



Moriah College  
בית ספר הר המוריה

# Our Achievements *Class of 2010*

*friendship*

*excellence*

*responsibility*

*respect*

*loyalty*



*dedication*

*teamwork*

*leadership*

*menschlikheit*

*resilience*

# OUR COLLEGE PRINCIPAL/CEO



## Kimble J Fillingham College Principal & CEO

One of the great problems confronting any high reputation individual or organisation or product is whether it is possible to maintain the standards of excellence that warrant the claim to "vintage" status.

I am delighted to present a summary of our outstanding 2010 Higher School Certificate results and confer with pride, gratitude and admiration the term "vintage" once again.

Congratulations to the class of 2010 – you have maximised the opportunities that Moriah College provided for you and through commitment, perseverance and hopefully a lot of fun along the way, achieved an extraordinary set of results.

All of our students have achieved results of which they can be proud. Each one of our students has achieved a personal growth that has resulted from the educational, spiritual, social and emotional milieu that is Moriah College.

We are very proud of each and every member of the Class of 2010. It has been a group of students that was both cohesive and highly individualistic; independent thinkers who challenge their world but young men and women who value highly the traditions and culture of their Jewish community and upbringing.

They are fine young people who have worked collaboratively with their teachers, not only in the HSC years but from their very first years in Moriah. They have bonded with, capitalised on and been enriched by the experiences, opportunities and relationships that they have developed with their teachers who have given so much of themselves to contribute to the growth of these wonderful young men and women.

The Class of 2010 demonstrates the benefit of the partnership between our students, teachers and parents – a partnership that has borne fruit in so many diverse and outstanding results.

In 2010 we have gained four Top of State on the ATAR; five First in Course places and many students on the order of merit list for a wide array of subjects; we have twenty-five students on the Honours List; we have an amazingly high percentage of students scoring Bands 5 and 6; we have four students who share the honour of being Dux of Moriah College and according to the various

## Dux 2010

Mazal Tov to **Tali Feiglin, Jessica Glanz, Nathan Hauser and Katherine Tobias** on achieving an ATAR of 99.95 (highest mark achievable) and a place on the Honour Roll.

analyses of result bands in the media, we excel as the most outstanding co-educational independent school in New South Wales.

I commend the following snapshot to you as a representation of our students' achievements and aspirations, but most importantly a chance for you to explore and appreciate the diverse array of wonderful young people who make Moriah College what it is today and will be for the future.

Our Class of 2010 have left the nurturing, guiding and protective environment of Moriah College. They have left the educational "nest", ready to spread their wings. We know that they are well equipped to take their places proudly and confidently as contributors to the Jewish and wider community.

They are and will always be, part of the Moriah Family, initially as members of Yedid / Alumni and hopefully in time to come as proud parents providing their children with a Moriah experience – an education second to none.

I wish them all well for their future and a hearty Mazel Tov on their achievements.

## State Honour Roll

Students who have achieved >90 (Band 6) in at least 10 units of study

Iliya Borecki	Jessica Kaye
Joshua Druery	Rafael Lawrence
Jesse Ende	Alexandra Rosenberg
Tali Feiglin	Nadya Royal
Britt Friede	Marc Segall
Jessica Glanz	Zac Seidler
Samuel Gonski	Daniel Shnier
Madeleine Gottlieb	Chloe Silver
Nathan Hauser	Joanna Sleight
Simona Henley	Hannah Stern
Alexi Israel	Katherine Tobias
Justin Katz	Joshua Veltman
Adam Kaye	



Photo courtesy Henry Benjamin

## First in Subject in the State

**Madeleine Gottlieb**

English Extension 2

**Elise Kempler (Year 11 Accelerant)**

Modern Hebrew Continuers

**Jesse Ende**

Software Design & Development

**Katherine Tobias**

Classical Hebrew Continuers

Classical Hebrew Extension 1

# OUR COLLEGE LEADERS



**John Hamey**  
**Head of High School**



**Vicki Farkas**  
**Head of Curriculum**

Time stands still for no-one and so you have arrived at yet another door that is opening to a wonderment of choice beyond what has become such familiar territory to you all. If you can remember that far back, is the feeling inside just a little like the one you had when you started school? Perhaps a touch of fear of the unknown and whether the decisions you are about to make are indeed the right ones for you?

**Jo Hanlan**  
**Year 12 Coordinator**

The young men and women of Year 12 embody a diversity of interests, passions and talents. They are a group who have always celebrated their own differences while building a strong sense of their collective identity, and a group that have defined themselves, particularly this year, through their shared experiences. It has been a privilege to have worked with a group that I have always known to be good natured,

There is a lovely Jewish expression “kol hatchalot kashot” – all beginnings are difficult, and so you are about to embark on another new chapter in your life which will bring with it unique difficulties to each and every one of you. As a group you had a genuine commitment to your studies and you developed a strong working relationship with your teachers which made it a joy to learn and teach alongside all of you. It is safe to say that your academic achievements will surpass most of your expectations and again this year we as a College will be extremely proud of your HSC results.

Whilst this in itself is wonderful, your strong sense of solidarity, spirit and a desire to make things better will serve you well in the future and will assist in meeting any new difficulties with the same spirit and passion that you met the challenges of your last two years of school.

Success is not just a measure of individual achievement it is more often than not a measure of how you demonstrate citizenship, collegiality and generosity towards your friends and indeed your community. You should leave Moriah with a true sense of your tradition and heritage and though you will strive to maintain your individuality you need to appreciate

well-intentioned and who have always responded to challenges with a sense of humour and resilience.

