



Children's Safeguarding Board

Our Motto: Safe, Heard, Respected

The Children's Safeguarding Committee plays an important role in helping to ensure that all pupils at Saint Mary's Catholic Primary School are **safe, heard and respected**. The committee meets regularly with Miss Butterfield to discuss safeguarding across the school and to consider ways of further improving safety, wellbeing and voice of every child.

As part of their role, committee members will:

- Meet with Miss Butterfield to discuss safeguarding matters and share the views of pupils.
- Learn about important safeguarding updates and age-appropriate information that helps children stay safe.
- Take part in safeguarding walks around school, identifying areas where pupils feel unsafe or where supervision needs to be improved.
- Help ensure that all areas of the school remain safe, welcoming and appropriately monitored.
- Act as representatives for their peers, providing trusted pupil voice and encouraging children to speak up if they have any worries or concerns.
- Understand the importance of reporting concerns to a trusted adult and know how to seek help when needed.
- Support the school in promoting a positive culture where every child feels safe, valued and loved.

Through their work, the Children's Safeguarding Board helps to ensure safeguarding remains everyone's responsibility and that every child at Saint Mary's is safe, heard and respected.