## Nathalie Pirie

I am a current 1<sup>st</sup> year student studying Psychology.

I think I would be a good addition to the student council as I am a very social person and have great leadership skills. I am already a student rep for 1<sup>st</sup> year Psychology students and I am playing hockey for the women's team at Kingston University, but I still want to be more involved in the university. The best way to be involved with the university is by being in the student council, you meet people from different courses, you get to improve the university in anyway you can and make sure that everyone is feeling safe and happy at university. Before uni I was captain of the women's hockey team at my club, I had to organise social events and be a leader on and off the field. I have experience in being a leader and I do believe I would be a good asset to the student council.

I am in a different country from my family and know what it feels like to be homesick, being at Kingston and staying at accommodation has made me feel like this is my 2<sup>nd</sup> home. I don't get homesick anymore because I have made myself at home here, I have friends and am part of a community! I want to make everyone else feel that way as well and I want to do that by joining the student council.