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THE HULME GRAMMAR SCHOOL, OLDHAM

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ANNUAL SPEECH DAY

Wednesday 19th October, 1988 at 7.15 pm

GUEST OF HONOUR

The Very Reverend R. M. Waddington, M.A.

The Dean of Manchester

PROGRAMME

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Mr G. Hulme will play the organ before the start of the evening's proceedings, after which parents, boys and guests of the school are asked to stand for the entry of the platform party at 7.15 pm.

The National Anthem

The School Hymn

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| 1. Veni, Creator Spiritus,
Mentes Tuorum visita;
Imple superna gratia
Quae Tu creasti pectora | 2. Qui Paraclitus diceris,
Donum Dei Altissimi,
Fons vivus, Ignis, Caritas,
Et spiritalis Unctio. |
| 3. Tu septiformis munere,
Dextrae Dei Tu digitus,
Tu rite promissum Patris,
Sermone ditans guttura. | |

Chairman's Remarks

Headmaster's Report

Presentation of Prizes and Certificates

*Presentation of R. A. H. Mayers' Memorial Award
in the Gift of the Old Boys' Association to*

*Mr Godfrey Oliver Whitehead
(Executive Director, AMEC plc)*

Address:

*The Very Reverend R. M. Waddington, M.A.
(The Dean of Manchester)*

Expression of thanks by R. J. Hirst, Captain of School 1988-89

*At the end of the proceedings, boys and guests of the school are asked to remain seated
until the platform party has left the hall*

*The School wishes to thank Makin Organs Ltd for their very kind loan of an organ for this
occasion*

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G. F. Dunkin, B.A. (Cantab)

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S. J. Williamson, B.A. (Open University), English
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J. Wrigley, M.A. (Oxon), Senior Modern Languages Master and Year Master, Upper Fourth Forms

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Mrs R. Wilson, Certificate of Education (Sedgley Park College)
Mrs J. Coulton, A.R.M.C.M.
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JOINT MATRICULATION BOARD EXAMINATIONS, 1988

ADVANCED LEVEL CERTIFICATES

* Denotes grade A

The figure in brackets indicates the number of advanced level passes obtained by each boy

**** Barnes, A. S. (5)	* Dodgeon, J. M. (4)
***** Cockerill T. T. (5)	* Gillibrand, E. (4)
**** Grime, P. J. (5)	Heywood, D. T. (4)
**** Kearsley, D. P. (5)	* Holland, J. J. (4)
***** Kirkham, C. J. (6)	Hudspith, T. (4)
**** Nichols, A. D. (4)	Lawton, C. E. (1)
**** Richardson, M. J. (5)	Selby, J. R. (4)
Rolfe, S. M. (5)	* Beam, M. J. (4)
Brotherdale, J. W. (4)	* Brierley, J. I. (4)
** Dennis, G. J. (4)	Isaacs, D. J. (4)
Doran, L. J. (4)	** Jackson, C. (4)
Downes, R. (3)	Sankaran, R. (4)
* Dutton, I. M. (4)	Scholes, P. (4)
Elmy, S. G. (4)	* Wroe, A. J. (4)
**** Kilroy, D. A. (4)	Cockroft, R. I. (4)
Andrew, K. (4)	* Collighan, G. S. (4)
**** Bennett, S. D. (4)	Gooseman, K. (4)
* Davenport, G. A. (4)	Hibbert, P. J. (4)
Lloyd, M. P. D. (4)	**** Isaacs, M. P. (4)
**** Milwain, D. (4)	Lancaster, J. R. (4)
** Patel, R. K. (4)	Moran, N. P. (4)
Whyatt, A. A. (4)	Archibald, E. J. (4)
*** Wolstenholme, M. R. (4)	Booth, S. S. (4)
Broughton, J. H. (1)	Bradbury, G. P. (2)
**** Ferrier, D. K. (4)	Knowles, S. M. (2)L
*** Girgis, M. M. R. (5)	Leyland, J. (3)
Holmes, R. P. (4)	Whitchcad, S. R. (1)
Jevons, A. P. (4)	Bentley, A. K. (2)
Taylor, I. S. (4)	Booth, P. K. (2)
** Tonge, S. D. (4)	Crebbin, J. M. (3)
** Duffy, C. J. (5)	Cross, D. T. (3)
Ellis, P. A. (4)	Crossley, D. S. (1)
* Hilditch, J. (4)	Fletcher, P. W. T. (4)
** Kenworthy, M. S. (2)	*** Maxson, S. J. (4)
Rafiq, M. S. (4)	Nixon, S. J. (3)
**** Shoaib, A. A. (5)	Sheard, M. (4)
Wallace, G. (4)	Wild, R. (2)
* Armstrong, W. P. (4)	

