St Peter's Church of England (VC) Primary School

Safeguarding

Safeguarding is everybody's responsibility

Children have a right to be cared for and protected, protecting them is everyone's responsibility. Here at St. Peter's C of E Primary School we have a duty of care to ensure that all users of the school are kept safe from harm. We are committed to providing a secure and supportive environment in which children can develop and grow into mature and responsible people. Safeguarding children is an essential part of our holistic approach to ensure that children are protected from abuse and neglect and that every child reaches their full potential.

The best interests of the children will always be our priority. As such, there are times we will need to record, monitor and share information with other agencies. We will share concerns about our pupils with the child's parents/carers unless we have reason to believe that such a move would not be in the child's best interest.

Safeguarding Roles

Jim Holditch	Headteacher	Designated Safeguarding Lead
Dee Stone	Assistant Headteacher	Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead
Kieron Eastwood	Assistant Headteacher	Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead
Wendy Butler	After School Club Lead	Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead
Chloe Williams	Safeguarding Governor	

What you can do?

Parents and carers play a role in safeguarding children in their community. If you have any concerns, no matter how small, you should report them to someone who you trust will listen. The school is required to have a Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) for this purpose. Parents and children should speak to the DSL if they have any concerns about a child or staff member.

If you think a child or young person may be in immediate danger, call 999. Otherwise contact Kent Social Services on 03000 41 11 11.