

Jane – Aspiring Neurosurgeon

I'm Jane and I'm in Year 11 here at Stuartholme School.

I'd really like to follow along the path of medicine and especially neurosurgery because the brain really interests me. There's so much undiscovered and unknown about the brain, I think it would be really fulfilling to be able to discover something to benefit people in the long-run.

Last year I applied for a programme called Oxbridge and I was accepted. So in the middle of the year I'm travelling to England. I'm going to study at Cambridge University where I'll complete a major in Medical Science and a minor in Medicine of the Brain.

At school I'm involved with the Yeronga Homework Club where I travel to Yeronga State High School to help the refugees with their homework. Outside of school I play hockey and I'm also involved with a charity known as YES Arusha which sponsors kids in Tanzania to go to school.

I'd really like to travel the world and help children in third world countries to get an education because I think that's one of the most important things in breaking the poverty cycle. I'd also really like to promote gender equality and especially women's rights.

Stuartholme has a really strong family feel and that's definitely the best part about it. Everyone's really friendly and welcoming throughout all the grades and you know someone will always be there to support you.