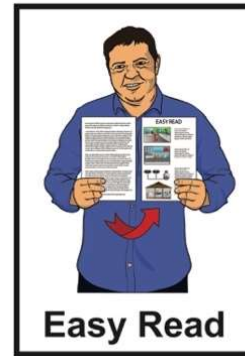




Privacy Commissioner
Te Mana Mātāpono Matatapu



Taking part in some research about privacy for children and young people

Privacy statement



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What is in this document



This Easy Read document is by the Office of the Privacy Commissioner.



The **Office of the Privacy**

Commissioner is the part of the Government that is in charge of **privacy**.



The Government cannot tell the Office of the Privacy Commissioner what to do.



Privacy means being in charge of information about yourself.

Privacy means you know:

- who has information about you
- how information about you is used
- how information about you is kept safe.

In this document we will call the Office of the Privacy Commissioner the **OPC**.

When you see the words **we / us** in this document it means the OPC.



The OPC is doing a **survey** about privacy for **children and young people**.

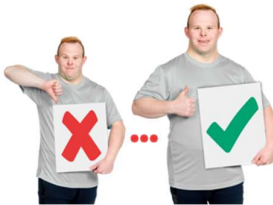


A **survey** is a way to do **research** by asking a lot of people to answer questions.



Research is when someone:

- looks at what has happened
- tries to find ways to do things differently.



Children and young people means everyone who is younger than 18 years old.

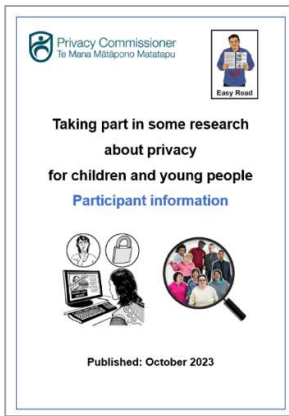


This document is a **privacy statement** for people who want to answer the survey.



The **privacy statement** tells you how the OPC will:

- use your information
- store your information
- share your information.

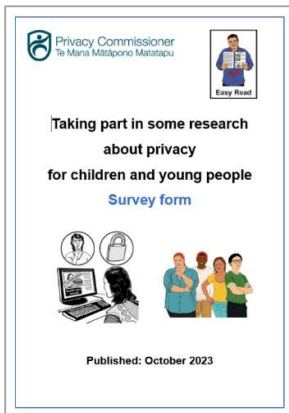


To find out more about the survey you can read the participant information document at:

<https://tinyurl.com/mt75x7nw>

You can find the survey at:

<https://tinyurl.com/mt75x7nw>



How we will take care of your information



You do not need to tell us:

- your name
- where you live
- anything that could tell people who you are.



Some of the information you give us might go in our **report**.

Report means a document that says:

- how we did our research
- what we found out
- what we think should happen.





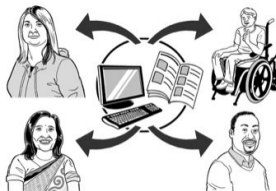
Our report will not use information that would make it easy for people to find out who you are.



You can ask us to tell you what information we have about you.



You can tell us to fix any wrong information we have about you.



We will only share your information:

- with the people working on the survey
- with the people writing the report
- if the law says we have to.





We will keep your information in **the cloud**.



The cloud is a way of storing information on the internet.



The cloud can store a lot more information than a home computer.



It can be a safe way to store information.

We will do everything we can to keep your information safe.

More information



If you have questions about this privacy statement you can call us on the phone at:

0800 803 909

You can phone us:



- on Monday to Friday
- from 10 am to 3 pm.



You can use the **New Zealand Relay** service when you call us.



If you find it hard to use the phone the **New Zealand Relay** service is for people who are:

- Deaf / hard of hearing
- deafblind
- speech impaired / find it hard to talk.

You can find out more about the New Zealand Relay service at:

www.nzrelay.co.nz



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