16 May 2023

Dear parents,

You are invited to share feedback on updates to the [Building Respectful Relationships (BRR)](https://fuse.education.vic.gov.au/ResourcePackage/ByPin?pin=H9WQYK) and [Resilience Rights and Respectful Relationships (RRRR)](https://fuse.education.vic.gov.au/?2JZX4R) teaching and learning materials, which support schools to deliver respectful relationships education.  These age-appropriate resources help students learn and practise social skills and apply them in a positive way to learning, life and relationships.

The Department of Education has engaged Professor Emeritus Helen Cahill to update the RRRR resource and Associate Professor Deb Ollis to update the BRR resources. A first round of teacher, student and parent consultations were held in August 2022. This consultation offers the opportunity to provide feedback on the updates that have been made in response.

The consultation aims to ensure that the new resources:

* capture previous stakeholder feedback
* use current language and terminology
* incorporate language that recognises the intersectional experiences of students
* are inclusive of all sexualities and genders
* incorporate student voice.

Excerpts from the updated resource will be shared in the consultation.

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| A consultation on the BRR materials (Years 8-10) will be held on: | **Wednesday May 24 from 11:00am-12:00pm** |
| A consultation on the RRRR materials (Years F-12) will be held on: | **Wednesday May 31 from 11:00am-12:30pm** |

**How to provide feedback**

We are inviting parents to take part in one or both voluntary online workshops to inform the update to the resources.

If you are interested in being involved in the consultations, **please register by Monday 22 May.**

To **register**, or for more information or enquiries, contact Briony O’Keeffe, Project Manager, Respectful Relationships, Family Violence and Child Safety, by email, including your full name, the name of your child’s school and your preferred email address: briony.okeeffe@education.vic.gov.au

 Kind regards,

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