



## **Chelsea Brown**



“I applied to be a Youth MP because I am passionate about working with other people and learning from a range of different perspectives and opinions. Through this programme of Youth Parliament, it acknowledges that the young people of today have a different experience of growing up in comparison to the generations which have come before us. And in 2025, it is so important that we can evaluate the pressures we face today, such as the struggle of mental health, so that our government is able to understand what support mechanisms need to be in place for our future. Representing my community has always been something that interests me, and I hope that through this opportunity I will be able to reach young people from all different parts of my community to better understand how to advocate for meaningful change on youth mental health in Aotearoa.”

**Selecting MP: Hon Simon Watts**

**Location: Auckland**