

## Watch Around Water

National guidelines around safe supervision of children in swimming pools have been revised and launched on 1 September 2019. This has an impact on how children are supervised at PARC and we ask you to please follow the guidelines below at all times:

- Students **MUST** be accompanied to and from changerooms with an adult in a High Vis Vest
- Students **MUST** be accompanied to and from the toilet with an adult in a High Vis Vest
- Students are not to participate in any free play before or after the booked program.
- Students are not to be left unattended on pool deck or in the change rooms at anytime.
- Students **MUST** be actively supervised whilst participating in the school program.
- It is **NOT** acceptable for School teachers to be on their phone/ laptop whilst students are swimming. Teachers **MUST** be actively supervising the students in their care. E.g. If a teacher goes to the café to get coffee, another schoolteacher **MUST** be on pool deck supervising and available if needed.
- It is **NOT** acceptable for teachers to sit in the PARC café during a program.
- If programs are operating in numerous pools and/or areas of the centre, there must be a supervising School Teacher at each area.