



Adult Education Initial Training Course: Protecting Children in the 21st Century



Instructions:

This initial training course provided through the **Safe & Sacred™ Environment Training Program** replaces the Diocesan in-person *Initial Child Protection Policy Training* course. All new volunteers, employees, religious and clergy should complete the initial course by following the instructions below.

If you have already attended our Diocesan *Initial Child Protection Policy Training*, you are **REQUIRED** to take the refresher course, not this Protecting Children in the 21st Century course.

To access the website, go to: <https://diobelle.safeenvironment.org>

1. Create a user profile via the right side of the screen on the training website. **Important:** Be sure to save your username and password, so you can return to the website for resources or future training programs. Use your **LEGAL NAME** (no nicknames) in your profile.

2. **Complete the “Protecting Children in the 21st Century” course online at your convenience.**

Read the instructions, review the course and complete the rest of the steps:

- ✓ Complete the 20-question quiz.
- ✓ Review and Print the Safe Environment Contact Card.
- ✓ Certificate (review the Code of Conduct, click the checkbox to agree).

3. **Your certificate will be automatically emailed to the Location Coordinator of the site that you indicated in your profile. You may also print your certificate and/or save it to your computer.**

Everyone who works with young people and/or vulnerable adult shares the responsibility of creating safe environments. We are all charged with treating life with the respect and dignity given to each of us by our Creator.

Thank you for taking the time to complete this important training.

