A Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy for Children

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Brook
Primary School







What is child protection and Safeguarding?

At Brook Primary, Child Protection and Safeguarding means:

- all the adults around you think about your health, safety and welfare.
- It is very important.
- Adults in school make sure that you all stay and feel safe.
- You are listened to
- We help to protect your rights as children

What does a Child Protection Policy do?

Our Child Protection Policy helps adults and children to:

- Stay safe
- Be protected
- Know what to do if there is a problem
- Find help and support from the right people



How does school protect you and keep you safe?

- **We have a safe and nurturing school environment for you to learn and play**
- **We make sure you are looked after properly at home, at school and in the community**
- **We provide you with lots of opportunities to grow, develop, make your own choices and grow up happy and successful**
- **We teach you how to spot risks and how you can protect yourselves and stay safe**
- **We teach you where you can get help if you are feeling worried or unhappy**
- **We teach you how to stay safe online**
- **We teach you the NSPCC PANTS rules**



What do I do If I have a worry or concern?

IT IS EVERYONE'S RESPOSIBILITY TO KEEP YOU SAFE AND LISTEN TO YOUR CONCERNS

You can TALK TIO ANYONE at school if you have a worry or a concern but you may find it easier to talk to a 'safe adult' (an adult that you have a good relationship with) – everyone in school will find time for you.
Sometimes you may feel you can't talk about your worries or concerns and might find it easier to write them down or draw a picture and give this to an adult or share with the worry monster in your classroom.

We talk about keeping safe and about our trusted adults in school – Miss Nicklin, Mrs Fellows, Mr Allen, Miss Wood, Miss Didlock, Mrs Waterworth and Mrs Taylor are all DSL's (Designated Safeguarding Leads). They will help you get the support and help you need and help you to feel safe again.



Here are some other people that will help to keep you safe if you don't want to talk to anyone at school



The **NSPCC** is a charity which helps to protect and support children and families.
You can find lots of help and information on their website
www.nspcc.org.uk
or you can contact them on
02078252505



Childline is for anyone under the age of 19 who is in the United Kingdom (UK) with worries or concerns you are going through.
You can talk to them about anything, it is free and available day or night.
You can find lots of useful help on the website
www.childline.org.uk

REMEMBER, at Brook Primary, it is **EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY** to keep you safe and make sure you are happy.

If you need to talk, **WE WILL ALWAYS LISTEN.**

