

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT TO CHILD SAFETY

Living and Learning Inc., Pakenham (LLP) is an incorporated not-for-profit Learn Local community centre that is dedicated to supporting and facilitating education programs, community development programs and other personal enrichment activities for the whole of its community. LLP promotes participation and inclusion in a caring, supportive environment contributing to the social, cultural development and wellbeing of individuals and the community.

Whilst LLP provides services primarily to adults, occasionally it does so in the presence of children, whether at LLP premises, or at locations where children frequent. Living and Learning Inc., Pakenham is committed to safety and wellbeing of all people and especially children and young people. This commitment is at the centre of everything we do and the decisions we make.

LLP has zero tolerance for any forms of abuse and particularly abuse perpetrated against children. In all its forms of service delivery LLP is committed to providing a safe environment where all people, including children and young people are safe and feel safe, and their voices are heard about decisions that affect their lives.

Particular attention is paid to the cultural safety of Aboriginal people, including Aboriginal children and people of culturally and/or linguistically diverse backgrounds, including children from culturally and/or linguistically diverse backgrounds, as well as the safety of people with a disability, including children with a disability.

Every person involved in LLP has a responsibility to understand the important and specific role he/she plays individually and collectively to ensure that the wellbeing and safety of all people, including children and young people is at the forefront of all they do and every decision they make.

Yours Sincerely,



Miriam Cadwallader
CEO