



## **Child Protection Education – Early Stage 1**

Dear Parents and Carers,

This year students in Early Stage 1 will be involved in the mandatory subject Personal Development, Health and Physical Education (PDHPE).

Part of our school's PDHPE program includes mandatory child protection education. Some of the content taught in child protection education deals with sensitive issues. The school will teach this content in an age-appropriate way.

Child protection education will be taught once per week throughout the term.

The specific content which will be covered in child protection education includes:

- Being respectful
- I have people who keep me safe
- Who do I trust?
- Body parts
- Yes and no feelings
- Body signals and warning signs
- Safe or unsafe
- Wanted and unwanted touch
- No-Go-Tell
- Strategies for staying safe

For more information about child protection education go to the child protection and respectful relationships education section on the Department of Education's PDHPE website <https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/key-learning-areas/pdhpe/child-protection-and-respectful-relationships-education>

If you would like more information or to discuss your child's participation, please contact your child's classroom teacher as soon as possible.

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