

Yarrunga Primary School
ON SITE SUPERVISION POLICY
October 2016



RATIONALE:

Maintaining or appropriate student supervision according to school's needs and ensuring staff are aware of their responsibilities to supervise students during school times as well as before and after school.

AIMS:

To ensure our school meets its duty of care in supervising students

IMPLEMENTATION:

Our school has clearly allocated specific responsibilities to staff members to undertake student supervision to protect students from reasonably foreseeable risks of injury including hazard that:

- are known
- could have been foreseen and prevented.

Supervision responsibilities are as follows:

<p>Parents/ guardians are responsible for:</p>	<p>the care and supervision of students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • travelling to and from school • outside the times of school supervision before and after school.
<p>The principal is responsible for:</p>	<p>ensuring:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • school supervision is provided for a minimum of 10 minutes before and after school • parents/guardians are regularly informed about supervision available before and after school • sufficient teachers are available to supervise the departure of students at the end of the school day • teachers supervising departures are not called away for other duties without alternate supervision being arranged • students are supervised by a staff member during recess and lunch, and at all times when outside the school grounds. • students are supervised by a teacher during presentations from guest speakers including religious instruction providers.

Additional Supervision

- Students catching the school bus will be supervised upon arrival at school and whilst waiting for the bus in the afternoons.
- Students will be supervised whilst crossing the road on Burke and White Streets.

EVALUATION:

This policy will be reviewed as part of the school's four-year review cycle.

REVIEW: 2020

RATIFIED BY SCHOOL COUNCIL: 18th October 2016