# Student worksheet - Health and Safety laws

## Key messages

* There are a many laws in Australia to protect you at work
* These are called Workplace Health and Safety laws
* There are laws against bullying in the workplace
* There are laws about discrimination in the workplace
* These laws have been made to make sure you are safe while at work
* All workers – full-time, part-time, casual, contractors, and students – are protected by these laws
* While in the workplace, everybody has a responsibility to themselves and to everyone else in the workplace

**The most important part of keeping safe in the workplace is to be aware of any risks and to report them to your supervisor straight away**

## Activity 1: Workplace health and safety classroom discussion

1. What do you know about safety rules?



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1. Why do we have safety rules?



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1. What do you know about safety rules at school?



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1. What do you know about safety rules in public places such as roads?



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1. What do you know about safety rules at home?



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1. Tell the person next to you about a time you remember somebody getting hurt when they were not thinking about safety

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1. Can you draw a picture of what happened?

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1. What rule would you suggest to stop this from happening again?

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