



'Choose the right path'
Based on Proverbs 22:6

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Safeguarding and Child Protection

At St James C of E Infant School, the health, safety and well-being of all our children is of paramount importance to all the adults who work or volunteer here. All of our children have the right to protection, regardless of age, gender, ethnicity or disability. St James Infant School will regard Child Protection as an essential task of **all** its staff, governors and volunteers.

The aim of our Child Protection Policy is to safeguard and promote our pupil's welfare, safety, health and guidance by fostering an honest, open caring and supportive climate and this is of paramount importance at St James Infant School. St James Infant School recognises that an effective whole school child protection and safeguarding policy is one that provides clear direction to staff and all other adults in school, about expected codes of behaviour in dealing with child protection issues.

Whilst it is the responsibility of **every** adult working in school to safeguard and promote the welfare of children, there are key people at St James Infant School and in the LA who have specific responsibilities.

Mrs Alex Moore is the Designated Person for Safeguarding and Child Protection and Miss Stephanie Sapsed and Mrs Clair Brown are the Deputy Designated Persons for Safeguarding and Child Protection

Mrs Katie Kinrade is the Designated Governor.



Mrs Alex Moore



Miss Stephanie Sapsed



Mrs Clair Brown



Mrs Katie Kinrade

If you have a concern about any child, you can speak in total confidentiality to our Designated Person who can offer advice about your worries.

All staff are fully trained and procedures are detailed and followed in every case where a child may be at risk.

A copy of our full Child Protection Policy is held in the school office and is available on the school website www.st-james-inf.cumbria.sch.uk.

Further information can also be obtained from www.cumbrialscb.com.

St James C of E Infant School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare and well-being of its pupils, engages with young people and staff in Policy and practice developments, proactively encourages feedback and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment"