This is a highly talented and creative year group, whose diverse interests and achievements were very apparent at the Moriah “On Show” celebration of major works, the culmination of months of hard work, independent research and a passionate devotion to developing works of art to a level of excellence. Whether through innovative designs, musical compositions, postmodern narratives or drama performances, all works

the importance of belonging and giving to the community you are part of.

School is more than the HSC. Your commitment and love of your Jewish heritage and the place of Israel in your lives is crucial. It is pleasing to see that so many of you will spend 2011 in Israel on a variety of programs. As young adults you will bear the responsibility for contributing to your community and at the same time to be advocates for Israel.

We wish you well on your exciting journey into the next stage of life, do not fear the difficulties you will encounter, embrace them with all the skills you have at hand.

## *HSC Fact File*

### **Top 1% of the State:**

Of the 151 Moriah HSC students who received an ATAR, 25 gained a rank of 99 or over, placing them in the top 1% of the state. This equates to 15.9% of our candidates.

### **Top 5% of the State:**

A further 33 gained an ATAR over 95 which means that 57 HSC students or 38.4% gained a place in the top 5% of the State

### **Top 10% of the State:**

A total of 97 students gained an ATAR of 90 or over, placing them in the top 10% of the State. This represents 64.2% of the cohort.

Our 4 top students share the stage with 49 others across the State with the top ATAR of 99.95

spoke powerfully of the intellectual and creative skills of a group of gifted individuals.

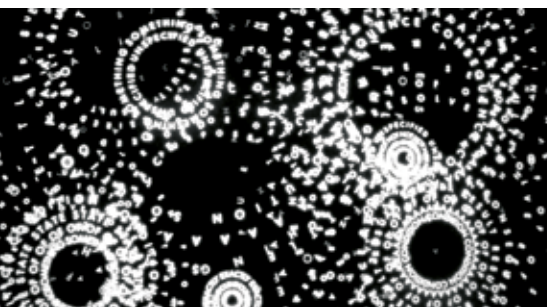
The students of Year 12 have, over time, always distinguished themselves in their enthusiastic contribution to the life of this College and the diversity and richness of their talents.



## WHO WE ARE

Six talented Visual Arts students from the Class of 2010 had their major work nominated for exhibition at ARTEXPRESS – the prestigious exhibition showcasing excellence in HSC Visual Art.

"There's no limit to what you can achieve as long as you love what you're doing" says Joanna Sleigh, who has also been selected to have her Visual Art major work exhibited at ARTEXPRESS.



Joanna Sleigh 'Infinite deferral of meaning'



Detail from Joanna Sleigh's D&T work

## ARTEXPRESS

Congratulations to Jessica Chimes, Nicole Kaplan, Shira Kofsky, Jacqueline Lindeman and Gabriella Sepel and for having had their work nominated for exhibition at ARTEXPRESS.

Congratulations also to Joanna Sleigh who has had her major work selected for display at the Art Gallery of NSW Shoalhaven City Arts Centre and the Western Plains Cultural Centre Dubbo Regional Gallery



Shira Kofsky "'Still' in Time"

## DesignTECH

Congratulations to Joanna Sleigh whose D&T project "Aboriginal Place Names Picture Book" has been selected for DesignTECH; and also to Dylan Smith whose major work was nominated for the same exhibition.

Realising that there was a problem with the storage of beach gear at his home, Dylan designed and produced a unit which allowed him to store surf boards and all the other paraphernalia that is needed. Dylan says that "Moriah has taught him skills and procedures essential for life".



Dylan Smith



Jessica Chimes 'PER OS'

"Ms Gorman taught me to believe in what I'm doing and not to let anyone affect my creative flow. Art at Moriah allows students to express themselves in a unique and personal way." – Jessica Chimes





# WHO WE ARE



## ONSTAGE

Jessica Kaye's Individual Project – Costume Design for Shakespeare's play *'The Tempest'* has been selected for display at ONSTAGE, the Board of Studies' exhibition of exemplary HSC Drama work.

Congratulations also to Madeleine Gottlieb for being nominated for her monologue *'Jenny'* from Martin Crimp's play *'The City'* and also to Madeleine Gottlieb, Kim Hoffenberg, Jessica Kaye and Cassie Phillips for being nominated for their Group Performance *'What's in the Pot'*

*Detail from Jessica Kayes Costume Design*



Gabriella Sepel *'Eye Witness'*



## ATAR of 99 +

Students who attained an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) of 99 or greater include:

Michael Bloom	Rafael Lawrence
Iliya Borecki	Jacqueline Lindeman
Joshua Druery	Alexandra Rosenberg
Jesse Ende	Nadya Royal
Tali Feiglin	Marc Segall
Britt Friede	Zac Seidler
Jessica Glanz	Daniel Shnier
Madeleine Gottlieb	Chloe Silver
Nathan Hauser	Joanna Sleight
Alexi Israel	Hannah Stern
Justin Katz	Katherine Tobias
Adam Kaye	Joshua Veltman
Jessica Kaye	



Nicole Kaplan *'L'attraction'*



Jacqueline Lindeman *'Memento Mori'*

*"Moriah is more than a school – it's like a second home" – Jacqueline Lindeman*

# WHO WE ARE

Moriah Music students have secured an incredible 14 nominations to be featured at ENCORE – the Board of Studies' Concert for exemplary HSC Music work.

