Dear Parents/Carers,

**CHILD PROTECTION PERMISSION NOTE FOR K-6**

As part of the Personal Development, Health and Physical Education curriculum, students will participate in Child Protection lessons. This is a mandatory program and it will commence K-6 in Term 3.

These lessons will help children to identify dangerous or uncomfortable situations and to seek help from trustworthy adults. Some lessons may involve the naming of parts of the body.

The Child Protection lessons have been developed by the Department of School Education and they are an important priority for schools.

Comprehensive child protection education incorporates a broad range of subject matter in Personal Development, Health and Physical Education K-6, such as:

- personal identity
- families and friends
- assertive communication
- safety practices
- growth and development
- qualities in relationships
- making decisions.

Please complete the permission slip below if you do not wish for your child to participate.

Androula Kavallaris  
Principal

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I **do not** give permission for my child _____________________________ in class______________ to participate in Child Protection lessons.

Signed_________________________________ Date: ___________________________

Parent/Carer