

## Levi Laurie

**Metropolitan East Region** 

**Football** – Queensland School Sport Merit Team 2021

Other sports: Volleyball

What advice would you give to another athlete wanting to succeed in their sport?

"Be yourself, train hard. Listen to your parents, teachers and coach"

### **PERSONAL GOALS:**

To play for Liverpool Football Club.

#### MY ROLE MODELS:

Mohamed Salah and Graham Fyfe.

#### **FAVOURITE SCHOOL SUBJECT:**

English and Physical Education.

#### MY INTERESTS AND HOBBIES:

I like to cook, build LEGO and play the Xbox. I also like to watch my two older brothers play football and learn from them.

#### **CAREER GOALS:**

**MY ATHLETE JOURNEY** 

To represent the Brisbane Roar in the A-League, then play for Liverpool. I would like to play for Queensland at the school Nationals when we are able.

What is your favourite school sport memory? Kicking a long distance free kick to win the match against a rival school.

# What motivates you to continue on your athlete journey?

My parents believe sport is a good outlet and keeps you fit. I always want to improve and be a better player and reach the goals I have set for myself.

How has school sport impacted you as an athlete? I find school sport helps me to get to know my school friends and I enjoy representing my school.

What do you enjoy most about competing? Playing against the best players in Queensland, meeting new people and making new friends.

All athletes on occasions have bad days, either at training, in competition or both. How do you overcome these "low" days?

I just tell myself it happens to the best athletes in the world, it's not the end of the world. Training harder to perfect my weaknesses. I believe mental strength plays a huge role in everything we do in life, be stronger in that area.