## Music 2 and Music Extension:

- Joel Spira – three compositions: core composition and Music Extension A & B
- Samuel Gonski – two nominations: Performance and Core composition
- Josh Druery: two nominations – Core Composition and Extension Musicology (Essay)
- Dillon Fuzi: Core composition
- Jesse Ende: Core Composition
- Mark Burg: Core Composition
- Hannah Rapaport: Composition
- Nicole Wirkerman: Composition

## Music 1:

- Taylor Saul: two nominations for her two elective compositions

*"Moriah is a school for everybody. It provides many opportunities to satisfy everyone's interests and the teachers are the best – always willing to help and go beyond what is expected just so that the students can achieve their very best." – Mark Burg*



Mark Burg



Dillon Fuzi



Samuel Gonski



Hannah Rapaport



Taylor Saul



Joel Spira

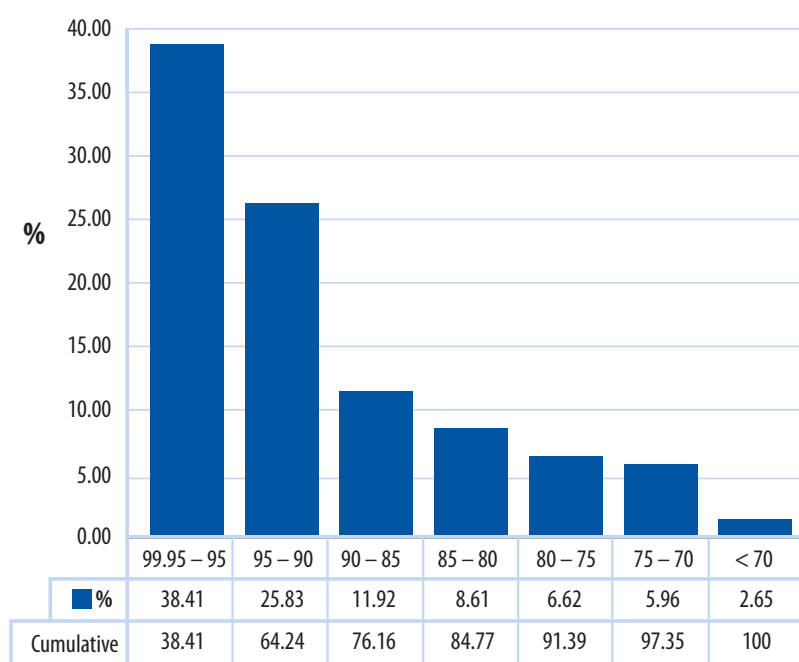
## ENCORE

Joel Spira has had his composition 'Night Owl' chosen to be performed at the HSC ENCORE Concert



Nicole Wirkerman

## Moriah College Academic Profile 2010



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## WHO WE ARE



### Cassie Phillips & Madeleine Gottlieb

You could easily describe Cassie's and Madeleine's High School years as dramatic.

Taking to the stage, these girls have numerous accolades for their success in Drama while at the same time they have also performed with flying colours in the Academic world.

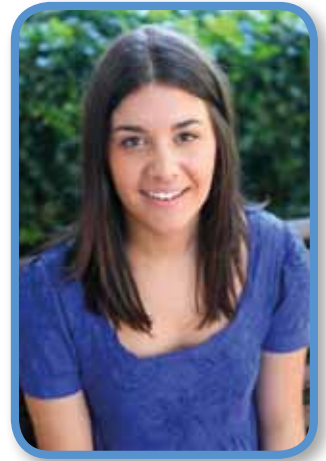
Both girls have fully taken advantage of everything Moriah has to offer and have been tremendous assets to the College, adding to both the academic and extra-curricular dimensions of school life.

Summing it all up, Madeleine describes Moriah as a place which is "intellectually, academically, socially and creatively conducive to promoting a strong sense of self and an awareness of others." They both advise future students to "choose the subjects that they love" and credit their teachers for their "dedication and willingness to go above and beyond".

### Ashley Stein

Ashley's commitment to Community Service has seen her involved in many projects within the school, especially as Charity Representative in 2009; and outside the school during her two years of work with the Friendship Circle. Her sense of community has led her to form a strong bond with her fellow graduates who she describes as "having become like family."

Ashley's passion in all that she does, combined with her determination and energetic nature is certain to bring her much success in the future.



*"Moriah gave me the opportunities & resources with which to achieve, essentially, anything I developed an interest in" – Madeleine Gottlieb*



### Jeremy Cassrels

Jeremy's consistent academic effort throughout his Moriah career has not gone unrecognised with several prizes and achievement awards to his name. Jeremy is highly respected and well liked by his peers and he has earned the respect of his teachers.

He sees his time at Moriah as a "great privilege, with friendly students, great teachers and a wide array of activities to participate in."

## OUR COLLEGE CAPTAINS



### Jacob Gottlieb, Katherine Tobias, Jessica Kaye, Benji Saber

Our 2010 Captains and Vice Captains unanimously agree that it's the sense of community that makes Moriah College special. This was instrumental in 'fostering an intimate and tightly knit year group' says Jessica Kaye and Katherine Tobias echoes: "Our year became so close as we shared incredible experiences but each person's individuality was recognised and celebrated."