The presentation of prizes and certificates to those who left the Upper Sixth in June 1988 will take place on Friday 16 December at a ceremony in School and not at this Speech Day.

**'O' LEVEL/GCSE CERTIFICATES
OBTAINED BY THE UPPER FIFTH, 1988**

* Denotes 4 or more grade A passes

The figure in brackets indicates the number of GCSE passes (grades A-C) obtained by each boy

Bennett, N. C. (7)	Miller, J. L. (11)
Buckley, C. (10)	Pemberton, D. J. (10)
Butterworth, A. C. (11)	Smith, R. P. (8)
* Clements, B. J. (11)	Stephens, P. A. (11)
Cooper, S. J. (7)	Wedgwood, S. J. (10)
* Corbly, S. D. (11)	* Wild, R. J. (11)
Cunningham, M. R. (7)	* Wright, A. B. (11)
Dean, R. P. (10)	Wright, R. J. (10)
Dunkerley, D. J. (7)	Nicholson, J. B. (5)
Gee, D. H. (4)	Walthall, J. P. (9)
* Green, A. P. (11)	* Day, A. R. (10)
Halliwell, M. D. (10)	Eglin, J. J. (9)
Hilton, M. A. (5)	Farooq, N. (11)
Hughes, W. (10)	Gavaghan, P. G. (5)
Marland, N. A. (12)	* Heginbotham, I. (11)
Maxson, P. J. (9)	Holland, W. (10)
McDonough, J. (9)	Holmes, T. M. (7)
McLaughlin, A. R. (7)	Homfray, J. P. (6)
* Selby, T. A. (10)	Hoyle, S. J. (6)
Short, A. B. (10)	Hudson, A. B. (10)
Swift, J. R. (10)	Ibbotson, A. P. (9)
Thompson, J. P. (7)	Ullingworth, A. D. (9)
* Turner, D. J. (11)	Jones, P. R. (5)
* Vemon, C. C. (10)	Kenworthy, A. M. (9)
Wharmby, R. F. (10)	Khwaja, N. (11)
Whitehead, A. S. (11)	McInnes, A. A. (10)
* Whittaker, P. A. (11)	* Melling, P. R. (11)
* Wollerton, M. C. (11)	* Mills, A. G. (11)
* Woodward, L. G. (11)	Osburn, M. P. (9)
* Addy, N. J. (11)	Raza, K. (9)
Ahmad, T. D. (6)	Reilley, G. J. (7)
* Buckley, M. J. (11)	Saint, M. B. (9)
Cheetham, J. K. (5)	* Shoaib, A. A. (11)
* Dewsbury, M. (11)	Smith, D. J. (10)
Dunkerley, C. J. (9)	Taylor, I. J. (10)
Garner, A. S. (11)	Taylor, N. W. (8)
Hill, A. D. (8)	* Woistenholme, R. J. (10)
Ireland, A. S. (10)	Aspinall, J. (10)
* Jackson, M. C. (11)	Blair, J. G. (8)
Johnstone, P. J. (6)	Brindle, P. (6)
Klahr, J. E. (5)	Carroll, D. H. (8)
Lees, S. (5)	Carter, M. W. (3)
Mackey, I. A. (7)	Cash, N. R. (12)
McLaren, C. J. (9)	Clark, I. L. (12)
Mellor, D. J. (4)	* Collighan, N. T. (11)

