



# NATIONAL SAFE SCHOOLS FRAMEWORK

Every student and member of the Marist College Ashgrove community has a right to feel safe and respected. The College has in place a number of Policies and Procedures to facilitate this aim. These policies include:

- (a) **Safe School Policy**    (b) **Student Management Procedures and Policy**    (c) **Child Protection Policy**  
(d) **Harassment Policy**    (e) **Bullying Policy**

**If you feel that you are not safe or are suffering due to discrimination or bullying you are encouraged to take action.**

ARE YOU BEING **BULLIED** OR **DISCRIMINATED** AGAINST?

**A**  
Show it doesn't upset you - ignore it

If the harassment stops no more action is needed

**YOU CAN CONTROL** WHAT HAPPENS!

**B**  
Speak to the person harassing you. Tell them the behaviour is unwanted and illegal.

If the harassment stops no more action is needed

**DON'T RETALIATE** EITHER PHYSICALLY OR VERBALLY.

**C**  
Tell someone - this is not "dobbing". Talk it over with:

- Your Pastoral Group teacher or Boarding Supervisor
- School Counsellors
- A senior student
- The Reach Out portal on the College website
- Any member of staff with whom you feel comfortable

**Should you feel that you are suffering physical, emotional or sexual abuse either at school or at home, you should speak with one of the College Child Protection Contacts:**



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