



Joshua Wang



“I applied to be a Youth MP because I believe in the power of youth voice to shape a more informed and sustainable Aotearoa. Growing up in the Bays, I’ve seen both the beauty of our environment and the challenges facing our communities – whether it’s financial stress on families or the growing issue of waste. These experiences have shaped my interest in promoting financial literacy and responsible waste management. I want to ensure young people are not just consulted, but genuinely heard on the issues that affect us. As someone who’s actively engaged in my school and local community, I know how powerful it is when rangatahi speak up – and how important it is that decision-makers listen. Youth Parliament is a chance to carry the voices of my peers into the halls of power and push for real, lasting change.”

Selecting MP: Hon Erica Stanford

Location: Auckland