

WELLBEING

Children need to understand the importance of making informed decisions about their physical, social and emotional wellbeing. Help your students participate in a range of activities to strengthen these areas of their development. This week provides schools with the opportunity to engage their students in a range of activities aimed to improve their overall wellbeing, how they think about themselves and their fellow students.



ACTIVITY SUGGESTIONS

- Introduce Yoga or Tai Chi Classes in a Health or Physical Education Lessons
- Start a discussion on the issue of respectful relationships
- Conduct pre or post lesson relaxation and stretching.
- Run group activities that focus on team building and cooperation
- Take a meditation session
- Encourage mindfulness techniques

ONLINE RESOURCES

R U OK? www.ruok.org.au/inspire-conversations/ruok-at-school

School For Living Program www.schoolforliving.com.au

Headspace www.headspace.org.au/what-works/resources

Beyond Blue www.kidsmatter.edu.au/primary/resources-schools

Butterfly Foundation http://thebutterflyfoundation.org.au/for-young-people

Smiling Mind www.smilingmind.com.au

Eating Disorder Victoria www.howfaristoofar.org.au/

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