



St Thomas More's Catholic Primary School

Launceston Tasmania

23 July 2018

The EveryBody! Program

Dear Parents/Carers,

From Friday 10 August, **The EveryBody! Program** will be visiting our school. The program works with students from Kinder to Grade Six and is aligned with the Australian Curriculum: Health and Physical Education. Our students from Kinder to Grade Six will be participating in the program.

The EveryBody! Program will be presented by Wendy Gregory who is a registered nurse with over 20 years of experience working with children and families in schools and the community. Wendy has previously visited our school with the Family Life Education Program run by Centacare/CatholicCare.

The in-class sessions will be held from Friday 10 August to Friday 17 August.

Students will learn age appropriate information in an interactive and relaxed classroom setting using power point presentations, group discussion, DVD's, books and take-home activities. At least one teacher will be present in each session.

This program is intended to supplement, rather than replace home learning. It is a wonderful way to encourage parent/carer and child discussions around the topics of personal and cyber safety, families, friendships, puberty and relationships. Children will be encouraged to share the things they have learned during the sessions, with adults at home and other trusted adults.

We will also be holding a parent/carer information session on Monday 6 August at 6pm in the Josephite Hall. We encourage you to come along to meet Wendy, see and hear what your child/ren will be learning and to ask questions. The session will go for 90 minutes.

If you have any questions or concerns about the program which need to be discussed privately, please contact:

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Please see the attached brochure for more detailed information on the contents of each session.

Kind Regards

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