

# WIRL Information for Teachers & Students

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What's It Really Like (WIRL) has a duty of care to students and business partners alike. WorkSafe has produced a series of videos, checklists, and flyers for use when young people commence work in (or visit) a workplace. Please feel fee to share these with the students and their parents, as well as the participating businesses, if applicable.



Good leadership helps protect young workers from illness and injury.

# Talking to young workers about health and safety

Young workers are more likely to value their health and safety when the people closest to them do.



### Young workers: Mental health >

Work can have both positive and negative effects on mental health.



## Young workers: Safety basics >

Protecting the health and safety of young workers is good for business.

#### Young workers vulnerable to workplace injuries

Young workers are particularly vulnerable to workplace injuries and employers should prioritise safety discussions and training to reduce their risk of injury.



#### Young workers: Speaking up

Note: Please refer to digital pdfs for active links.

Speaking up about safety at work can help protect you and your workmates.

#### Of Students undertaking work experience

Understand whether students undertaking work experience are considered workers for the purposes of WorkSafe.

#### Occupational violence and aggression: Safety basics >

Occupational violence and aggression (OVA) is any violence and aggression related to your work. It is unacceptable.



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