Together with Jacob Gottlieb and Benji Saber, the experiences of these four students over their Moriah careers represent everything that the College has to offer. From a long list of academic prizes and achievements to prowess on various sporting fields; from Music to Drama; from Duke of Edinburgh to many Chessed projects and Community Service – these students have taken every opportunity that has been offered to them and have made the most of it.

*"My Moriah College experience was one of rich learning, deep bonds and a feeling of Jewish community. I was able to discover my own identity in a nurturing environment." – Katherine Tobias*

# HSC COURSES OF STUDY

COURSE	Number of students in Band 5/6	Number of students in course	Moriah % Band 5/6	State % Band 5/6
<b>2 UNIT COURSES</b>				
Ancient History	22	29	75.85	38.32
Biology	15	26	57.68	33.34
Business Studies	38	43	88.36	37.03
Chemistry	13	16	81.25	39.39
Classical Hebrew Continuers	21	28	74.99	71.04
Design & Technology	5	8	62.5	34.09
Drama	17	18	94.44	39.72
Economics	32	36	88.88	41.14
English Advanced	118	118	100	57.85
English Standard	15	39	38.46	4.31
Food Technology	2	5	40	29.72
Geography	11	14	78.56	38.32
Information Processes & Technology	14	14	100	34.07
Legal Studies	9	11	81.81	37.74
Mathematics	73	85	78.1	47.98
Mathematics General	8	21	38.08	26.1
Modern Hebrew Continuers	29	29	100	100
Modern History	14	18	77.77	41.71
Music Course 1	9	9	100	60.22
Music Course 2	10	10	100	82.32
Personal Development, Health & Physical Education	34	44	77.26	38.39
Physics	10	14	71.42	39.12
Society & Culture	12	12	100	33.41
Software Design & Development	6	6	100	27.52
Studies of Religion	37	45	82.21	49.25
Visual Art	21	22	100	50.58

## EXTENSION COURSES

## Band E3/E4

Classical Hebrew Extension 1	15	15	100	100
English Extension 1	29	29	100	85.56
English Extension 2	16	17	94.1	81.46
History Extension 1	12	13	92.3	70.98
Mathematics Extension 1	64	65	98.46	82.55
Mathematics Extension 2	22	22	100	90.01
Music Extension 1	5	5	100	98.65



# MORIAH COLLEGE'S HSC HONOUR ROLL

*Students achieving in the top band within particular courses of study*

## **Ancient History**

Iliya Borecki  
Lauren Ehrenfeld  
Shannon Gaitz  
Jacob Gottlieb  
Madeleine Gottlieb  
Nathan Hauser (99)  
Adam Kaye  
Michael Puterflam  
Tessa Rosenberg  
Zac Seidler  
Chloe Silver  
Hannah Stern

## **Biology**

Micayla Kaufman (94)  
Rivka Kleiner  
Nadya Royal (94)  
Marc Segall

## **Business Studies**

Nicole Biggs  
Rebekah Ehrlich  
Simona Henley  
Lee Kadish  
Justin Katz (96)  
Rivka Kleiner  
Daniel Koton  
Dean Marco  
Sasha Royal  
Benjy Saber  
Maxwell Symonds  
Daniel Toblib  
Joshua Veltman

## **Chemistry**

Joshua Druery  
Tali Feiglin  
David Igla  
Alexi Israel  
Rafael Lawrence (95)

## **Classical Hebrew Continuers**

Tali Feiglin(95)  
Britt Friede  
Jessica Glanz (95)  
Nathan Hauser  
Jessica Kaye  
Rafael Lawrence  
Hannah Rapaport  
Katherine Tobias (95) \*

## **Classical Hebrew Ext 1**

Tali Feiglin (48)  
Frayde Fest  
Jessica Glanz (48)  
Nathan Hauser (48)  
Shira Kofsky  
Rafael Lawrence (48)

Hannah Rapaport  
Katherine Tobias (48) \*

## **Design & Technology**

Gabriella Glick  
Joanna Sleigh (97)

## **Drama**

Noami Blair  
Jessica Chimes  
Samuel Gonski  
Jessica Gourdon  
Madeline Gottlieb (97)  
Jessica Kaye  
Cassie Phillips  
Zac Seidler  
Gabriella Sepel

## **Economics**

Michael Bloom  
Iliya Borecki  
Mark Burg  
Jessica Finkelstein  
David Igla  
Lee Kadish  
Justin Katz (94)  
Adam Kaye  
Samuel Mansberg  
Nadya Royal  
Marc Segall  
Daniel Shnier  
Hannah Stern  
Daniel Toblib  
Joshua Veltman

## **English Standard**

Rebecca Ehrlich (92)  
Gabriella Glick  
Talia Heyman  
Bianca Levy (92)  
Gabriella Sepel

## **English Advanced**

Joel Adelman  
Nicole Biggs  
Noami Blair  
Michael Bloom  
Iliya Borecki  
Dale Borowsky  
Mark Burg  
Calvin Chilchik  
Jessica Chimes  
Leah Cohen  
Marlon Cohen  
Joshua Druery  
Lauren Ehrenfeld  
Jesse Ende  
Tali Feiglin  
Ashley Feldman

