## Choirs

Sacred Heart Girls' College has a long tradition of choral singing, which continues to grow and develop to fit the needs of the students.

In 2017 we have three choral groups available to students.

<u>THE TREBLES</u> is our junior choir, open to all Year 7 and 8 students who want to sing. The group is currently directed by Philippa Drinkwater, an ex-pupil of the school, who has recently returned to New Plymouth from London. She is a vocal tutor so our students are indeed privileged to have someone with such skills working with them each week as they prepare to perform in a variety of settings.

Our <u>SENIOR CHOIR</u> is, in 2017, a group of students from Year 9 – 13, who enjoy singing. We work towards singing in 3-part harmony, and prepare music from a range of popular genres.

Our new venture this year is a student-led <u>ACAPELLA CHOIR</u>. This is a new initiative by Laura Griffiths, one of our senior music students who has attended workshops with Pentatonix, a very popular Acapella group based in the USA. Acapella singing, or singing without instruments, has been further popularised by the Pitch Perfect movies and a wealth of Acapella choir competitions.

The choir is small, and open to students able to hold a part, and who have a good ear for harmony and pitch.

Information can be obtained from the Music Department.