



Teaching Safety - Empowering God's Children
Program Overview

*Unifies all training programs in the Diocese.

*Provides the required training for all ethnic groups and all grades from Pre K-12 with themes which build on basic concepts throughout the program.

*Students will be trained by grade level:

Pre K	Kindergarten through 2nd Grade	3rd through 5th Grade
6th through 8th Grade	9 th through 12 th Grade	

*Lesson plans are clear, concise and easy to implement; they are designed for each specific grade level.

*Each lesson plan explains the basic principles and objectives, references to the Catholic Catechism, and background information.

*Each (1) hour training session consists of two activities:

- Part One – watch the Introductory video together
- Part Two – select a second activity option

*Second activity options include lessons on key vocabulary words, internet safety and group discussion.

*While the Pre K program was not designed by Virtus, the age appropriate lesson plan introduces the basic theme of Personal Safety.

*Completed training reports are filed quickly and conveniently online.

**Teaching Safety - Empowering God's Children* training will begin in the Fall of 2020; training to be completed annually by February 1st and reported to us by February 15th.