

Arunita Vaotuua



"I applied to be a Youth MP to further develop a foundation where all voices are amplified and heard. Hearing that Youth Parliament only comes every three years, I saw it as a great opportunity and a blessing – one I believe God has placed in my path to serve my community and village. I aim to focus on issues that matter most to our youth, such as mental health, education, and creating stronger pathways for our voices to be heard in decision-making processes. I would love to work towards bridging the gap between our communities and government, ensuring that the policies and programmes created reflect the needs of our rangatahi and other underrepresented groups. Guided by my values and faith, I'm passionate about using this platform to uplift others and create lasting change."

Selecting MP: Hon Barbara Edmonds

Location: Wellington