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Safeguarding Policy for children

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Kings Hill School is our school and we want it to be a safe place. All of the adults at school will do everything they can to make sure that you are healthy, safe and happy.

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

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

We teach you how to recognise the risks in different situations and how to protect yourself and stay safe.

What does safeguarding mean?

Safeguarding means that all the school staff will:

- Protect you from harm
- Make sure nothing stop 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

What is this policy for?

Our school has a safeguarding policy for staff, families and Governors. This child friendly policy is designed for you. We created this policy to help you decide what could be a problem and where to get help and support. There may be times when you want to talk to someone in school about a problem that might be upsetting you.

We have people in school who are specially trained to help you, it is important that you know where to get help if you are worried or unhappy about something.

How do we protect you and keep you safe?

- We will always try to provide a safe and secure environment for you to learn and progress
- We help to make sure that you remain safe at home, as well as at school
- We will teach you how to recognise risks in different situations and how you can protect yourselves and stay safe
- We think it is important for you to know where to get help if you are worried or unhappy about something
- We will help to make sure you thrive , grow and develop properly

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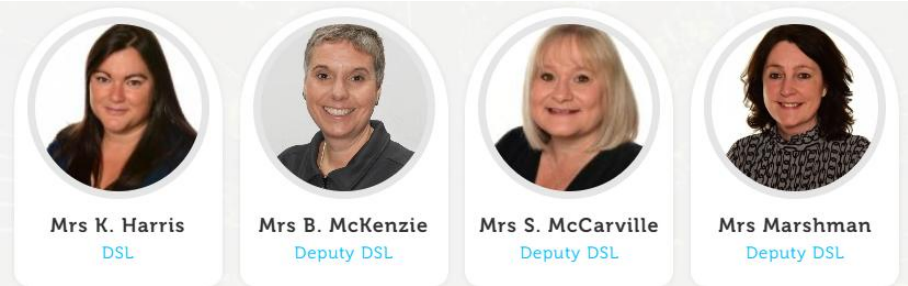
Need to Talk?

You can talk to **any adult in school** if you have a worry or concern- including your teacher, teaching assistant, midday supervisor, Mrs Harris, Mrs McKenzie, Mrs McCarville and Mrs Marshman.

It is Mrs Harris' special job to keep you safe and sometimes adults will talk to her if they are worried about you. She will help you get the help you need to feel safe again. There are other staff who help Mrs Harris to make sure you are safe and well cared for. These people are Mrs McKenzie, Mrs McCarville and Mrs Marshman



There is a poster in every classroom that can help you to identify these people.

If you do not want to talk, you can always write it down and hand it to a member of staff, or post it in the worry box. If you are in Nursery or Reception you can hand your colour monster to your teacher if you are worried.

Tips for Keeping Yourself Safe

If you have a worry, tell an adult and **don't keep it a secret** if someone is:

- bullying you
- saying things to you that you do not like or which upsets you
- touching you
- trying to give you tablets, cigarettes, drugs or alcohol
- hitting you or hurting you
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- taking your things
- says or sends unkind things to you over the internet or on your mobile phone
- doing or saying things which make you feel uncomfortable
- not looking after you or caring for you properly

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Here are some other people who can help you to keep safe

NSPCC
Speak out. Stay safe.

ChildLine
0800 1111

CLICK CEOP
Internet Safety

THINK U KNOW
.CO.UK

Childnet
International