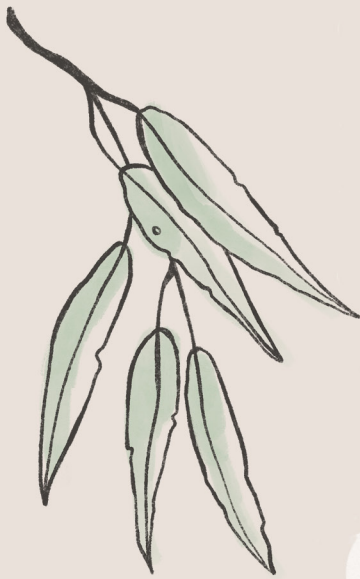




Making Tasmania safer for kids . . .

what is this about?



In Tasmania, leaders have made a big promise to do more to make sure that children and young people are safe.

This promise came after some children and young people were hurt, and people were brave and told other people what happened.

A big investigation looked back at the past 22 years. It showed that governments could have done more to protect children and young people and keep them safe.

The Government said the investigation showed mistakes were made and that the Government wants to make sure no child is hurt like this again.

what does this mean?

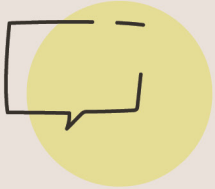


The Government has said it will do more to make sure every child in Tasmania is safe and has help if they need it.

Adults who take care of you have to follow special rules to keep you safe. This helps make sure you are always protected.

Whether you're at school or doing activities out of school like drama or dance or sport, all adults must follow these rules to keep you safe.

what has the government said they will do?



Children and young people in Tasmania have a voice and will be heard if they need to tell an adult if they don't feel safe.



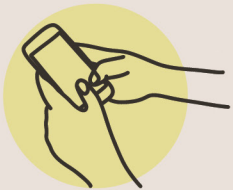
Children and young people who need it, will get help and protection.

You can share your ideas on how the Government can do things better to keep you safe.



Every part of the Government will work to make sure bad things don't happen to children and young people.

If something bad does happen, there are people ready to help right away. They will support you if you need it, and keep you and other people safe from anyone who has done the wrong thing.



You can tell someone if something bad happens, without being scared.

There will be checks to make sure the Government keeps its promise to protect children and young people.



There's a website with lots of information.



keepingchildrensafe.tas.gov.au



More grown-ups and adults are being taught how to make sure they can help and protect children and young people, and make sure that they can trust that they will be listened to, helped, and safe to tell their story.