



Where Students Come First

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Hello Oak Grove Families,

This letter is to inform you about an upcoming unit within our Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Curriculum. Beginning **September 18th**, our 6th, 7th and 8th grade students will be receiving instruction focused on the requirements of [Erin's Law](#).

For those of you that may not be familiar with Erin's Law, the law requires all public schools in Illinois to implement a prevention child sexual abuse program which teaches:

- Students in grades pre-K through 8th grade age-appropriate techniques to recognize child sexual abuse and how to tell a trusted adult
- All school personnel about child sexual abuse
- All families about the warning signs of child sexual abuse, information to support sexually abused children, and where to find support

Please view the Oak Grove implementation [infographic](#) for a snapshot of the topics covered. If you are interested in more information, use this link: [Safe At Last](#).

If you have any questions about how Erin's Law is being implemented or **do not** want your child(ren) to participate, please contact Joe O'Malley at omalley@ogschool.org. Thank you for your support in addressing this sensitive topic with your child(ren).

Sincerely,

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