Child Safe at TAFE





Statement of Commitment

SAFE TAFE Queensland is committed to ensuring children and young people will be SAFE. Safety-first is at the core of our organisation's values. We are committed to creating and maintaining safe physical and online environments where young people feel secure and supported. We have zero tolerance for child abuse. Our staff and volunteers will be carefully selected, trained, and supported to uphold our child safety responsibilities and values. Child safety and wellbeing will be championed by our leaders and embedded at all levels of our culture, operations and environment.

INFORMED Our children and young people and the families and communities that support them will be informed. We will provide information about rights and safety that is easily understood, and readily accessible.

HEARD Our children and young people and the families and communities that support them will be empowered to use their voice at TAFE Queensland. We will seek input, listen, and consider appropriate action.

RESPECTED Our children and young people will be respected and valued for who they are as an individual. TAFE Queensland will have zero-tolerance for racism and discrimination. Our environment will be welcoming and inclusive, and we will provide a basis for equal opportunity for all.

CONNECTED TAFE Queensland will provide opportunities for our children and young people to build and maintain positive connection with their peers, culture and community. We know that strong connections safeguard against harm and enhance the safety and wellbeing.

ASSISTED We will help our children and young people who have been or who are at risk of being harmed or abused. TAFE Queensland has clear processes for reporting and responding to complaints and disclosures of harm. TAFE Queensland people will be trauma-informed, able to recognise signs of harm, and supported to respond appropriately to an incident or disclosure involving harm or abuse.

