

## **Early Childhood Complaint Procedure**

### Kindy, Pre-primary, Year 1, Year 2

#### Part 1

Each classroom is issued with a Velcro backed sad face to place in a visible, child-accessible place in the classroom. The teacher will explain the purpose and use of the face with the students.

If a child has a complaint to make to the teacher, he/she can take that sad face to the teacher or EA.

The educator will then make time to sit in a quiet space with that child and, if necessary, complete the 'Complaint form for Children' with them.

#### Part 2

Once per term, the teacher will speak to the children about

'How does school make you feel?'

Using the 'Student Survey' sheet, children will circle a happy or sad face and complete a drawing, indicating why they chose happy or sad.

With those children who answered with 'sad', the teacher will ask and record for them 'What would make the problem better'?



# Student Survey

Name\_\_\_\_

How does school make you feel?



Draw a picture of why you feel this way.

What would make the problem better? (Teacher to ask and record answer if 'sad' is chosen)

## Child friendly Complaints form K - 2

1. Tell us about you:	
First Name	Last Name
2. Tell us about your co	mplaint:
Who or what are you un	happy with?
When did it happen?	
What made you unhapp	y?
What would make you h	appy? Tell us what you would like to happen:
We might need to talk t	to you about what happened.
Are you ok with this?	(Circle your answer)
Yes	No - Someone else will speak for you.
Name	Phone number
You can put this form in th	e complaints box in the office