

Who is responsible for safety in our school?

Need to talk?

Ms Dunbar: Designated Safeguarding Lead



CHILD FRIENDLY SAFEGUARDING

Mrs Rees: Deputy Safeguarding Lead



Mrs Curtis Principal:



This policy is based on Pupil Voice, it was developed with the help of pupils at Summerhill Academy

Mrs McLeod: Assistant Principal

All Governors and staff will work together to make our school a happy and caring place.

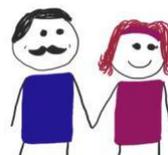
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What our school does...



- Anybody who works at our school will be checked by the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) to make sure that they are safe to work with children.
- Our school has a Designated Person for Safeguarding, Ms Dunbar who has had lots of training to identify what to do if she is concerned. She also supports all of our teachers with safeguarding.
- Our school has an entry system and there are locks on the external doors.
- Our school teaches us how to keep ourselves safe. Our lessons include, healthy eating, anti-bullying, e-safety, road safety, how to report abuse or concerns if we are worried about our safety.

What our parents/ carers do...



Parents are the most important people to keep us safe and they should:

- Talk to school if they need help or support.
- Let school know if their child has a medical condition or is off school unwell.
- Let school know of any court orders.
- Let school know if there is any change in circumstance such as house move, new contact details, change of name, change of parental responsibility, or private fostering.
- Let school know who will be dropping off and picking up or of any additional changes to these arrangements.

What should I do...?



- Tell an adult I trust straight away; I can also call Childline
 - Report anything that worries me
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- Keep all online messages for evidence
 - Share worries
 - Try to stay calm
 - Try not to react or do the same back

What should I not do...?



- Do not keep worries to myself
- Online or using my phone: do not delete messages, don't open unknown links/ attachments
- Do not be nasty or unkind back