Frayde Fest  
Jessica Finkelstein  
Britt Friede  
Dillon Fuzi  
Shannon Gaitz  
Romy Galombik  
Jessica Glanz (99)  
Amy Glaser  
Samuel Gonski  
Brett Goodman  
Jessica Gourdon  
Madeline Gottlieb (99)  
Jonathan Harrison  
Nathan Hauser (99)  
Simona Henley  
Ella Hersch  
David Igla  
Alexi Israel  
Max Kanikevich  
Justin Katz  
Micayla Kaufman  
Adam Kaye  
Jessica Kaye  
Rivka Kleiner  
Sevilla Kornfeld  
Daniel Koton  
Stephanie Koton  
Ilana Krigstein  
Rafael Lawrence  
Danielle Lee  
Jacqueline Lindeman  
Rebecca Lurie  
Stacey Maister  
Natacha Maloon  
Samuel Mansberg  
Miriam Nightingale  
Cassie Phillips  
Hannah Rapaport  
Alexandra Rosenberg  
Tessa Rosenberg  
Nadya Royal  
Sasha Royal  
Leora Rudansky  
Natacha Ryba  
Gidon Sack  
Taylor Saul  
Jonathan Schneider  
Tobi Schneider  
Marc Segall  
Zac Seidler  
Justine Shakenovsky  
Daniel Shnier  
Cayli Shubitz  
Chloe Silver  
Joanna Sleigh  
Joel Spira  
Ashley Stein

Hannah Stern  
Maxwell Symonds  
Katherine Tobias  
Daniel Toblib  
Ari Tuch  
Joshua Veltman  
Michael Weiner

## **English Ext 1**

Dale Borowsky  
Jessica Chimes  
Joshua Druery  
Lauren Ehrenfeld  
Britt Friede  
Shannon Gaitz  
Jessica Glanz (49)  
Jessica Gourdon  
Madeleine Gottlieb (49)  
Nathan Hauser  
Justin Katz  
Adam Kaye (49)  
Danielle Lee  
Jacqueline Lindeman  
Natacha Maloon  
Natacha Ryba  
Jonathan Schneider  
Zac Seidler  
Cayli Shubitz  
Chloe Silver  
Joanna Sleigh

## **English Ext 2**

Jessica Chimes  
Britt Friede  
Shannon Gaitz  
Jessica Glanz  
Madeleine Gottlieb (50) \*  
Nathan Hauser (50)  
Nicole Kaplan  
Adam Kaye  
Danielle Lee  
Erez Rachamim  
Chloe Silver  
Joanna Sleigh

## **Geography**

Joel Adelman (91)  
Jacqueline Lindeman (91)  
Sasha Royal

## **History Ext 1**

Nathan Hauser (48)  
Adam Kaye  
Danielle Lee

**\* First in State**

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## **Information Processes & Technology**

Jodie Cohen  
Jesse Ende (96)  
Samuel Gonski  
Brett Goodman  
Daniel Koton  
Joel Spira  
Cameron Wasilewsky

## **Legal Studies**

Lee Kadish  
Samuel Mansberg (96)  
Danielle Mizrahi  
Jonathan Schneider  
Maxwell Symonds  
Ari Tuch (96)

## **Mathematics General**

Chaney Kramer  
Jason Silver (95)  
Joanna Sleigh

## **Mathematics**

Jodie Cohen  
Talia Dorfan  
Tali Feiglin (97)  
Frayde Fest  
Oliver Frumar  
Dillon Fuzi  
Jessica Glanz  
Samuel Gonski  
Simona Henley  
Moshe Hollander  
David Igla  
Max Kanikevich  
Micayla Kaufman  
Jessica Kaye  
Sevilla Kornfeld  
Ilana Krigstein  
Jacqueline Lindeman  
Samuel Mansberg  
Michael Puterflam  
Zac Seidler  
Dylan Smith  
Joel Spira  
Jacob Stern  
Katherine Tobias (97)  
Daniel Toblib (97)  
Michael Weiner

## **Mathematics Ext 1**

Joel Adelman  
Michael Bloom  
Mark Burg

Joshua Druery  
Jesse Ende  
Tali Feiglin  
Jessica Finkelstein  
Britt Friede  
Dillon Fuzi  
Brett Goodman  
Jonathan Harrison  
Alexi Israel  
Justin Katz  
Jessica Kaye  
Rafael Lawrence (98)  
Samuel Mansberg  
Alexandra Rosenberg  
Nadya Royal  
Benjy Saber  
Marc Segall  
Daniel Shnier  
Hannah Stern  
Katherine Tobias  
Daniel Toblib  
Joshua Veltman (98)  
Cameron Wasilewsky

## **Mathematics Ext 2**

Joshua Druery  
Jesse Ende  
Britt Friede  
Alexi Israel  
Justin Katz  
Rafael Lawrence (96)  
Alexandra Rosenberg  
Nadya Royal  
Marc Segall  
Daniel Shnier  
Hannah Stern  
Joshua Veltman  
Cameron Wasilewsky

## **Modern Hebrew Continuers**

Tali Feiglin (2009)  
Frayde Fest  
Britt Friede  
Jessica Glanz (2009)  
Nadia Gubbay-Nemes  
Naomi Harvey  
Elise Kempler Year 11 (98) \*  
David Klein  
Talia Levin  
Daria Manor (2009)  
Sarit Michael  
Erez Rachamim (2009)  
Nicole Raymond (2009)  
Gabriella Rudman

Natalie Savitt  
Tobi Schneider (2009)  
Ofir Schwarzmann  
Katherine Tobias

## **Modern History**

Madeleine Gottlieb  
Nathan Hauser (94)  
Adam Kaye

## **Music Course 1**

Dale Borowsky  
Tessa Rosenberg  
Gidon Sack  
Taylor Saul  
Zac Seidler (96)

