

## **Student Leadership**

At Auburn Public School, all students are encouraged to develop their leadership skills in a variety of areas, including within the classroom and playground, through their support for other students, or their involvement in academic, sporting, cultural or community events and projects. We are proud to have many students involved in a variety of these activities including school prefects, district and regional carnivals and debating and public speaking teams.

Each year, a Student Representative Council with representatives from each class from Year 2 to Year 6 are formed. The council provides an excellent opportunity for students to participate in decision making in the school. Representatives are voted in by their class peers and participate in a Training Day to learn about skills they will need to utilise within their leadership role. The Student Representative Council meets regularly to discuss student ideas and suggestions, with classroom meetings occurring on an ongoing basis.

The Student Representative Council has assisted in the running lots of initiatives including Red Nose Day, Easter Raffles, Music and Games Night, various formal assemblies and assisted with sports carnivals. A fabulous initiative our Student Representative Council has implemented is the Games Room. The Games Room is run each day and allows students to play their favourite board games with their friends in a quiet space during lunch time.