



# **CHILD PROTECTION AND SAFEGUARDING**

## **Summary of Child Protection Information for Visitors and Volunteers**

Our school is committed to the highest standards in protecting and safeguarding the children entrusted to our care.

Our school will support all children by:

- **Promoting a caring, safe and positive environment.**
- **Encouraging self-esteem and self-assertiveness.**
- **Effectively tackling bullying and harassment.**

We recognise that some children may be the victims of neglect, physical, sexual or emotional abuse. Staff working with children have received appropriate training and are well equipped to identify such abuse.

At our school in order to protect our children, we aim to:

- **Create an atmosphere where all our children feel secure, valued and listened to.**
- **Recognise signs and symptoms of abuse.**
- **Respond quickly, appropriately and effectively to cases of suspected abuse.**

If you have a concern that a child is being harmed, is at risk of harm, or you receive a disclosure (intentionally or unintentionally) you must contact any of the following staff members as quickly as possible.



**Mrs Herrera**  
Designated Safeguarding Lead



**Ms Sall**  
Deputy Safeguarding Lead



**Mrs Galloway**  
Deputy Safeguarding Lead



**Mrs Dickinson**  
Deputy Safeguarding Lead  
(Single Point of Contact)

Everyone working with our children, their parents and their carers are aware that their role is to:

- **Listen** and note carefully any observations which could indicate abuse.
- Not to attempt to investigate once the initial concern is raised.
- **Refer** to any of the Designated Senior Lead (DSL) immediately.
- **Remember** disclosures of abuse or harm from children may be made at any time.

**If anything worries you or concerns you, report it straight away!**