## **Music Course 2**

Mark Burg  
Joshua Druery (95)  
Jesse Ende  
Dillon Fuzi  
Samuel Gonski  
Joel Spira

## **Music Ext 1**

Mark Burg  
Joshua Druery (50)  
Shannon Gaitz  
Joel Spira (50)  
Nicole Wirkerman

## **PDHPE**

Nicole Biggs  
Michael Bloom (95)  
Leah Cohen  
Rebekah Ehrlich  
Jonathan Harrison  
Simona Henley  
Alexi Israel  
Max kanikevich  
Stephanie Koton  
Dean Marco  
Alexandra Rosenberg  
Cayli Shubitz  
Simon Weiss

## **Physics**

Rafael Lawrence (94)  
Daniel Shnier

## **Society and Culture**

Naomi Blair  
Iliya Borecki (97)  
Rebekah Ehrlich  
Jessica Gourdon  
Miriam Nightingale

## **Software Design & Development**

Jodie Cohen  
Jesse Ende (99) \*  
Gregory Jacobson  
Michael Puterflam  
Jason Silver  
Michael Weiner

## **Studies of Religion**

Nicole Biggs  
Noami Blair  
Iliya Borecki  
Lauren Ehrenfeld  
Frayde Fest  
Jessica Finkelstein  
Simona Henley  
Micayla Kaufman  
Rivka Kleiner  
Ilana Krigstein  
Danielle Lee  
Alexandra Rosenberg (95)  
Tobi Schneider  
Chloe Silver  
Dylan Smith  
Ashley Stein  
Rachel Weinberg

## **Visual Art**

Jessica Chimes  
Lauren Ehrenfeld  
Romy Galombik  
Gabriella Glick  
Daniel Goldstein  
Nicole Kaplan  
Shira Kofsky  
Samantha Levett  
Jacqueline Lindeman  
Gidon Sack  
Gabriella Sepel  
Chloe Silver  
Joanna Sleigh (98)  
Carla Zimble

## **\* First in State**

# WHO WE ARE

## Dean Marco

Dean will remember his school years as "having fun with my mates everyday". His stress-free outlook coupled with his skills and motivation to succeed have allowed him to achieve both academically and, in particular, on the Basketball court.



Recipient of the Memorial Cup Prize for Courage and Excellence in Sport in 2010, Dean has taken his skills outside the College to raise money for charity and to help with coaching clinics. He has displayed a talent for time management and prioritising, enabling him to balance academic and sporting achievement.



## Daniel Goldstein

Daniel is truly an excellent ambassador for the College. If there was an activity on campus, Daniel was involved – from Music Festival to Charity work; from Toastmasters to High Resolves. In fact, Daniel sites "getting involved in many areas of school life" as a key element to surviving the HSC year.

In his role as Public Relations Captain, Daniel displayed commendable leadership qualities and dedication. Through this, Daniel says that he is grateful to Moriah for "allowing me to meet and interact with many different people within the school and the Jewish Community". An experience which will certainly stand him in good stead for the future.

## Eitan Swartz & Moshe Hollander

Presented with the Prize for 'Mensch' of the Year, 2009, Eitan Swartz is a very well respected member of his Year group and is highly thought of by staff and students. He willingly involves himself in school and outside and regularly volunteers his time to help others. He puts Counterpoint high on the list of his best experiences at Moriah and particularly prizes the friendships that he has made at the College.

Moshe Hollander has also been described as a 'Mensch' of his Year group. He is dedicated to his studies, as evidenced by a string of academic prizes and awards to his name and has been involved in a host of extra-curricular activities ranging from Science and Maths quizzes to Mock Trial and debating. Reflecting on the values and life lessons that Moriah has nurtured in Moshe is his advice to the Class of 2011: "Never forget where you have come from, as it will play an integral part of who you will become".

## Distinguished Achievers in a Course

### Best in the State by Place

#### English Extension 2

Madeleine Gottlieb – 1st

#### Classical Hebrew Extension

Katherine Tobias – 1st

Jessica Glanz – 2nd

Nathan Hauser – 3rd

Rafael Lawrence – 4th

Tali Feiglin – 5th

#### Classical Hebrew Continuers

Katherine Tobias – 1st

Tali Feiglin – 2nd

Jessica Glanz – 3rd

Rafael Lawrence – 4th

#### Ancient History

Nathan Hauser – 10th

#### SDD

Jesse Ende – 1st

#### English Advanced

Jessica Glanz – 2nd

Nathan Hauser – 3rd

Madeleine Gottlieb – 5th

#### English Extension 1

Jessica Kaye – 7th

Jessica Glanz – 8th

Madeleine Gottlieb – 10th

#### Design And Technology

Joanna Sleigh – 9th

#### Modern Hebrew Continuers

Elise Kempler – 1st (Year 11)

Katherine Tobias – 2nd

Sarit Michael – 4th

## Jessica Glanz

Jessica's diligence and self motivation has gained her excellent results in every subject she has completed for her HSC. She is a highly independent person who has involved herself in many activities offered by the College and in others outside school. Jessica is well known for her fine, well toned sense of humour. Her resilience, character and determination will stand her in very good stead for whatever she chooses to do in the future.





