

## Media Release

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## **Mayor recognises HSC High Achievers**

Council has recognised the outstanding efforts of hundreds of local young people that excelled in their 2017 Higher School Certificate.

Mayor of Camden, Lara Symkowiak, held a reception to congratulate the achievements of 282 former high school students that received a band five or six result.

"We continue to see a growing number of young people achieving excellent results in their studies, which is a credit to them, their families, carers and teachers," Cr Symkowiak said.

"Last year, Council extended its level of free support to students through its library services HSC program which included access to past exam papers, workshops with study and test experts and the 'Paws for a Second' program for emotional support," she said.

"I commend all students for completing their HSC for their perseverance and resilience as it's a tough year to get through."

The students were nominated by their respective schools, which included Camden High School, Elderslie High School, Elizabeth Macarthur High School, Macarthur Anglican School, Magdalene Catholic High School, Mount Annan High School, Mount Annan Christian College and St Benedict's Catholic College.

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