



Child Safety Related Resources

St John's Regional College Policies

- Informing staff about Mandatory Reporting Obligations
- St John's Regional College Child Safety Policy
- Reportable Conduct policy
- St John's Regional College Child Safety Code of conduct
- St John's Regional College Principle of Inclusion guidelines

Catholic Education Melbourne

- [*Protect: Identifying and Responding to All Forms of Abuse in Victorian Schools*](#)
- [*Four Critical Actions for Schools Responding to Incidents, Disclosures and Suspicions of Child Abuse*](#)
- [*Protect: Responding to Suspected Child Abuse: A Template for all Victorian Schools*](#)
- [*School Guidelines 2.19a: Police and DHHS Interview Protocols*](#)
- [*Catholic Schools Operational Guide*](#) (CEVN website)
- [*Privacy Compliance Manual*](#) (CEVN website):
 - updated by the Catholic Education Commission of Victoria Ltd (CECV) April 2018
 - may be used by schools and systems which are represented by the CECV
- [*Family and Domestic Violence: A guide to supporting staff*](#) (CECV, 2019).

Counselling and support resources

- [Daniel Morcombe Child Safety Curriculum](#)
- [Respectful Relationships](#)
- [The Lookout](#)
- [safe steps](#)
- [1800RESPECT](#)
- [Centres Against Sexual Assault](#)
- [Gatehouse Centre, Royal Children's Hospital](#)
- [Kids First](#)
- [Australian Childhood Foundation](#)
- [Djirra](#)
- [Child Wise](#)
- [headspace](#)
- The Victorian [Aboriginal](#) Child Care Agency (VACCA)

Department of Education and Training (DET)

- [School Policy and Advisory Guide \(SPAG\)](#)
- [Protecting Children eLearning module](#)

Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)

- [Child Protection](#)
- [Child FIRST/The Orange Door](#)



Department of Justice and Community Safety

- [Failure to disclose offence](#)
- [Failure to protect offence](#)
- [Grooming offence](#)
- [Reportable conduct](#)

Related legislation

- *Children, Youth and Families Act 2005 (Vic.)*
- *Child Wellbeing and Safety Act 2005 (Vic.)*
- *Family Violence Protection Act 2008 (Vic.)*
- *Crimes Act 1958 (Vic.)*
- *Education and Training Reform Act 2006 (Vic.)*
- *Education and Training Reform Regulations 2017 (Vic.)*
- *Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities Act 2006 (Vic.)*

Commission for Children and Young People (CCYP)

- [Reportable Conduct Scheme](#)

Victorian Government

- [Ministerial Order 870: Child Safe Standards – Managing the Risk of Child Abuse in Schools](#)

Victoria Police

- [Victoria Police Sexual Offences and Child Abuse Investigation Teams \(SOCITs\)](#)

Further Information

MACS' **Student Wellbeing Information Line** can be contacted between **9 am and 5 pm weekdays** on **9267 0228**.

The Student Wellbeing Information Line seeks to:

- address matters that impact the wellbeing and educational outcomes of young people arising in MACS Catholic School communities across the Archdiocese of Melbourne using a solution-focused framework
- act as a conduit between the school and family to promote effective communication and resolution of enquiries
- empower and enhance the capacity, competence and confidence of stakeholders to address matters related to the wellbeing of young people.