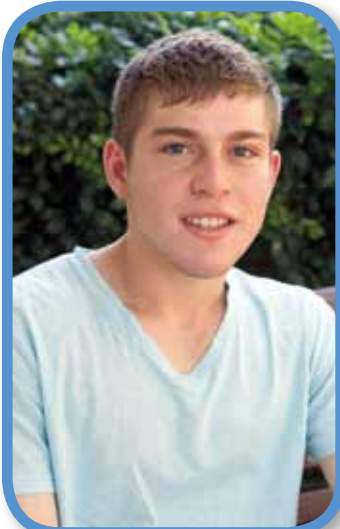
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**Greg Jacobson, Rafael Lawrence, Nathan Hauser, Jesse Ende, Joshua Druery**

"Failure is not an option" says Greg Jacobson – an attitude and determination which has rewarded him with much success during his school career, including the completion of all three levels of the Duke of Edinburgh Scheme: Bronze, Silver and Gold – an experience he shared with several members of his Year group including Rafael Lawrence, Nathan Hauser, Jesse Ende and Joshua Druery. To achieve the Gold Award the boys had to complete 12 months of a skill, volunteering and a physical recreation for an average of 1 hour a week. To have continued with this alongside their Year 11 and 12 work is fantastic and a real testament to their organisational skills and dedication. It's little wonder that Jesse describes his experience at Moriah as "A lot of fun, with the opportunity for everyone to express themselves in their own unique way."

*"I will always remember Mr Britton smiling and greeting me whenever I saw him despite the fact he has never had me as a student. That sort of unconditional friendliness is what gives Moriah it's warm 'family' atmosphere" – Joshua Druery*



**Sam Mansberg**

Through his role as a House Captain, Sam Mansberg has been the perfect role model for younger students at Moriah. During his time at the College, Sam has participated in a number of cultural, sporting and religious activities, making the most of every opportunity that has come his way. "Moriah presents many opportunities" Sam advises to younger students. "It is up to the

individual to get and grab them. That way you will get the most out of your time at Moriah."

**Justin Katz**

Justin's capacity for achieving and participating in all aspects of College life is truly remarkable. He has been involved in everything from Music Festival to House activities; SRC responsibilities and Community Service initiatives and all while demonstrating outstanding academic ability and an impressive level of commitment, initiative and dedication in his approach to his studies. It's no surprise then that he describes his Moriah College years as "an intense roller coaster of an experience!"



*"Moriah was an incredible experience that was able to provide me with unique opportunities. I loved every minute of it!" – Nathan Hauser*



**Tali Feiglin**

Tali Feiglin showed such an aptitude and enthusiasm for Hebrew, that she was given the opportunity to accelerate her studies and complete her HSC Hebrew exams while in Year 11. And it's little wonder that her motto is "hard work and passion for a subject pays

off", because Tali was awarded the Prize for First in Modern Hebrew in that year as well as the Prize for First in Hebrew as a Second Language. Tali credits much of her success to "the dedication of the teachers who are always willing to help". That is what she feels makes Moriah so special.

**Samantha Levett**

Samantha Levett is a highly creative student who has a real love of Art and Music. Regularly participating in vocal performances at school, Samantha's enthusiasm and dedication has been rewarded by much success. "Always dream high" advises Samantha. "Success is something that can be attained with determination and motivation. Take one step at a time and keep everything in perspective".



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## Max Kanikevich

A determined and enthusiastic student, Max Kanikevich thanks his teachers for helping him develop a sound work ethic. "The teachers at Moriah are easily approachable and always go the extra distance with assistance, keeping you motivated and constant encouragement throughout your studies" says Max. His key to surviving the HSC was

to play lots of Football which is no surprise as Max is well known for being able to combine the academic demands of Senior School with his passion for sport.

## Stacey Maister

Described by her teachers as a student with "enthusiasm, warmth, determination and good humour", Stacey credits Moriah with the opportunity to "show off my talents and get involved in many different activities during my school life" and she has certainly done that; representing the College in Sport; taking a leading role in the Music Festival and organising the 2010 Year 12 Formal. Alongside managing so many activities, Stacey has been able to work hard at balancing this with her academic studies and but her key to surviving the HSC is doing "exercise for an hour each day!"



## Stephanie Koton

Through her exceptional talents in the area of dance and choreography and her active participation in all areas of school life, whether it be sporting, cultural and communal, Stephanie Koton has definitely contributed enormously to Moriah College.

This has led her to achieve the Prize for School Service two years in a row – in 2009 and 2010.

Besides spending hours on choreography and dance, she has shown excellent leadership qualities in her role as House captain. Her ability to show initiative, to motivate, work in a team and show compassion has earned her the respect of both her teachers and her peers.

## Leora Rudansky

"The more you put into it the more you get out of it" says Leora when asked which valuable lesson she will take with her from school and in Leora's case, that must mean that she has gained a wealth from her school life because she certainly put maximum effort and enthusiasm into it.

Always displaying a genuine concern for people of all abilities, Leora has been a wonderful role model for all students and has succeeded in leaving her mark on the College especially through her wide involvement in Leadership activities and Community Service.



## Zac Seidler

Zac Seidler has contributed significantly to the cultural life of the College and the community, through his participation in a wide range of music and drama performances and festivals over many years. It's that creative outlet that he

credits for being able to juggle the HSC stress: "My creative journey in both Music and Drama was essential in my latter years at Moriah with Band Tours and various Festivals a great distraction from my studies."

Nevertheless, Zac has demonstrated a commitment to his academic progress and has worked diligently to achieve outstanding results in his senior studies earning him the Prize for Academic Excellence Across the Curriculum, 2010.

