

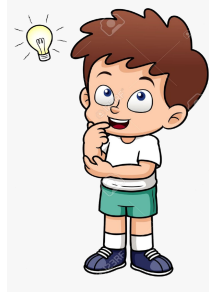


Our Safeguarding Policy



What is safeguarding?

This policy is about safeguarding. This means it tells us how we are going to keep you safe. Keeping you safe and well is very important to us!



What's a policy?

A policy is a guideline which tells you how the school is going to act in certain situations.

Here is what we will do:

- Safeguarding at our school means all staff will:
 - Protect you from harm
 - Help you grow well and be healthy
 - Make sure you are safe
 - Set you up for a great life!
- We will respond immediately to any situation where someone is being harmed or made to feel sad. This might be when the person is being bullied, attacked or touched in a way they don't like.
- We also want to keep you safe when you use the computer. The Internet is a good thing, but it can also be dangerous! We will teach you how to be safe online.



Here is what you can do:

- If there is something that is worrying you or making you unhappy (even if it is something happening at home), you can talk to trusted adults in school about it.
- All the staff at St. Michael's care for you and will always listen! We are well trained and can help you feel better. If we can't help you, we know lots of people who can. That's why it's good to talk.
- If you prefer not to talk to an adult at school, you can call Childline on 0800 1111. They are also good at listening!



We want ALL children to feel safe and be confident.
Let's work together to make St. Michael's a wonderful place to learn
and grow together!

