



Keeping Safe: Child Protection Curriculum – Year 12

Over the course of the year the Keeping Safe; Child Protection Curriculum (KS:CPC) will be taught as a compulsory part of the curriculum. Although parent permission is not required under the Education Act (1972), we encourage parents/caregivers to seek further clarification if required and to provide the teacher with any relevant information about their child that could alleviate any concerns.

The Curriculum has 2 main themes:

- We all have the right to be safe
- We can help ourselves to be safe by talking to people we trust

There are 4 focus areas over a year. Students in Year 12 at Caritas College will be focusing on:

YEAR 12	TERM 1		TERM 2	TERM 3
	Focus Area 1: The right to be safe	Focus Area 2: Relationships	Focus Area 3: Recognising and reporting abuse	Focus Area 3: Recognising and reporting abuse
	Topic 1: Risk-taking and emergencies 1.1 Reviewing warning signs 1.2 Assessing risk Topic 2: Psychological pressure and manipulation 2.2 Examples of psychological pressure and manipulation	Topic 1: Rights and responsibilities 1.1 Rights and responsibilities 1.3 Sexual consent 1.4 Rights and responsibilities in intimate relationships Topic 2: Identity and relationships 2.1 Healthy and unhealthy relationships 2.3 Gender stereotypes Topic 3: Power in relationships 3.3 Sexual harassment 3.4 Positive use or abuse of power Topic 4: Trust and networks 4.1 Networks 4.2 Peer networks	Topic 1: Privacy and the body 1.3 Health and safety Topic 2: Recognising abuse 2.3 Sexual abuse 2.5 Dating violence and date rape Topic 3: Cyber safety 3.2 Sexting 3.3 Digital reputation Topic 4: Domestic and family violence 4.3 Cycle of violence 4.4 Bystander intervention	Topic 1: Strategies for keeping safe 1.2 Problem-solving strategies Topic 2: Network review and community support 2.1 Networks as self-protection 2.3 Reviewing support services

More information can be found on the DECD child protection curriculum site

<https://www.decd.sa.gov.au/teaching/curriculum-and-teaching/keeping-safe-child-protection-curriculum/about-keeping-safe-child>

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