"It all comes down to timing and patience" he advises. "Just be persistent".





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## Ella Hersh and Tobi Schneider

Both Ella Hersh and Tobi Schneider have contributed to the Jewish life of Moriah in positive and meaningful ways. Both girls have achieved prizes for activities relating to Israel, Zionism and the Environment, and both of them have undertaken positions of leadership and responsibility, acting as excellent role models for both their peers and our younger students. Describing Moriah as a “home away from home”, Ella has always felt a strong sense of “family and community” at the College while Tobi has appreciated the opportunity to “blend important Jewish values with inspiring and intellectual secular studies”.



## Joel Adelman

Joel is a confident and outgoing member of the Class of 2010 whose good humour and friendly nature has endeared him to both peers and teachers alike.

Joel is a highly talented athlete and has involved himself in a

range of College competitions, reflecting his dedication and enthusiasm for a range of sports.

“Year 12 is a fun year” he advises future students. “Enjoy and participate in everything you can as it will be over before you know it. Being at Moriah allows you to develop everlasting friendships with other students and the teachers. There is a vast variety of things to get involved in and contribute back to the College”.



## Daniel Koton

Daniel has been described as the perfect role model for younger students at Moriah College. His directness and honesty in his dealings with people, shows sensitivity to the needs of others and he is extremely well liked and respected by his peers and the teaching staff at the

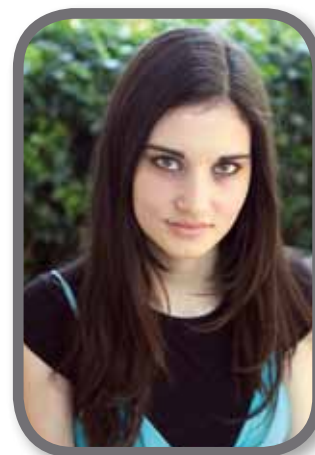
College. Daniel says that he’s particularly grateful for the support network that the school has given him during the HSC, describing it as “second to none.”

## Dean Friedlander

“A balance of work and play” is Dean’s key to surviving the HSC. Little wonder that his teachers have described him as “a focused and capable young man who has balanced his academic and sporting commitments admirably.”

Dean was involved as a member of the College Soccer and Rugby teams, captaining the Rugby Team; and outside the school he added Cricket to his repertoire.

He is a respected member of his year group and his contributions have certainly enriched the College.



## Shannon Gaitz

Shannon’s world revolves around Music and Drama so it’s no surprise that her fondest memories of Moriah stem from those faculties. Shannon has contributed enormously to the musical life of the College and in turn, the knowledge she has gained during her studies will most certainly help her

on the way to fulfilling her dream of becoming a successful singer and songwriter. Shannon’s infectious laughter will echo the corridors of Moriah long after the departure of the Class of 2010.

## Subject Rankings

- Moriah is ranked 15th in the State overall which places us as the **top co-educational comprehensive school in the state**
- **SDD:** all 6 candidates gained Band 6
- **Music Extension 1:** all 5 candidates gained the top Band



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**Gabriella Glick and Cayli Shubitz**

"Appreciate every single opportunity given to you" advises Cayli Shubitz to future students – and she definitely practices what she preaches because Cayli has taken full advantage of the opportunities that Moriah has provided by participating in many varied areas throughout her school career. From Music Festival to Sport to Community Service, Cayli has shown herself to be a valuable member of the Moriah College community.

Gabriella Glick has done the same, contributing positively to College life in many areas and being involved in many Community activities. Gabriella was one of the leaders of the Charity Committee, which raised thousands of dollars. Her efforts have certainly made a difference to the wider community.



**Daniel Toblib**

In the world of Business, Daniel has already made quite a name for himself.

Daniel was awarded a Business Studies Scholarship in 2008, following it up with a string of High Distinction and Distinction awards in the University of NSW PwC Australian Business Studies and Economics Competitions and several

other Business related awards and achievements.

Parellel to this, Daniel has also made a name for himself in the sports arena, being involved in Soccer and Football at the highest student level both within the College and externally. Little wonder that his advice to future students is to "keep everything in proportion and don't give up your out-of-school activities".

## English Excellence

- Moriah ranked 5th in the State in ALL courses
- 100% of candidates in Advanced English in Bands 5 or 6
- 80/118 in Band 6 = 67.79%
- 1st in English Extension 2

**Daniel Shneir**

Daniel is a mature, modest and sincere young man whose intellectual curiosity and hard work has been valued by his teachers. Over the years, he has demonstrated a genuine interest in his studies and a dedicated determination to achieve his academic best. Daniel's steady progress over his High School years has seen him achieve several academic prizes. He has also engaged in positions of leadership and responsibility as a member of the High Resolves program. Daniels says that he will miss seeing all his friends on a daily basis and that it's definitely the "people" that makes Moriah such a special place.



**Gabi Fransman**

"The minute you walk into the gates of the school you feel like you're with family" says Gabi Fransman – a student who has contributed richly to the life of the College, particularly through her Sporting achievements.

Gabi has represented the school in Soccer and Netball teams both

interschool and interstate, undertaking several positions of Leadership and Responsibility including House and Sports Captain, House Sports Convenor and organising the South African Sporting Tour. Her key to surviving the HSC is to "take every moment as it comes. Keep organised and balance your studies with sport and socialising because there IS life after the HSC."





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