



DUNGOG HIGH SCHOOL

DHS Protecting and Supporting Children and Young People

Dungog High School has established clear guidelines and processes in child protection and child wellbeing which involve child protection training, reporting, safety and supporting children and young people in the school and the wider community.

https://detwww.det.nsw.edu.au/policies/student_serv/child_protection/prot_children/PD20020067_i.shtml

School Procedures:

1. Training in child protection is carried out annually for all staff members and updates provided regularly for new, temporary and casual staff.
2. The processes and procedures for child protection and support are regularly addressed through meeting Behavioural and Educational Support Team (BEST).
3. The school is developing strong links with interagencies and meet monthly to discuss student needs.
4. All staff are encouraged to have regular contact with parents and caregivers and to provide support in areas of need.
5. Mandatory reporting of incidents concerning welfare, safety or wellbeing are notified through the wellbeing unit.
6. Establishment and provision of a data base recording contact with the Wellbeing Unit.
7. Mandatory reporting to EPAC to protect the safety and best interest of all students.