

All Saints Church of England Primary Federation, Hessle

Child Protection and Safeguarding Designated Governor

Outline of Role

The designated governor shall, in no particular priority order:

- Be the lead person who understands the safeguarding requirements within a school environment
- Undertake all necessary training required to carry out the role
- Support the work of the designated safeguarding lead
- Meet regularly, at least once per half term (half-cycle) with the designated safeguarding lead and any other relevant staff
- Report back to the governing body about their activities in order to inform it and facilitate scrutiny of safeguarding; and to ensure compliance with statutory duties
- Ensure that safeguarding deficiencies are brought to the attention of the governing body
- Ensure that the safeguarding and child protection policy is being followed in practice; and be involved in any policy review
- Report to the governing body so that it can ensure sufficient resources are effectively allocated, and advise where changes might be required
- Ensure that the training programme for staff, governors and other volunteers meets statutory requirements and reflects the particular needs of the school
- Ensure that the governing body is kept aware of the safeguarding risks to young people in the school
- Ensure that pertinent, accurate, updated records of training and DBS checks are kept securely and are readily accessible by authorised persons
- Ensure that there is appropriate monitoring and tracking in place for vulnerable students and that this is accurately and comprehensively recorded
- Ensure that there are appropriate safeguards in place for students placed with Alternative Providers
- Ensure that there is a consistent approach to safeguarding and child protection across the school.
- Ensure that the curriculum embeds safeguarding requirements and reflects the risks to pupils and appropriate mitigation.
- Ensure that safer recruitment processes are in place and complied with

- Ensure that the Single Central Record is compliant
- Carry out an annual safeguarding audit with the designated senior leader, or nominee and report findings to the governing body

Approved by the governing body on (date).....

Signed.....Chair of Governors