



WSS Safeguarding Team

Keeping Children Safe is Everyone's Priority

Weston Secondary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. We expect all staff, governors, volunteers and visitors to share this commitment and together maintain an 'it could happen' approach.



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Safeguard Lead
(DSL) Safeguarding
& Attendance
Lead



Mrs L. Griffiths
Deputy DSL
(DDSL)
Attendance
Manager



Mrs C. Hooper
DDSL
Deputy Head of
Year



Mrs I. Brown
DDSL
Mental Health &
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Mrs J. Trescothic
DDSL
Deputy Head of
Year

If you notice anything that you feel is a cause for concern relating to a child's safety please complete a CPOMs referral. If you are a visitor and do not have access to this system, please request a Cause for Concern (C4C) form from Reception. If you are unable to do this due to time constraints for example, please don't leave without telling us. Speak to the DSL or one of our DDSLs. If you are unable to speak with the DSL or DDSL on an urgent matter, any member of staff can and has the right to contact the CRS on **02380 83 2300** (Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5pm and Friday 8.30am to 4.30pm) or **02380 23 3344** (weekends, Bank Holidays and outside of office

- We follow Southampton City Council guidelines with regards to Safeguarding and Child Protection.
- Safeguarding procedures are followed in the interview and appointment of staff.
- All staff and volunteers are subject to enhanced DBS checks.
- All staff and governors are trained with regards to Child Protection and Safeguarding.
- We are a Reasonable Force Only School.

Curriculum: Aspects of Child Protection and Safeguarding are included in the school curriculum to give students the information they need to help them stay safe and make wise choices. This includes work on bullying, cyber-bullying, safe use of the Internet and personal safety.

Policy: For further information regarding the Safeguarding of Children procedures at Weston Secondary School, please refer to our Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy available on our website.