



Child Safe Standards 2022

Camp Hill's child friendly Child Safe Standards

Standard 1: Strategies to embed an organisational culture of child safety, including through effective leadership arrangements.

Camp Hill's Principal, Assistant Principal, leadership team, staff and volunteers understand the importance of keeping children safe. We have processes and policies that send a message that everyone has the right to feel happy and safe at our school.

Standard 2: A Child Safety policy or Statement of Commitment to child safety.

Camp Hill is committed to child safety and you can read our Statement of Commitment to Child Safety here as well as see it on display at the front office. We also have other policies that also show we have a daily focus on child safety. These include our Mandatory Reporting, Child Safe, Volunteers & Visitors, Code of Conduct, Student Engagement & Wellbeing policies.

Standard 3: A Code of Conduct that establishes clear expectations for appropriate behaviour with children.

All staff and volunteers have a clear set of principles about how they should behave with children. This is explained in our Staff Handbook, Induction and Code of Conduct policy. We have a sign in area for all volunteers, visitors and contractors.

Standard 4: Screening, supervision, training and other human resources practices that reduce the risk of child abuse by new and existing personnel.

At Camp Hill PS we make sure that new and existing staff and volunteers understand the importance of child safety and are aware of our policies and procedures, and are trained to minimise the risk of child abuse. We keep a record of Working with Children Checks that volunteers provide us a copy of.

Standard 5: Processes for responding to and reporting suspected child abuse.

At Camp Hill PS we act quickly if we suspect a child is at risk. We do this through our Mandatory Reporting procedure.

Standard 6: Strategies to identify and reduce or remove the risk of child abuse.

We review our processes and policies on a regular basis to minimise and prevent any risk to Camp Hill student safety. We make sure the school is child safe and think carefully about the risk that camps and excursions might have for our children. We have Duty of Care, Yard Supervision, Administration of Medication Policies and an Emergency Management Plan in place to support our focus on child safety.

Standard 7: Strategies to promote the participation and empowerment of children.

We work hard to make sure children at Camp Hill PS feel safe and comfortable reporting concerns or allegations of abuse. All staff and volunteers are made aware of children's rights and adults' responsibilities regarding child abuse. We have a Student Wellbeing Worker available one day a week to support parents/carers, children and staff.

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