

“All that happens in the Catholic School, the curriculum, the relationships, the priorities, the aims and objectives, the pastoral care and discipline has the potential to speak of God’s life”

The Distinctive Nature of a Catholic School

Inspired by our motto, “*United in Love*”, we at St Kevin’s School Dee Why are committed to developing a community of learners in a safe school environment.

*Excerpt from Vision Statement,
St Kevin’s School Catholic Primary, Dee Why*

St Kevin’s Catholic School has adopted a Whole School Approach to bring about positive behaviour; **Positive Behaviour for Learning [PBL]**. This approach has a strong emphasis on ***teaching appropriate behaviours*** and providing systems of support to bring about these positive behaviours.

PBL is focused on proactive strategies for defining, teaching, and supporting appropriate student behaviours to create positive school environment. The aim of Positive Behaviour for Learning is to actively teach and reinforce desired behaviour while implementing consistent, reasonable, mostly positive intervention to address challenging behaviours. Preserving and building child’s self esteem and image as well as encouraging self monitoring of behaviour are vital components of the positive approach.

St Kevin’s Catholic Primary School, Dee Why *United in Love*



School Rules and Behavioural Expectations



*Guided by our school values of
Faith, Dignity, Acceptance and Compassion,
we at St Kevin's strive to be a community "United in Love"
by following the school rules...*

We are Proud Learners

We are Safe

We are Respectful

We are Responsible

We at St Kevin's are United in Love and guided by our school values of Hope, Dignity, Acceptance and Compassion when ...

We are Proud Learners



Be prepared
to always do
your best



Learn and
let others
learn

We are Safe



Have safe
and caring
hands



Be in the
right place at
the right
time



Know the
rules and play
by the rules



Move safely
around the
school

We are Respectful



Listen
attentively



Speak and
act with
kindness



Take turns



Include others

We are Responsible



Care for
property



Care for our
environment



Care for my
appearance



Make good
choices