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Dear Parents,

## RE: ySafe and SCHOOLNAME Partnership

ySafe's online safety experts have designed an innovative online safety program, which will support your student's ongoing digital development.

This ecosystem of online safety education can be delivered to students and the broader school community, via the following:

- A series of curriculum-linked lesson plans for students, which together intensively explore online safety in our digital world.
- Parent educational sessions and access to the Online Safety Hub resource.
- Evidence-based staff professional development, examining the nexus between online safety and student social and emotional wellbeing.

#### Who are we?

ySafe is Australia's leading provider of online safety education programs and support services. Our award-winning team of clinical psychologists, primary and secondary educators, and police officers have first-hand experience with the challenges faced by students, schools, and parents online.

Drawing on case studies and research from our respective backgrounds, we are committed to providing engaging and practical education programs that focus on the development of positive digital citizens rather than the perils of technology. But most importantly, we collaborate with students, parents, and school executives to ensure our sessions reflect #trending online behaviours, platforms, and risks.



# **Online Safety Teaching Suite**

The P/K teaching resource suite delivered to teachers works through the following topics and learning intentions.

P/K Topics	Learning Intentions
Intro to the internet	<ul> <li>Describe activities that the Internet is used for.</li> <li>Identify trusted adults.</li> <li>Describe help-seeking strategies</li> </ul>
Staying safe online	
Privacy	Describe situations in which it is not appropriate to photograph or record someone

## **Partnering with Parents**

It is ySafe's goal to further support students by empowering parents with topical awareness and some practical strategies which will allow the discussion to continue at home. This is done by means of the Online Safety Hub.

Online Safety Hub: <a href="https://HUB.onlinesafetyhub.com.au">https://HUB.onlinesafetyhub.com.au</a>

The Hub is a unique tool that provides school communities with up-to-date, expert information and advice about online safety on one central platform.

### Topic specific articles for the P/K parents

Age advice: A child's first smartphone.

https://HUB.onlinesafetyhub.com.au/parent/age-advice/first-smartphone

Selecting messaging apps for children.

https://HUB.onlinesafetyhub.com.au/parent/age-advice/selecting-messaging-apps

Setting up your home for online safety.

https://HUB.onlinesafetyhub.com.au/parent/rules-agreements/online-safety-in-the-home

We look forward to working closely with the SCHOOLNAME community.

Kind regards,

ySafe Education & Wellbeing Team