **Overall Merit**).

**Year 11:** Imogen Knox (Merit Foundation Studies); Salote Papau (Merit Music), Yvanah Lawrence (Merit Agricultural Science, Merit Building, Construction); Layla O'Connell (Merit Humanities, Merit Mathematics); Ciara Clark (Merit Foundation Studies, Citizenship Award); Caelyn Cadogan-Reid (First English); Kelsea Steel (First Home Economics); Anika Thomson (First Art); Sophie Hutcheson (Merit Physical Education, First Agricultural Science); Falco Hurrell (Merit Art, First Building, Construction); Lily Newcombe (Merit English, First Equal Business Studies, First Music, First Science, **Overall Merit**); Grace Jackson (Merit English, Merit Science, First Equal Business Studies, First Humanities, First Mathematics, First Physical Education, **Overall Excellence**).

**Year 12:** Tyler Eder (Merit Biology); Tremorgan Ottley (Merit Art); Conrad McGhie (Merit Agriculture); Lakaia Harris (Merit Building, Construction, Merit Foundation Studies); Ashley Te Huia (Merit Outdoor Education, Merit Physical Education, Citizenship Award); Skye van Dyk (First Art); Rufus Gifford (First Building, Construction); Molly Scott (Merit Humanities, First Foundation Studies, First Biology, First Business Studies, **Overall Merit**); Ethan Te Raki (Merit English, First Mathematics, First Outdoor Education, First Physics, **Overall Merit**); Juliet Clare (Merit Physics, First Chemistry, First English, First Humanities, First Physical Education, **Overall Excellence**).

**Year 13:** Ava Eddy (Merit Music, First Art); Ashley Howard (Merit Biology); Lilly Kemp (First Building, Construction); Max Nimmo (Merit Building, Construction, Merit History); Addisyn Lawrence (Merit English, First Biology, First Calculus, First Chemistry, First Physics, **Overall Excellence**); Samuel Paton (Merit Calculus, Merit English, Merit Physics, First History, **Overall Merit**); Kacey Clark (Merit Outdoor Education, Merit Physical Education, Citizenship Award); Greta McCaw (Merit Art, First Music); Paige Walker (First English, First Outdoor Education, First Physical Education, **Overall Merit**).

**Sports Awards:** Sporting Excellence Year 9 (Addison Miller); Sporting Excellence Year 10 (Livana Skevington); Sporting Excellence Year 11 (Ryan Howard); Sporting Excellence Year 12 (Ashley Te Huia); Sporting Excellence Year 13 (Paige Walker); Netball - Hagan Family Trophy (Arabella Hagan); Tracey Burgess Memorial Trophy - best female junior basketball (Addison Miller).

**Premier Sport Awards:** East Otago High School Spirit Award (Kacey Clark); East Otago High School Contribution to Sport Trophy (Ella McGregor); Courtney Duncan Cup (Ryan Howard); East Otago High School Sportsperson of the Year: - Maori (Sophie Hutcheson); East Otago High School All-Round Sportsperson of the Year (Kane Kelly); East Otago High School Sportsperson of the Year: - Male (Ryan Howard); East Otago High School Sportsperson of the Year: - Female (Arabella Hagan); East Otago High School overall sportsperson of the year (Ryan Howard); Sporting Blues (Ryan Howard for Ice Hockey and Arabella Hagan for Netball).

**Music and Arts Awards:** Excellence in Guitar (Lily Newcombe), Excellence in Drums (Lily Newcombe), Excellence in Bass Guitar (Lily Newcombe), Excellence in Piano (Lily Newcombe), E.O.H.S. Cup for most improved string player (Lily Newcombe), Galloway Cup for Best Vocal Performance (Greta McCaw); The Edna Heckler Memorial Cup for Contribution to School Music (Greta McCaw); The Melanie Sloan Cup for performance in the Arts (Greta McCaw).

**Special Subject Awards:** Promising Writers Award (Lily Newcombe), The Joyce Whyman Intermediate Speech Trophy (Jackson Foote); Waihemo Council Junior Speech Trophy (Abigail Foote); Waihemo Council Senior Speech Trophy (Paige Walker); Public Speaking Shield - for outstanding representation of the school in public speaking forums (Samuel Paton); Jan Malloch Cup - Senior English Award (Paige Walker); J.Tansey Memorial Trophy - For special effort in Year 11/12 Geography (Grace Jackson); Gateway Trophy for Diligence (Imogen Knox); Gateway Trophy for Outstanding Effort (Molly Scott); Askin Trophies - for Excellence in senior Materials Technology BCATS (Building Construction and Allied Trade Skills) - Year 10 (Ray Ottley), Year 11 (Falco Hurrell), Level Two/ Three (Lilly Kemp); Visual Arts Trophy (Kate Howard); Tony Jenkins Cup - Senior Mathematics (Addisyn Lawrence), Science Cup (Addisyn Lawrence).

### **Special Awards**

Initiative in Leadership Trophy (Samuel Paton); Eon Middlemass Shield - (Presented to a student who has made an outstanding contribution to the school's outdoor education programme), Junior: Year Seven (Axel McLeod), Senior: Outdoor Education (Paige Walker); Nicola Black Memorial Cup - for demonstrating and fostering School Spirit (Paige Walker); A.W. Familton Trophy - for excellence in an area, academic, sporting or music in Year 12 or 13. (Paige Walker).

**Principal's Awards for School Leadership:** Gwen Hewson Prize for the best all round academic, sporting and cultural achievement by a Year 9/10 student (Abigail Foote); The Remembrance Cups - for effort in the Junior School (Rhema Bani); for effort in the Senior School (Tyler Eder); The Ann Coe Cup (Ella Dippie); J Rangi Ellison Prize - for a senior student who contributes positively to Maori Culture (Jada Hewitt); David Tohurangi Trophy for academic excellence by a Te Reo Māori (Ethan Te Raki).

**Special Trophies:** Leadership Cups - Joy Aitchison Cup (Addisyn Lawrence); Ian Keach Cup (Samuel Paton); **The Jubilee Cups** - for academic achievement in Year 9 (Abigail Foote), For academic achievement in Year 10 (Jennifer Fiala); for academic achievement in Year 11 (Grace Jackson); for academic achievement in Year 12 (Juliet Clare).

**Scholarships:** Mana Pounamu Teina Award (Sophie Hutcheson); Mana Pounamu Tuakana Award ( Andreis Fuatavai); John Macdonald Scholarships - The scholarships recognise two students in Year 8, who consistently model the school's values (Joshua Bani & Carley Porter); John Campbell Thomas Academic Scholarship (Addisyn Lawrence); John Campbell Thomas Cultural Scholarship (Greta McCaw); Paramount Health Care Academic Scholarship (Addisyn Lawrence); Paramount Health Care Cultural Scholarship (Greta McCaw); Otago Polytechnic Principal's Scholarship for 2025 (Kacey Clark).

**Head Students & Prefects 2026:** Head Student (Juliet Clare, Ashley Te Huia); Deputy Head Student (Ethan Te Raki, Tyler Eder); Academic Prefect (Caelyn Cadogan-Reid, Grace Jackson); Sports Prefect (Ciara Clark, Arabella Hagan); Māori Prefect (Lakaia Harris); Pasifika Prefect (Dwayne Bagla); Arts Prefect (Lily Newcombe, Kelsea Steel).

**Proxime Accessit:** (Samuel Paton)

**The Berry and Co. Dux for 2025:** (Addisyn Lawrence)