



Elenor Walsh



“I applied to be Youth MP because I’m passionate about politics and want to be a voice for the issues that truly matter to my community. Since moving to Gisborne at 11, I’ve seen so much untapped potential in the East Coast, and it’s clear that there’s so much we can achieve if we work together. My family’s roots in Tolaga Bay and across the East Coast make me feel a deep connection to this region, and I want to use that connection to represent the needs of our youth. I believe that the best solutions come from listening to others – especially the young people who are often left out of the conversation. I’m eager to hear different perspectives, learn from others, and work together to improve opportunities for youth. With everyone’s input, we can truly unlock the East Coast’s potential and create meaningful change for our community.”

Selecting MP: Dana Kirkpatrick

Location: Gisborne