

7 Child Safety Standards



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Standard 1:

The leaders of our school, have a responsibility to make sure that all children are safe at school. They need to educate all the staff, volunteers and community members about Child Safety.





Standard 2:

The school needs to have a Child Safety Policy to follow. The policy has to state how Emmaus Catholic Primary School will keep children safe.





Standard 3:

All staff and volunteers need to follow rules and behaviours to keep children safe. This is called a Code of Conduct.





Standard 4

All staff, volunteers and people who come to do jobs in the school, need to have a Working With Children Check or need to be investigated (Police Check) to make sure they haven't hurt children in the past.





Standard 5

All staff and community members need to know how to report an incident if they suspect a child is being hurt in some way or is feeling unsafe.





Standard 6

Emmaus Catholic Primary School needs to constantly identify, reduce, remove or make some changes to things that might make children feel unsafe.





Standard 7

In Jigsaw and catch-up sessions, all children are taught to have a voice, to say how they are feeling, especially if they are feeling unsafe. They are taught how to speak up if they are worried or feeling unsafe. They are taught to tell a trusted adult.

