

# By following these expectations, we can keep our Early Childhood Ireland discussion forums respectful, professional, and supportive

## RESPECT

Treat everyone with courtesy and avoid offensive or abusive language.

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## THINK BEFORE YOU POST

Don't target individuals or cause harm with your behaviour.

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## EVIDENCE BASED

If sharing information make sure you use a trustworthy source.

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## PRIVACY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Don't share personal information of others. Keep comments anonymous if required.

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## COPYRIGHT

Don't share copyrighted materials without proper authorisation.

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## DON'T DISCRIMINATE

Do not discriminate or defame any individual or groups in any post you write.

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## CONTENT

Don't share inappropriate or offensive content: This includes offensive images, videos, or links.

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## EMBRACE

Treat everyone with respect, regardless of their background or opinions.

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## DISAGREE RESPECTFULLY

It's okay to challenge ideas, but do it with respect and encourage a learning conversation.

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## CONSENT

You should not share any photos or images of children or educators without proper consent.

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## SHARE AND LEARN

You are encouraged to share ideas, helpful resources and best practice.

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## REPORT

If you see any behaviour that breaks these guidelines, let us know!

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