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| * Dale, S. C. (11) | * Payton, M. (11) |
| * Davies, A. J. (11) | * Saxon, M. D. (11) |
| Dobbins, M. P. (10) | Scott, M. (9) |
| Edge, S. J. (8) | * Smith, G. W. (13) |
| Flynn, I. (10) | Tait, C. R. (11) |
| Ghosh, A. (10) | Taylor, N. J. (6) |
| Higginbotham, J. C. (8) | * White, D. E. (11) |
| * Khurana, R. (11) | Wray, C. M. (7) |
| * Parker, J. R. (11) | |

The following boys from the Upper Fourth gained grades A-C in the History and Appreciation of Music Examination in June 1988

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| Alt, A. S. | Hurst, D. K. |
| Andrew, M. J. | Jones, P. G. |
| Barr, S. C. | Kenny, M. R. |
| Bentley, D. P. | Lewis, G. E. |
| Berkovitch, S. A. | Mitton, P. A. |
| Bramhall, C. D. | Nield, D. B. |
| Broughton, S. | O'Nions, C. |
| Buckley, J. A. | Phillips, G. L. |
| Buckley, P. K. | Porter, J. D. |
| Bywater, J. A. | Sedgwick, M. J. |
| Cockcroft, M. J. | Speed, J. |
| Craft, I. P. | Stansfield, G. R. |
| Dunkin, O. W. | Swift, R. J. |
| Fenton, B. J. | Tyldesley, H. S. |
| Ford, A. C. | Walsh, G. D. |
| Gooding, R. | Wood, J. D. |
| Hastie, R. F. | |

The following Sixth Formers achieved an additional GCSE certificate (grades A-C) in Human Biology

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| Brook, M. S. | Slater, G. N. |
| Mellor, D. | Ward, S. A. |
| Nolan, S. E. | White, C. A. |
| Perrin, A. K. | |

Headmaster's Report, 1987-88

Deciding what to leave out of a report of this nature is far more difficult than deciding what to put in. A year's activities, if described only in outline, would still fill a small book and be quite unwieldy in a Speech Day programme, yet I do wish to do justice to the full range of activities that together make up a year in the life of the Hulme Grammar School.

As with last year, therefore, I begin at the end. In the summer of 1988, our Public Examination results set new records for the school. At the Advanced Level of the GCE examination there were some excellent individual results, set out elsewhere in this programme. No less than thirteen boys gained 'A' grades in at least four subjects; nine boys gained five A levels and one (Christopher Kirkham) leaves the school with six; and sixty-two boys began degree courses this term, including eight at either Oxford or Cambridge. Equally commendable, however, are the more modest successes of boys who might never have thought themselves capable of A levels at all but who have nevertheless succeeded. In the end, our pass-rate stands at 91% and the *average* number of A levels per student was 3.7, a remarkable achievement and a tribute both to their hard work and the skill and expertise of their teachers.

The GCSE results were also very good, a great relief to those of us who had anxieties about the new examination. Despite the shock to the system of some boys of having to complete coursework on time, there were a large number of excellent individual performances and very few disappointments. The year as a whole sets a new school record with an average of 9.0 GCSE passes (grade C or above) per boy; and I must stress that this is an average of the entire year, from the best to the worst.

The boldest step this year came from the Music department, which, as an experiment, entered most of the third year for the GCSE History and Appreciation of Music examination. This certainly did much to transform Music lessons and the thirty-three boys who gained grade B or C have every reason to be pleased with themselves.

I should like to put on record here my thanks to those members of staff who have given advice on careers and educational courses to boys both during the year and in particular during the summer when results were published. Mr Clegg, Mr Curtis and Mr Baker, and indeed the Form Masters of the Fifth and Sixth forms have all done much to ensure that all boys have made informed choices and are suited to their future careers. I should also like to thank those local companies and organisations (over 80 of them last year) who have assisted us in giving Work Experience to all of our Sixth-formers.

