

Child Friendly Safeguarding Policy

At Trawden Forest Primary School,

all staff feel your health, safety and welfare are very important.

In our school, we respect our children and help to protect your rights.

We do our best to help you make good choices and educational progress.

We teach you how to recognise risks in different situations and how to protect

yourself and stay safe.

Safeguarding means that school staff should:

- Protect you from harm;
- Make sure nothing stops you from being
- healthy or developing properly;
- Make sure you are safely looked after;
- Make sure you have the best life chances and can grow up happy and successful



How will we try to keep you safe?

- We try to provide a safe and secure environment for you to learn in and progress.
- We help to ensure that you remain safe, at home as well as at school.
- We think it is important for you to know where to get help if you are worried or unhappy about something.

What happens next?

- Sometimes a member of staff at school may need to check things with Mrs Beetham or Mrs Stinchon and then, if they can deal with the issue themselves, they will.
- There are times though when they may need to contact some other agencies for support. These may be Children's Social Care (Social Workers) or Police. There are lots of other agencies who support children and their families as well.
- Staff will talk to you and explain all of this and you can always go and ask staff questions if you are unsure about anything.

Every child matters.

Be calm, be kind, be honest, be brave Be the best you can be!

Need to talk?

If you need to talk - we will listen.

You can talk to **any** adult within the school, anyone you feel comfortable talking to will listen and help you.

If you do not want to talk, you can always write it down and give to a member of staff.

DO NOT BE SCARED TO TELL SOMEONE STRAIGHT AWAY - WE WILL ALWAYS LISTEN.

Or you can ring ChildLine:











Mrs G Beetham