

What do the Child Safe Standards mean?

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children feel culturally safe.



Everyone in the organisation prioritises children and young people's safety and wellbeing.



Children and young people understand their rights, have a say in decisions, and are heard.



Families and communities are involved in the organisation's child and safety and wellbeing activities.



All individuals are treated with fairness, respect and dignity at all times.



People working with children and young people are appropriately screened and trained.



Everyone is encouraged to speak up and are listened to when they do.



Staff and volunteers keep learning how to support child safety and wellbeing.



Children and young people are protected in both online and physical spaces.



The organisation regularly reviews and strengthens its child safety and wellbeing practices.



The organisation documents policies and processes, and ensures they are accessible to everyone.



Adapted from the National Principles for Child Safe Organisations, and Tasmanian Government.



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