In connection with the more "academic" side of school life, some of the achievements of boys in external competitions of various kinds are worth putting on record. Timothy Cockerill and Christopher Kirkham gained Bronze Medals in the Physics Olympiad held in London last year, and maintained the school's excellent record in this competition. Duncan Milwain, Christopher Kirkham and Michael Isaacs won the local round of the Rotary International Public Speaking Competition and were only narrowly defeated in the regional final. The school team, drawn from years one to five, again reached the final of the "Chemquiz 88" competition. Duncan Milwain and Nicola Vevers won the regional round of the Observer Mace competition and were placed third in the Northern Area Final. Michael Walmsley, Stephen Cummaford, and Robert Wolstenholme became Radio Manchester/Nat. West 'Top of the Form' champions, out of ninety schools from the North-West. Other teams have also acquitted themselves well in this sort of event: a Road Safety Quiz organised by the Greater Manchester Police; a 'Schools Challenge Quiz' organised at Bury; a 'Young Analyst of the Year' contest at Manchester University: in all of these and

many other similar events, we did well, and they are worth recording as a reminder that more goes on during the year than is generally realised, even by the parents of boys in school.

The thirst for competition has also produced much internal activity for good causes. A 'sponsored quiz' by our first year boys raised £1,050 for the Mayor of Oldham's Charity Appeal Fund and a series of competitions organised by four fifth year boys (Peter Maxson, Robert Wolstenholme, Christopher Vernon and Richard Dean) raised £400 for the National Children's Home. These four boys are to be commended for their initiative, but I should also like to record my appreciation of the work done by staff in their own time who supervised and encouraged the various teams mentioned above.

Not everything is organised on a competitive basis, however. Community Action, organised by Mr Lapsley, continues to serve the local community and to give help to those less fortunate people, both young and old, in the district. A large number of clubs and societies exist within the school and continue to flourish. New societies are formed, such as a Philosophical Society for the Sixth Form, or a junior Stockmarket club, while the Junior Debating Society broke all previous attendance records with its debate with the Girls' School on, 'A Woman's Place is in the Home'. A wide range of external visits, expeditions and field trips also took place, sometimes as an essential part of a GCSE or A level syllabus, sometimes for recreation and sometimes for an agreeable mixture of the two. Boys have been to the theatre, to museums, to historical sites, to universities, to Art galleries, on to the moors and down to the Welsh coast. They have skied in France, lived with families in Germany and France, and visited Austria. The boys in the Prep School have also travelled far and wide, from Saddleworth to London, and as far afield as Turkey. As well as visiting Art exhibitions, our boys have also provided their own, by displaying their work both at Ferranti's headquarters and at British Vita this summer. At this very moment, there is an exhibition at the Designer's Forum in Shaw of the best Art work in the school. All of these activities reflect, once again, the interest shown and time put in by very many members of staff.

In the musical field, the school continues to flourish. Over one hundred boys in the Main School have instrumental tuition, and fifty boys this year were successful in practical and theoretical examinations, including three boys who reached the ultimate height of grade 8 (one of whom was passing six A levels at the same time).

The music-making scene was unusually varied this year because it marked our centenary. There were concerts in September, November and May, a music festival in July, the 1887 Show in November, the joint performance of the Messiah in March and the Joint Founders Centenary Service in November. Outside the school, the Brass Band performed at the Police Carol Service and the Choir sang at the Queen Elizabeth Hall on the same programme as the Northern Youth Orchestra, while the Chamber Choir not only contributed to these concerts, but performed alone in Hollinwood, Delph and Ilkley.

The standard of music in the school is very high. Our best players play not only for the school, but also for the best local orchestras, such as the Northern Youth Orchestra, or for their local brass bands. Any boy with musical ability can develop it here as fully as anywhere in the North-West and receive an excellent general education as well. My only regret is that most of our parents do not seem to be aware of this; at least not to the extent of actually coming to give their support to school musical functions. Nevertheless, I must record my appreciation of the work done for school by Mr Baty, Mr Hulme and Mr Curtis.

The major dramatic work of the year was a fine production by Mr Rigby of "Hobson's

Choice" in May. This at least produced an appreciative audience on all three nights and some talented acting by the principals from both schools. Under the general heading of drama, I should also add the "1887 Show" again, because although it featured much singing (of songs rarely heard before in public at Hulme!) there was also much speaking and some acting. As always, all credit must go to the large number of staff, who helped to organise these activities – and even took part in them on occasions.

The year's sporting activities returned to something approaching normality: the winter was relatively mild and local schools began to resume competitions. We still lost many cricket fixtures through rain, however, but Sports Day just survived intact, despite persistent drizzle.

