

ROADS SAFETY POLICY

Mission Statement

McAuley Catholic Central School recognises and values the development of the whole person. Our school provides quality education and pastoral practices that promote Christian values.

Rationale

Road crashes are the major cause of accidental death of young children and adolescents in New South Wales.

Schools have the major responsibility for the education of students. Education can be an effective means of influencing the development of positive attitudes and safe behaviours in children and adolescents.

Definition

The Road Safety Education Program is a program designed to develop knowledge, skills, attitudes and values of safe road use.

Aims

To provide a Road Safety Education Program that will address the development of knowledge, skills, attitudes and values relating to road use.

For the school community to work to reduce road trauma through a quality education program.

Implementation

Planning and Procedures

McAuley Catholic Central School will provide a comprehensive and integrated road safety program that will meet the needs of our students. The program will focus on the Key Learning Area (KLA) of Personal Development, Health and Physical Education. We will also identify other appropriate KLA's where road safety education can be included.

McAuley Catholic Central School will take into consideration the education needs and developmental stage of the students

When designing our Road Safety Education Program we will take into consideration the local environment and actively seek to involve the community in improving road safety in the local area.

In developing the McAuley Catholic Central School Road Safety Education Program we will actively seek parental and community participation and support.

Approved by: McAuley Executive

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