

# Safeguarding

At Ashleigh Primary School we are committed to all aspects of safeguarding and promoting the healthy welfare of our children.

We have a regularly reviewed and rigorous Child Protection Policy and Procedures in place. All staff including our volunteers and supply staff must ensure that they are aware of our procedures.

All adults who work in the school are subject to Disclosure and Barring Service checks (DBS checks) as well as rigorous employment and interview checking procedures.

All adults who work in the school are trained to take responsibility for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of pupils at the school.

Sometimes we may need to share information and work in partnership with other agencies when there are concerns about a child's welfare. We will always ensure that our concerns about our pupils are discussed with their parents/carers first unless we have reason to believe that this is not in the child's best interests.

The well-being of each child is the responsibility of the class teacher under the oversight of the Senior Leadership Team and Head Teacher.

**Designated Senior Lead for Safeguarding and Domestic Abuse** – Cath Fordham (SENDCo and Deputy Head Teacher)

**Deputy Senior Lead for Safeguarding and Children in Care** – Chris Greenhall (Head Teacher)

**Designated member of staff for Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE)** : Sarah Parris

**Designated Governor for Safeguarding** – Steve Bunce

For further information on any Safeguarding concerns please visit:

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/>

<http://www.devonsafeguardingchildren.org/>

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/child-abuse-and-neglect/child-sexual-exploitation/>

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Ashleigh School's Safeguarding Policy can be accessed via our website at [www.ashleighdevon.co.uk](http://www.ashleighdevon.co.uk), or a paper copy can be obtained from the Office.

If you are concerned about a child or young person you can speak to one of the above, or contact the MASH on 0345 155 1071 and give as much information as you can.



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