

# Southern Cross Kids' Camps Commitment to Child Safety

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### 1. Purpose

The purpose of this Commitment to Child Safety is to make a public statement declaring Southern Cross Kids' Camps commitment to child safety.

### 2. Scope

This Commitment to Child Safety applies to all SCKC staff, contractors, volunteers, board members, interns and students on placement, working with children and young people.

## 3. Commitment to Child Safety

- 3.1 SCKC is committed to providing children and young people with a safe and nurturing environment in which they can thrive on camp.
- 3.2 SCKC supports, values and respects all children and young people, and is committed to their safety, participation and empowerment.
- 3.3 SCKC has zero tolerance for all forms of child abuse or harm against children and young people, and all allegations will be treated seriously in accordance with our policies and procedures.
- 3.4 SCKC is committed to providing a culturally safe environment in which the diverse and unique identities and experiences of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children and young people are respected and valued.
- 3.5 The safety, welfare and best interests of the child are paramount.

#### 4. Monitoring, Evaluation and Review

This Commitment to Child Safety will be reviewed on an as needs basis, or every two years.