The major innovation during the year was the extension of senior games to cover the whole of Wednesday afternoon, and to include both Fifth and Sixth forms. This was made possible by the Sports Hall and by the hiring of Boundary Park from Oldham Athletic F.C. and it makes possible a much more varied programme of activities for senior boys and the possibility of fixtures with schools at some distance, and in many sports.

The soccer teams did much better during last year than during the year before: our under-13 XI did best, losing only one match out of seventeen, but all teams produced satisfying victories and there is no doubt that Hulme soccer is a force to be reckoned with locally. Four of our senior boys were selected to play for the England XI and two others played for the Northern Schools XI. The cricketers were also successful, particularly the junior teams and the under-14 XI and under-13 XI both won their groups of the Oldham Schools' Competition. The under-14s also reached the quarter-final of the County Championship.

In athletics we are limited in our fixtures both by examinations and the weather, so our own Sports Day remains the high spot of the season, but we did compete in the Greater Manchester championships and in the Northern Schools Cross-Country race. The successes are individual in these cases and our three best athletes were Gary Dennis and Neil Auchterlonie at the senior level and Richard Scholes at the junior level, all of whom are of national standing.

Table-tennis and swimming continue to be our most successful sports. We won both the junior and senior table-tennis championship of Greater Manchester, then defeated the champions of Yorkshire and came close to winning the Northern Championships. Our swimming teams made a clean sweep of the Oldham Schools Championships and the Prep School swimmers have also won many trophies in local championships. The annual swimming gala does not depend upon the weather and was a great success, revealing great strength in depth at the junior level.

We have not yet got into our stride with basketball or badminton which began as regular sports only this year, but our golf foursome reached the semi-final of the Northern Area Foursomes.

Such a wide-ranging programme of sport owes much to the regular games staff and to the care and attention of the ground staff, but there is no doubt that a lot of the sporting programme would cease immediately, were it not for the very large number of other members of staff who look after teams, referee matches or assist with games lessons, in addition to teaching their own subject.

I have already mentioned the large number of clubs and societies which exist in school, but there is no doubt that the largest and most successful of the voluntary organisations in school is the Combined Cadet Force, under Major Coulton, the Commanding Officer and

Captain Galloway and Flt. Lt. Melican. The total strength of the force was 118 cadets at the start of the year, despite the move towards meeting after school. There is still a shortage of officers (who do *not* have to be members of staff, fathers please note) but despite this the C.C.F. has taken part in no less than 10 major expeditions, camps and exercises in addition to the normal weekly training.

The school buildings have benefited from a programme of redecoration which is still under way and there have been minor changes in furniture and fittings, including the continued provision of modern lockers for an increasing number of boys.

I am grateful to the Parents' Association for their financial assistance with the purchase of equipment and with the publication of some of the school literature, including the Revision Guide booklets which all boys received last year and the Newsletter, which is published at the start of each term. The Parents' Association has also been most helpful on the occasions of Parents' Evenings, when they have provided refreshment or helped to sell items of equipment to new parents and boys. The Old Boys' Association continues to flourish in its own way, but has far less contact with the school.

I should like to thank the School Governors, also, most of whom give unfailing support to the school not simply by attending Governors' meetings, but also by supporting all the concerts and shows that are put on by the school. It is rare indeed to attend a concert without there being at least two Governors present: and I, and all the hard-working participants, are grateful for this.

There have been fewer major changes of staff during this past year. Even so, we have said farewell to Mr Frank Collier, who finally retired in the summer after a long illness, but who has since returned to us temporarily because of the unfortunate illness of Mr Parker. Mr Raymond Clayton left us after two years part-time teaching and Mrs Lilian McDermott left after fourteen years in the English Department. Mr Joe Woodward finally retired from formal teaching in the Prep School, but he will continue to assist with tuition of the Brass players in school.

This September, we have welcomed to the staff Mrs Coulton, who is teaching music in the Prep School, Mr Williamson who is teaching English, and Mr Dowthwaite who is teaching History. In addition we have with us Mr Heron, who is teaching Chemistry in the absence of Mrs Taylor. We wish all of them well during their time at Hulme.

