



Safeguarding Statement



Frassati Catholic Academy Trust (FCAT) is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The Policy is followed by FCAT and St Teresa's Catholic Academy to safeguard and promote the welfare of our children. Everyone employed by Frassati Catholic Academy Trust has a responsibility to safeguard and promote the welfare of children in their care.

Each school will fulfil their statutory safeguarding responsibilities as referenced in Keeping Children Safe in Education (KCSiE 2020) and the FCAT Safeguarding Policy. Every school will endeavour to provide a safe and welcoming environment where children are respected and valued. All FCAT staff are alert to the signs of abuse and neglect and follow our procedures to ensure that children receive effective support, protection and justice. Should you have concerns about the welfare of a child within your school then please refer this to a member of your school's safeguarding team.

St Teresa's Catholic Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

All staff (including supply staff, volunteers and governors) must ensure that they are aware of the school's child protection policy and procedures. Every member of staff must attend training, to which governors and volunteers will also be invited. Parents and carers are welcome to read our policy which is available on our website or via the school office.

The best interests of the children will always be our priority. As such, there are times in which we will need to record, monitor and share information with other agencies. We will share concerns about our pupils with the child's parents/guardians unless we have reason to believe that such a move would not be in the child's best interests.

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If you are still concerned, further advice is available from NSPCC Whistleblowing: 0800 028 0285