

It is **everyone's responsibility** to ensure that our children stay safe. Each person who works in school, or visits, shares that responsibility.

This leaflet has been given to you to make sure you understand what is expected of you as a visitor. Please do not hesitate to talk to any member of staff if you are unclear about anything you read.

If you have concerns about the safety of any young person in our school, you must report this to the Designated Safeguarding Lead.

For more information about our safeguarding procedures, please look on the safeguarding page of our website - https://www.galmptonprimary.org/safeguarding

### **Contacts**

**Head Teacher** Mrs Katy Burns

Designated Safeguarding Lead Mrs Katy Burns

Deputy Safeguarding Leads
Mrs Kirsty Page
Mrs Jessica Fisher

Governor with Safeguarding
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## Safeguarding Advice for Visitors

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility



On arrival in school you will be asked to sign in and present ID. If you will be working without a member of staff present (for example agency workers) you will be asked to provide a DBS and a letter from your employing organisation to say all the necessary safeguarding checks are in place. Please do not be offended, this is in the interest of protecting our pupils.

You will also be asked to wear a visitor's badge whilst in school.

### In Case of Fire

In the unlikely event of the fire alarm sounding, please evacuate the school and proceed to the assembly point on the playground.

Please exit by the nearest doors as directed by a member of school staff.

## What should I do if I am worried about a child?

If, whilst working with a child, you become concerned for any reason e.g:

- Comment made by a child
- Marks or bruises
- Changes in behavior and demeanour

Please report your concerns to one of the designated leads. The office staff will help you in finding them.

# What should I do if a child discloses he/she is being harmed?

- Record details as soon as possible, recording exact words and phrases used by the child.
   A member of staff. Will record this on our online system CPOMS
- This information must then be given to the safeguarding lead who will discuss the disclosure with you and deal with it in the appropriate way.

# What should I do if the allegation is against a member of staff?

You should report the allegation to the Head Teacher.

### What should I do if the allegation is about the Head Teacher?

Alert the Deputy Safeguarding Lead who will signpost you to the Chair of Governors.

## How do I ensure my behaviour is always appropriate?

Appropriate relationships with children are based on mutual trust and respect.

Please do not photograph children, exchange emails or text messages or give out your own personal details.

Please make sure you only use a mobile phone in the office areas. Use of a phone when children are in the vicinity is prohibited.

### Reporting concerns to Torbay Safeguarding Hub

To do this please call Tel: 01803208100 or out of Hours 0300 456 4876, or alternatively e-mail: MASH@torbay.gov.uk