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Dear Parent and Carers

You may be aware that on May 18 Netflix commences screening season two of **13 Reasons Why**. The program addresses sexual assault, self-harm and suicide from the perspective of adolescents. The first series was quite graphic and confronting in parts.

As some students may be planning to view the second series I encourage parents and carers to have a conversation with their children to ascertain whether they are aware of the series and to discuss their reactions and thoughts.

Please find attached with this letter a resource that has been prepared by Headspace in conjunction with Netflix "**Media release – Headspace and Netflix – 13 Reasons Why**".

Should you have a concern regarding your child's wellbeing I urge you to contact the School or make use of the services below.

Contacts:

St Francis' School Counsellor – Mrs Una Flynn una.flynn@cewa.edu.au

Support, Resources and Information:

- www.beyondblue.com
- www.reachout.com.au
- www.headspace.org.au

Crisis:

- Lifeline 13 11 14
- Suicide Call-Back Service 1300 659 467
- Crisis Care 1800 199 008
- Go to your nearest Emergency Department
- Emergency 000

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ian Hagen'.

Ian Hagen
Principal