## STUDENT



## VOICE TEAM

The Student Voice Team is led by our Senior, Middle and Junior School College Captains, Vice-Captains and House Captains and is made up of other students across all year levels who wish to be leaders in the school.

The SVT represent the students in decision-making processes within the school. They serve as advocates for their peers, providing feedback, suggestions, and ideas regarding various aspects of school life.

## STUDENT LEADERSHIP AT BORONIA K-12 COLLEGE

Boronia K-12 College values the contributions to leadership that students of all ages can make during their schooling. We recognise that there are many different ways to exercise and develop the leadership skills of our students and therefore we aim to provide a variety of leadership opportunities for our students and give them every opportunity to discover the perfect fit for their individual talents.

The College is committed to providing a pathway for developing leaders to grow and use their talents and abilities for the benefit of the College and broader community.

We aim to develop student leadership skills by providing a comprehensive Student Leadership Program that provides support, training and education in leadership skills through all years of their secondary education.

The program grows leadership capacity and recognises leadership talents, providing opportunities for students to lead and to serve in an area of their choosing and passion.



## PORTFOLIOS



Within the SVT, there are a number of Student Leadership Portfolios. Student Leaders are required to serve one of the following as part of their leadership responsibilities:



#### COMMUNITY

Students under this portfolio involve themselves in a wide variety of community events and activities, acting as ambassadors for the school. The College Captains serve on this portfolio along with other interested student leaders.

#### Typical responsibilities include:

- Hosting College Presentation and Award Evenings
- Participating in Transition events
- Representing the College at Community Engagements
- Hosting Sub-School Assemblies
- Chairing meetings of the SVT



## TEACHING & LEARNING

This portfolio sees students investigating issues affecting curricular aspects of the school experience. They develop and assess ideas for improving the teaching and learning programs at the school, including liaison with staff members of the teaching and learning team.

#### Their duties may include:

- Organising peer tutoring opportunities
- Conducting surveys of student experiences of their education
- Various other teaching and learning related experiences, opportunities and tasks

## SOCIAL JUSTICE SOCIAL JUSTICE SOCIAL JUSTICE SOCIAL JUSTICE SOCIAL JUSTICE

Students raise awareness of social issues impacting students and the broader community and involve themselves in organising activities and events designed to highlight and raise funds for various charitable causes.

#### Other responsibilities include:

- Charity fundraising events
- Casual Dress Days
- Peer Support
- Raising Awareness of global issues
- Working with disadvantaged students and those needing assistance



#### ENVIRONMENT

This portfolio sees students tackling environmental and sustainability issues impacting the College and the broader community. Students raise awareness of these issues and organise and conduct events and activities to address these issues.

#### Responsibilities include:

- Environment and Sustainability issues impacting the College
- Enhancing the College Grounds and Facilities
- College Litter Project
- Raising awareness of environmental and sustainability issues locally and globally.



# LEADERSHIP ROLES AND MIGHERATES

### RESPONSIBILITIES

## College Captains & Vice-Captains

- Represent the College Values with pride
- Work with School
   Leadership and
   Improvement Teams
- Promote and attend significant College and Community events
- Organise and runSub SchoolAssemblies
- Mentor peers and be a role model
- Lead Student Voice
   Team meetings
- Assist in taking prospective students and families on school tours

#### **House Captains**

- Represent the College Values with pride
- Assist staff in organisation of house activities and events
- Model inclusion and house spirit
- Motivate students
   to participate in
   House activities and
   events
- Participate in
   Student Voice Team
   meetings
- Give feedback to School Leadership and Improvement teams
- Celebrate house point system at Assemblies and events

#### **SVT Members**

- Select and plan
   fundraising events
   throughout the
   school year;
   including the
   collection of
   donations and
   selection of
   fundraising projects
- Commit to
   attending a meeting
   once a fortnight
- Meet with peers to collect ideas and suggestions to enhance the school community
- Be instigators for change
- Be the voice of the students and determined to make a change