

St Thomas' Catholic Primary School is committed to implementing and embedding the Child Safe Standards and requirements of Ministerial Order No. 1359:

- [Child Safe Standard 1](#) – Establish a culturally safe environment in which the diverse and unique identities and experiences of Aboriginal children and young people are respected and valued
- [Child Safe Standard 2](#) – Child safety and wellbeing is embedded in organisational leadership, governance and culture
- [Child Safe Standard 3](#) – Children and young people are empowered about their rights, participate in decisions affecting them and are taken seriously
- [Child Safe Standard 4](#) – Families and communities are informed, and involved in promoting child safety and wellbeing
- [Child Safe Standard 5](#) – Equity is upheld and diverse needs respected in policy and practice
- [Child Safe Standard 6](#) – People working with children and young people are suitable and supported to reflect child safety and wellbeing values in practice
- [Child Safe Standard 7](#) – Processes for complaints and concerns are child focused
- [Child Safe Standard 8](#) – Staff and volunteers are equipped with the knowledge, skills and awareness to keep children and young people safe through ongoing education and training
- [Child Safe Standard 9](#) – Physical and online environments promote safety and wellbeing while minimising the opportunity for children and young people to be harmed
- [Child Safe Standard 10](#) – Implementation of the Child Safe Standards is regularly reviewed and improved
- [Child Safe Standard 11](#) – Policies and procedures document how the organisation is safe for children and young people