I began at the end of the year because whatever else we do (and I hope that these few paragraphs have made clear that we do a lot) the world tends to judge a school by its success in public examinations and I make no apology for the emphasis which I myself have placed upon them. Even so, proficiency in passing exams is not the only desirable end product of a boy's education. He has the rest of his life to live after he has passed exams at 16, 18, or 21, and I hope that a Hulme boy will leave us having been "educated" in the fullest sense of the word to be able to live that life knowing that his talents have been brought out to the full; whether they be talents in sport, or drama, or music, or a capacity for leadership or any one of a variety of talents or abilities that mark a man out as being a cut above the others, even when the others come from schools with good exam results, too.

I end, as I did last year, by paraphrasing the aims of our original founder, James Assheton, "Virtuous education" of a boy "in learning and good manners is an inestimable benefit to the Commonwealth" but it is also an excellent start in life and an "inestimable benefit" to the boy himself.

G. F. Dunkin

DESTINATION OF 6A LEAVERS, 1988

Oxford University

Ferrier, D. K.	Biology	Hertford College
Maxson, S. J.	Music	Keble College
Wolstenholme, M. R.	Biochemistry	St Anne's College

Cambridge University

Cockerill, T. T.	Engineering	Magdalene College
Duffy, C. J.	Veterinary Medicine	Trinity Hall
Kearsley, D. P.	Economics	St Catherine's College
Kirkham, C. J.	Mathematics	Queen's College
Nichols, A. D.* (3)	Aero Engineering	Queen's College

Universities

Andrew, K.	Marine Biology	Heriot-Watt University
Armstrong, W. P.	Management Science	Swansea University
Barnes, A. S. (1)	Engineering (SEP)	Brunel University
Bearn, M. J.	English	Leicester University
Bennett, S. D.	Law	King's College, London
Brierley, J. I.	History (1989)	Hull University
Cockcroft, R. I.	English	Newcastle University
Collighan, G. S.	Law	Hull University
Davenport, G. A.	Commerce	Birmingham University
Dennis, G. J.	Medicine	Leicester University
Dodgson, J. M.	Industrial Economics	Nottingham University
Doran, L. J.	Computer Science	Manchester University
Dutton, I. M.	Biochem/Biotechnology	Birmingham University
Ellis, P. A.	Management Sciences	UMIST
Gillibrand, E.	Politics	Kent University
Gurgis, M. M. R.	Medicine	King's College, London
Gooseman, K.	Law	Essex University
Grime, P. J.	Mathematics	Durham Univ. (St Chads)
Hilditch, J.	Chemistry	Durham Univ. (St Aidans)
Holland, J. J.	History	Bangor University
Hudspeth, T.*	History	Leicester University
Isaacs, D. J.	Business Studies	Swansea University
Isaacs, M. P.	Law	Durham University
Jackson, C.*	Philosophy & Literature	Warwick University
Kilroy, D. A.	Medicine	Manchester University
Lancaster, J. R.*	French/Management Science	Keele University
Lloyd, M. P. D.	Biological Sciences	Essex University
Milwain, D.	Law	Durham University
Patel, R. K.	Medicine	University College, London
Rafiq, M. S.	Mechanical Engineering	Salford University
Richardson, M. J.	Physics	Manchester University
Rolfe, S. M.	Electrical Engineering	Nottingham University
Sankaran, R.	History	Hull University
Selby, J. R.	Economics/Social History	Hull University
Shoab, A. A.	Medicine	St George's, London
Taylor, I. S.	Management Sciences	Lancaster University
Tonge, S. D.	Management Science/Marketing	Lancaster University
Wallace, G.	Chemistry	Salford University
Whyatt, A. A.	Chemistry/Resources	York University
Wroe, A. J.	Philosophy & Politics	Swansea University

