

Sutton Bonington Primary School

The designated senior leads for safeguarding and child protection are:



Mr Allen Head Teacher



Mrs Bradley SENCO



Miss Chubb Deputy Head

If you have any concerns regarding child protection and safeguarding please speak to either Mr Allen, Miss Chubb or Mrs Bradley

Nottinghamshire Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH): 0300 500 80 90

Local Authority Designated Officer (allegations against professionals): 0115 8041272

In the unlikely event that all DSLs are unavailable, the DSL at Normanton on Soar Primary School may be contacted for advice (01509 842326)



Sutton Bonington Primary School Child Protection and Safeguarding Flow Chart 'What to do if you are worried a child is being abused, at risk of harm or neglect'



Actions where there are concerns about a child's welfare in or outside of school

• Be alert to signs of abuse, question unusual behaviour or changes to presentation

Where a child or young person discloses abuse, neglect, sexual violence or sexual harassment

- Listen to what they say, keep calm, reassure they are right to tell and you will take action to help keep them safe.
- Inform them you need to share the information and what you are going to do next
- Do not promise confidentiality you will need to share/ report the information to appropriate services
- DO NOT DELAY take any immediate necessary action to protect the child and ensure the DSL is informed – if there are no DSLs available, contact a member of SLT or DSLs at Normanton on Soar Primary School.



Discuss concerns with the Snr Designated/ Named Safeguarding Lead

- The Safeguarding Lead will consider further actions including consultation with Children's Social Care/ MASH (if a new concern)
- Concerns and discussion, decisions and reasons for decision should be recorded in writing and a 'confidential concerns' or 'child protection' file should be opened, stored in line with the school child protection policy
- At all stages the child's circumstances should be kept under review and re-refer if appropriate to ensure the child's circumstances improve the child's best interests must come first.

Still have concerns? Refer to MASH (Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub) Social Care

Have child/ families personal details to hand and be clear about concern/ allegations

Safeguarding concern resolved/no longer held

Support has been agreed, record decisions and any follow up needed

MASH Tel: 0300 500 80 90 Consultation Line Tel: 0115 9774247 (office hours, Monday to Friday)

If the child is at immediate risk dial 101 and ask for assistance Record all decisions and actions, working to agreed outcomes and within timescales. Escalate any emerging threats/concerns by adopting Nottinghamshire Safeguarding Children Board procedures – www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/nscp

Out of hours contact:-

Emergency Duty Team (5.00pm -8.30am) Tel: 0300 456 4546

NSPCC Whistleblowing 0800 028 0285

Unmet needs identified

Decide what actions are needed to support the child

Consult with child/young person, family and relevant agencies:

Agree support, refer to NCC LA guidance 'Pathway to Provision' Version 9.1

Contacts: For any allegations/concerns regarding an adult who works (in either paid/voluntarily employment) with children contact the LA Designated Officer (LADO) Tel:-0115 8041272 or LADO Strategic Lead Tel: 0115 9773921

Cheryl Stollery – LA Safeguarding Children in Education Officer Tel:- 0115 8041047
This flow chart is intended as a brief guide. Please refer to our school Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy