

# Safeguarding Information

For adults, volunteers and visitors in school

### **Safeguarding Children Procedures**

As a visitor in our school, either as a volunteer, contractor or someone who is working with our children it is important that you are aware of our safeguarding children procedures.

Our children's wellbeing is our highest priority. It is important that all adults in school know what to do if they have any concerns about a child and avoid any situation that may put a child and themselves at risk.

There may be times when you have cause for concern. This could be marks or bruises, something a child says or the condition that they are in at school e.g. hungry or lacking personal hygiene.

You may be approached by a child who wants to talk to you about something that has or is happening to them. Children tend to choose someone they trust or know well.

#### Who do I speak to?

In every case you should discuss your concerns with one of our Designated Senior Leads for Safeguarding (DSL's):

#### **Designated Senior Lead**

Nick Sharp – Headteacher head@arnside.cumbria.sch.uk

#### **Deputy Designated Senior Lead**

Jacki Piper - Deputy Headteacher jacki.piper@arnside.cumbria.sch.uk

## **Safeguarding Governor**

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#### **Chair of Governors**

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Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children is everyone's responsibility. Everyone who comes into contact with children and their families and carers has a role to play in safeguarding children.

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