

Kingswood College

2026 Local Parliamentary Convention

Should Australia become a republic?

TIME	Activity	Details
9.15-9.30	Arrival and check in	
9.30-9.35	Introduction	
9.35 – 10.15	Speaker one	Amy Nethery is Associate Professor in Politics and Policy at Deakin University
10.15 -10.50	Speaker two	Tomas Lightbody , former Deputy Major for Manningham and member of the Greens Party.
10.50-11.00	Morning tea	Supplied for all attendees
11.00 -11.35	Speaker three	Nick McGowan MP , Victoria North-Eastern Metro Region. Shadow Minister for the Environment & Shadow Minister for Fire Rescue
11.35- 11.45	Formulation of personal stance and divide into groups	
11.45-12.15 pm	Group work	
12.15 -12.50	Speaker question time	All Presenters
12.50 – 1.10	lunch	Supplied for teachers and speakers
1.10 -1.30pm	Group work	
1.30 – 2.15	Presentations and Vote	
2.15 -2.30	Round up	

The College will be providing morning tea for students and morning tea and lunch for teachers and guests

We would encourage those with specific dietary requirements to bring their own food if required. In the interest of caring for the environment, we encourage all students to bring their own water bottle.

- Variations to the program above may occur at short notice prior to the event.
- All guest presenters are asked to bring a current Working With Children Check and report to reception upon arrival where you will be signed in.
- All visiting students and staff will be guided directly to the Brim Hall upon arrival and registration