

Safeguarding Information

The Designated Safeguarding Person (or Deputy) * is the first point of contact when there is any safeguarding or child protection concern.

Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children at Ayios Nikolaos is everyone's responsibility. Should you have a concern about the safety or welfare of a child then you must share your concern with the designated safeguarding person. (DSP)



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The specific responsibilities of the DSP are:

- To have sound knowledge of, and to follow, local Command procedures for child protection
- To ensure that all staff report any concerns about children or suspicion of child abuse to the DSP
- To co-ordinate consultation and action within the school
- To make referrals of all cases of suspected child abuse to Children's Social Care
- To liaise with other agencies and co-ordinate the most appropriate school representative to attend Child Protection conferences/reviews/core groups and related meetings
- To monitor the transfer of pupils and their records, maintaining contact with other relevant schools where there is more than one child in the family
- To attend a range of safeguarding related training, eg Level 3 (multi-agency) training; Prevent; early help; child protection case conferences; domestic abuse
- To ensure that all staff have knowledge about Command procedures through school based INSET and the implementation of a school policy which includes an internal procedure. Facilitating regular updates on current safeguarding/child protection issues annually as a minimum
- Be aware of all school Outdoor Educational Visits and Residentials, and clarify with Outdoor Visits Coordinators their role and responsibility in connection with Child Protection