



Welcome

ST IGNATIUS

CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Children's Safeguarding Information

September 2025

Keeping you safe

The most important job for each and every adult in St Ignatius is to keep you safe. All members of staff work to ensure you are safe and are trusted adults, available to help and support you at all times.



What are these? Who would you see wearing them. Why are they worn?



REMBMBER - all adults at St Ignatius should be wearing one of these lanyards.



Tell a member of staff if you see a grown up who is NOT wearing ANY lanyard.

What does Safeguarding mean?

Safeguarding children means keeping children safe and making sure that they are protected from harm and danger.

Every adult in the school wants to keep you safe and is responsible for keeping you safe.

Some of the staff are members of the Safeguarding Team.

This team has special responsibility to make sure that everybody in the school is safe.

Here to listen: our safeguarding team



Designated safeguarding lead (DSL): Mrs O'Neill



Deputy DSL: Hanorah Muphy



Deputy DSL: Theresa Frew.



Deputy DSL: Iwona Barkworth



Deputy DSL: Zoe Palmer



Deputy DSL:
Lauren
Whittington

How do we keep you safe in school ?

- ✓ Teachers and staff look after you.
- ✓ The school is locked during the day.
- ✓ Adults check visitors before they come in.
- ✓ We have rules (like fire drills and safety rules).
- ✓ We listen to you if you have a problem.

What to do if you are worried?

If something is upsetting or worrying you:

Tell a trusted adult (teacher, teaching assistant, lunchtime staff).

Speak to the Safeguarding Lead (Mrs O'Neill)

Talk to your parents or carers at home.

Remember: **No worry is too small to share.**

Staff responsibilities towards you

Teachers and staff must:

- Listen to you.
- Take your worries seriously.
- Make sure school is safe for everyone.
- Protect you from harm.

What can you do?

At St Ignatius we look after each other. We serve one another by being kind, helping others and working hard.

You can keep others safe by doing exactly that - being kind and helping others.



Worry Monster

Every class has a worry monster. If you are worried about something, but don't feel you can speak to an adult, write a note and put it in the Worry Monster.

Your teacher will check this every day.

You do not have to put your name on the note.



