



YOUR SAFETY YOUR VOICE



1 | OUR SAFETY PROMISE (THE MOST IMPORTANT PART)

We Promise to Keep You Safe

All the adults here care about you, and we will always do our best to make sure you are happy, healthy and safe.

Your Feelings Matter

We believe you, and we will always take your worries and feelings **seriously**.

It's Never Your Fault

If something bad happens, or someone makes you feel scared, **it is never your fault**.

2 | WHAT IS SAFEGUARDING?

Safeguarding means everything we do to help you:

- Be Protected from being hurt or feeling unsafe.
- Be Healthy (in your body and your mind).
- Be Happy and have the best chances to learn and succeed.

3 | WHO CAN YOU TALK TO? (OUR SAFE ADULTS)

We have special people you can talk to about anything that makes you feel worried, sad or unsafe.

Mrs Southall - Assistant Headteacher in charge of Safeguarding.

Safeguarding Team: Mr Araim, Miss Drinkwater, Mr Cox, Mrs Verdin, Mr Henderson, Mr Webber, Mr O'Brien.

4 | WHAT SHOULD YOU TALK ABOUT?

Tell a Safe Adult if **anything** makes you feel worried, confused, or upset including:

- If someone is being mean to you, bullying you, or being unkind online. (**Cyberbullying**)
- If someone is hurting your body (**Physical Abuse**) or not giving you enough food, clothes or care (**Neglect**)
- If someone says or does things that make you feel scared, worthless or very sad (**Emotional Abuse**)
- If someone asks you to keep a bad secret or touches you in a way that feels wrong (**Sexual Abuse**).
- If you see something worrying happen to another child.

5 | WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU TELL SOMEONE?

1. **They will Listen:** The adult will listen calmly and write down exactly what you say.
2. **They will Ask for Help:** The adult will not keep the worry a secret, because they need to tell **Mrs Southall (DSL)** so she can help you. **They will not tell anyone who doesn't need to know.**
3. **They will Get You Support:** The safeguarding team will figure out the best way to make sure you and your family get the help and support you need to be safe again.

6 | BEING SAFE ONLINE (DIGITAL SAFETY)

- Think Before You Click: Don't share private information or pictures with people you don't know in real life.
- Be Kind Online: Treat others how you want to be treated.
- Tell Someone: If something online makes you feel uncomfortable or scared, or if someone is pressuring you to do something, tell a Safe Adult immediately.