# FREDS

## = FEELINGS

= I CAN TRY MY BEST

= EXPLORE STEP PLANS

### = NOW REWARDS

## = DO IT DAILY



= SUPPORT NETWORKS

FRIENDS RESILIENCE

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Growing Stronger Everyday

#### **Feedback from the Parents**

"When Zac started school, he walked into his classroom with a smile on his face and you could see that the skills he learnt at the skills he learnt at the FRIENDS Programs really helped him have a fantastic year."

Joanna and Peter Zac's parents

"When Ryan first started the FRIENDS Programs, he couldn't even speak in front of the class without feeling sick... We are proud to say that the program changed Ryan... He gave a talk in front of the whole school and no one could believe that he became the school captain in Year 7."

Amanda and Rowan Hannah's parents

"We were very concerned about Hannah but through the program she learnt to relax, think in positive ways and develop the confidence to face challenges. Hannah now seems like a new young lady... She achieve a great OP for Year 12."

Amanda and Rowan Hannah's parents

#### Dr Paula Barrett is the author of the FRIENDS Programs which are used Internationally.

Paula is recognised as a leading researcher in the field of resilience in children and adults, and the prevention of anxiety and depression.



**Countries using the FRIENDS Programs Worldwide** 



Endorsed by the World Health Organisation Mind Matters rating of FRIENDS Programs



#### For Teachers and Parents

## The FRIENDS Programs have been proven to:

- Improve academic achievements
- Develop confidence
- Make and maintain friendships
- Deal with bullying
- Prevent anxiety and depression
- Teach stress management and coping skills
- Improve attitude towards parents and teachers
- Develop empathy towards others

#### For GPs and Healthcare Professionals

Our clinical psychologists provide specialised treatment for:

- Anxiety, Depression & OCD
- Oppositional Defiant Disorder
- Attention Deficit Disorder (ADD)
- Eating Disorders (Anorexia & Bulimia)
- Autism & Aspergers Spectrum Disorder (ASD)
- Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)
- Learning Assessments

Research and evidence based, The FRIENDS Programs are used internationally to promote resilience and prevent anxiety and depression in people of all ages.

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