## Kirrawee High School Student Leadership Groups

## School information

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Kirrawee High School is a large, comprehensive co-educational high school located in Kirrawee, adjacent to the Royal National Park. The school actively works to develop ethical, resilient, and emotionally intelligent young people.

## Student voice: Influence

Students are supported to be active participants in a range of leadership opportunities. They are empowered to use influence to bring about positive change and strengthening of values through their influence.

Leadership teams include SRC, Social Justice Council (SJC), Sustainability and Environment Council (SEC), White Ribbon, ATSI group, Disability Awareness Leaders and Events/Media teams to provide a diversity of student voices.

Evidence of the impact of student leadership included a wellbeing week designed and managed by the SRC, focusing on mental health awareness and mindfulness.

SJC, ATSI and White Ribbon collaborate within their teams on a range of initiatives that are central to community connections and awareness of the wider world.

## **Key strategies**

• SRC, SJC and prefects are elected by students following a successful application. Preferential voting ensures transparency and fairness.

- White Ribbon, Environmental Council, Media team and Tech team nominate to work on events within the community and the school throughout the year. White Ribbon develops strong, respectful ties within the KHS cohort and primary feeder schools.
- Leaders participate in a training day early in the year which includes creating a calendar for the year. Older students act as mentors.
- Students regularly work together with school executive and are able to provide feedback and influence decision making.



Leadership within the community

