Know how to address students

Using a person's chosen name and pronouns can have positive impacts on their mental health.

Every student will have different wishes and needs around this.

- ✔ Privately and respectfully check with students about the name and pronoun they would like you to use around other people in your school community. This includes on the class roll or around the learning environment.
- ✔ If a student would like everyone, or only some people, to know their chosen name and pronouns, this should be communicated to those identified in a respectful way.
- ✔ To maintain a student's privacy, check with the student about the name and/or pronouns they want to be used in the records that parents or caregivers may see, as they might be different to the ones they use at school.

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