Polytechnics and Colleges

Archibald, E. J.	Geography/Cartography	Oxford Polytechnic
Bentley, A. K.	Art Foundation Course	Manchester Polytechnic
Booth, P. K.	Art Foundation Course	Oldham Technical College
Booth, S. S.	Business Studies	Trent Polytechnic
Brotherdale, J. W.	Combined Studies	Manchester Polytechnic
Broughton, J. H.	Business Studies	Manchester Polytechnic
Cross, D. T.	Graduate Diploma	Huddersfield Polytechnic
Crossley, D. S.		Oldham Technical College
Downes, R.	Applied Biology	Trent Polytechnic
Elmy, S. G.	Applied Biochemistry	Liverpool Polytechnic
Fletcher, P. W. T.	Combined Studies	Derbyshire College of Higher Education
Heywood, D. T.	Business Studies	Teesside Polytechnic
Holmes, R. P. (2)	Chemistry HND	Halton College, Widnes
Kenworthy, M. S.	Hotel & Catering Management	Manchester Polytechnic
Knowles, S. M. (4)	Housing	Bristol Polytechnic
Leyland, J.	Geography	Huddersfield Polytechnic
Moran, N. P.	Business Studies	North Staffordshire Polytechnic
Nixon, S. J.	Combined Studies	West Glamorgan Institute of Higher Education
Sheard, N.	Business Studies	Coventry Polytechnic
Whitehead, S. R.* (4)	Housing	Bristol Polytechnic
Wild, R.	Art Foundation Course	Oldham Technical College

*Deferred entry for 1989.

Professional and Business Employment

Bradbury, G. P.	House of Fraser
Crebbin, J. M.	National Westminster Bank
Jevons, A. P.	Seeking Commission in Royal Air Force
Lawton, C. E.	Family business - clothing industry
Shaw, A. P.	Banking

Other

Hibbert, P. J.	Year out prior to entrance to Higher Education 1989
Scholes, P.	Year out prior to entrance to Higher Education 1989

- (1) Rolls Royce Sponsorship.
- (2) I.C.I. Sponsorship.
- (3) British Aerospace Sponsorship.
- (4) Oldham M.B.C. Sponsorship.

PRIZES, SCHOLARSHIPS AND EXHIBITIONS, 1987-88

Third Form

<i>Form</i>	<i>Academic Prize</i>	<i>Progress Prizes</i>	
3A	A. M. Whittaker	S. J. Barlow	R. P. Douglas
3H	A. J. Chapman	G. J. Hilton	M. I. E. Travis
3L	R. J. Dimery	N. K. Rowlinson	M. A. Edwards
3P	D. C. Hope	S. J. Dixon	A. N. Ward

Lower Fourth

L4A	N. J. Hulme	M. R. Cunningham	N. J. Hinchliffe
L4H	N. Saha	N. D. Scott	N. Crowther
L4L	K. F. Day	N. E. Coonan	S. A. Kerry
L4P	R. S. Jeeves	R. J. Kelly	J. S. Chadwick

Upper Fourth

U4A	G. P. B. Jones	C. J. Marshall	J. D. Wood
U4H	M. J. Sedgwick	J. D. Baxter	C. O'Nions
U4L	M. J. Dimery	A. Gooding	R. J. Swift
U4P	B. J. Fenton	B. S. Aaron	R. J. Connor

Additional Lower School Prizes

Junior Chess Prize	: S. J. Barlow
Junior Music Performance Prize	: S. J. Dixon
	: J. M. Rodgers
Junior Physical Education Prize	: J. A. Henderson
	: R. P. Scholes

Fifth Form Subject Prizes

Mathematics Prize	: J. M. Wilson
English Prize	: M. J. Goodyear
	: D. S. Platt
History	: C. Davies
Geography	: S. E. Dickson
	: O. Pritchard
French	: O. Pritchard
German	: J. D. Williams
Spanish	: S. A. Bottomley
Latin	: O. Pritchard
Physics	: O. Pritchard
	: S. Khurana
Chemistry	: J. M. Wilson
Biology	: O. Pritchard
Government & Politics	: P. Parkinson
Art & Craft (Brian Booth Prize)	: D. C. Broomhead
Design	: M. J. Goodyear
Religious Education	: J. Wilson
Music	: S. J. Cummaford
Business Studies	: A. McClusky
Classical Civilisation	: P. Hardy

Additional Fifth Form Prizes

Parents' Association Progress	: M. D. Poulton
Public Service	: S. J. Cummaford
Creative Writing	: P. Melling

Scholarships Awarded to Boys Entering the Sixth

These awards are made to boys with a minimum of eight grade A passes in the General Certificate of Secondary Education Examinations.

