



Children's Safeguarding Policy

What is Safeguarding about?

All of the adults at the Howard School think that your health, safety and welfare are very important.

In our school we respect our children and help to protect their rights.

We do our best to help children make excellent educational progress.

We teach children how to recognise risks in different situations and how to protect themselves and stay safe.

How will we try to safeguard children?

We try to provide a safe environment for children to learn in.

We want to help to ensure that children remain safe, at home as well as at school.

We think it is important for our children to know where to get help if they are worried or unhappy about something.

As a school we have signed up to the Young Peoples Safeguarding Charter.

We try to provide you with as much information and support as we can.

What should children do?

Speak to an adult at school if you are worried about something.

The Child Protection Officer in school is Mr. Walker. If Mr. Walker is not available then Miss O'Brien can help.

Mrs Thorpe is our Family Advocate and can also help.

Remember our pupil groups can also help and support you: Wellbeing Ambassadors, Anti-bullying Ambassadors and Safety Monitors.

You can find useful help and support on your 'Stay Safe' display.



Need to talk at any time – remember you can talk to **ChildLine**



Compassion
Forgiveness
Friendship
Trust