

**SRE Teachers connect local churches and their local government High Schools. They help young people discover and engage with the message of the Bible and the Christian faith.**



## The Hornsby & Asquith District Christian Education Association (HADCEA)

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### Generate SRE

Generate SRE is a Special Religious Education program developed and run by Generate. The purpose of Generate SRE is to support the provision of Christian SRE for every possible student in every year at every NSW High School.

A joint ministry of Scripture Union NSW, Anglican Youthworks, Presbyterian Youth NSW and Baptist Churches of NSW and the ACT, Generate helps local combined churches through their SRE Boards and Teachers strengthen their SRE ministry in NSW High Schools.

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Jake Fitzpatrick

Teaching SRE at  
ASQUITH GIRLS HIGH  
SCHOOL AND ASQUITH  
BOYS HIGH SCHOOL





Jake Fitzpatrick teaches SRE at Asquith Girls High School and Asquith Boys High School.

Jake has been heavily involved in teaching the bible to teenagers over the last four years, as both an MTS trainee and Youth Pastor. He has taught primary SRE for three years, and is very thankful for the opportunity to teach the bible to teenagers in a high school context.

Jake is currently entering into his last semester at Youth Works College, where he will be completing an Advanced Diploma of Ministry.

Special Religious Education (SRE) has been a part of schooling in NSW since 1880 and is an integral part of our culture and history. SRE is distinct from General Religious Education, which forms part of the HSIE curriculum. SRE is time set aside in the school week for approved SRE providers, often local churches, to enter their local government schools and teach about their distinctive beliefs and practices.

Generate SRE is a program that supports local communities and churches to make Christian SRE available in Government High Schools across NSW.

Christian SRE is valuable for families who would like their children to understand Christian beliefs and engage with a valuable part of our Australian heritage. The impact of the Christian worldview can be seen in politics, education, healthcare, welfare and culture. Christian SRE gives students the opportunity to think critically, and engage with broader questions of worldview, values and identity.

### SRE Teachers:

- Offer regular Scripture classes that teach the Bible
- Enable students to learn and respond to the Biblical message
- Help Christian students to continue to grow in their faith
- Give opportunities for students to raise questions regarding faith, values and world views
- Encourage students to value one another and their relationships
- Support Inter School Christian Fellowship lunchtime groups

**I would like to support Jake Fitzpatrick through the Hornsby & Asquith District Christian Education Association (HADCEA)**

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