Major Scholarships	: P. A. Whittaker
	: M. C. Wollerton
	: P. R. Melling
	: R. Khurana
	: G. W. Smith
Minor Scholarships	: R. J. Wild
	: M. D. Saxon
	: L. G. Woodward
	: M. J. Buckley

GCSE Certificates will be awarded at this point to other boys from the Upper Fifth 1987-88. The details appear on page 7 of this Programme.

Sixth Form Prizes

Mathematics (A. G. Pickford)	: A. M. Jarman
English (J. T. Middleton)	: D. Stanton
History	: M. C. Underford
	: A. J. Davies
Geography	: R. J. Hirst
French	: D. A. Stanton
Latin	: D. A. Stanton
Physics (Chadderton)	: S. D. Emery
Chemistry (L. F. Potter)	: A. M. Jarman
Biology	: A. Farrington
Government and Politics	: I. J. Holtby
Art and Craft (Lewis J. Males)	: M. Brook
Religious Education	: M. C. Underford
Philosophy	: S. D. Hirst
Economics	: P. Wilkinson
Music	: D. J. J. Jaya-Ratnam

Additional Sixth Form Prizes

†The Pollard Prize (School Captain)	: D. Milwain
†The Hardman Prize (Deputy School Captain)	: R. K. Patel
The Canon Rountree Memorial (For Public Service)	: D. Kneeshaw
†The Oldham Junior Chamber of Commerce (For Community Action)	: R. J. Hirst
†Parents' Association Progress Prize	: G. A. Davenport
†Parents' Association Progress Prize	: D. J. Isaacs
†Senior Music Performance Prize	: S. J. Maxson
†Senior Choral Prize	: G. P. Bradbury
Senior Drama Prize	: S. E. Nolan
	: R. J. Holt
Senior Physical Education Prize	: N. J. Auchterlonie
Senior Chess Prize	: P. Wilkinson

Combined Cadet Force (C.C.F.)

†Ross C.C.F. Shield	: Winning Section at Army Camp
†Ferguson C.C.F. Award	: A. D. Nichols
†Military Efficiency Award	: N. P. Moran

Work Experience Commendation Certificates

These are awarded to boys who have submitted outstanding reports on their placements.

D. J. J. Jaya-Ratnam
J. M. Parry
N. Moreton

Governors' Leaving Exhibitions

These are awarded to boys leaving the Upper Sixth in June 1988 who have obtained a minimum of four grade A passes at advanced level. The awards will be made in School on Friday, 16th December.

†A. S. Barnes
†T. T. Cockerill
†P. J. Grime
†D. P. Kearsley
†C. J. Kirkham
†A. D. Nichols
†M. J. Richardson
†D. A. Kilroy
†S. D. Bennett
†D. Milwain
†D. K. Ferrier
†A. A. Shoaib
†M. P. Isaacs

†Denotes that the prize will be awarded at the ceremony in School on Friday, 16th December, and not at this Speech Day.

TROPHIES, 1987-88

Football

Higham Knockout Soccer Trophy

Lees House

Cricket

Edwards Batting Trophy
Mabel Davis Bowling Trophy
Joseph Davis Fielding Trophy
David A. Fleming Cricketing All-Rounder Trophy

G. S. Collighan
J. Mosley
J. R. Selby
J. Crawshaw

Athletics

The House Shield
The Relay Trophy
The Junior Victor Ludorum
The Senior Victor Ludorum
The Dugdale 100-Metre Trophy
The Open Mile Trophy

Hulme House
Hulme House
R. Scholes
N. J. Auchterlonie
N. J. Auchterlonie
S. D. Hirst

Swimming

The R. H. Morgan Housepoints Trophy

Hulme House

Table Tennis

Parents' Association Table Tennis Cup (Senior)
Parents' Association Table Tennis Cup (Junior)

J. Bradbury
A. Halford

These trophies were awarded during a School Assembly in July 1988.