



Safeguarding Policy
Incorporating Child Protection
"Child Friendly" Version

*"Working together
with parents, church and community
to create a distinctive environment
where the unique nature of each child
is respected and fostered"*

We have a safeguarding and child protection policy for staff, parents and governors. This 'child friendly' version is for you. It will help you decide if there is a problem and tell you where to get help and support if you need it.

Here at our school all the adults around you think that your health, safety and welfare are very important. We respect you and want to keep you safe. We will help you make good educational progress and we will teach you to recognise risks in different situations and how to protect yourself and stay safe.

Mrs Henderson and Mrs Day have the special job of always being able to listen to you if you are worried or upset by anything.

But you can talk to your teacher or any adult in school if you prefer.



Staff and Visitors

All staff and visitors to our school have to sign in at the office and wear a badge. This could be an ID badge like staff and governors wear or a sticker with the school name, logo, day of the week and date on that visitors wear.



If you see someone around school who isn't wearing any badge then you must tell a member of staff straight away.



Is someone bullying you? (This means, doing or saying something you don't like, over and over, even though you've asked them to stop)

You must tell your parents/carers, someone at school or someone you trust so that they can help you.



Has someone said something to you or have you heard something that you do not like or upsets you?

You must tell your parents/carers, someone at school or someone you trust so that they can help you.



Has someone hit, punched or smacked you and hurt you in any way?

You must tell your parents/carers, someone at school or someone you trust so they can help you.



Has someone made you feel uncomfortable about how or where they have touched you?

You must tell your parents/carers, someone at school or someone you trust so that they can help you.



Has someone asked you if you want a tablet or to smoke a cigarette, or have a drink of something and you do not know what it is?

You must tell your parents/carers, someone at school or someone you trust so they can help you



Remember these things can happen anywhere; at school, at home, at a friends or family member house, or even when you're out playing.

You must tell someone you can trust so that they can help you



Remember the underwear rule. It will help you stay safe:

Privates are private. Parts of your body covered by underwear are private. No one should ask to see or touch them. Sometimes doctors, nurses or family members might have to, but they should explain why and ask if it's ok first.

Always remember your body belongs to you. It's your body, no one else's. No one should make you do things that make you feel embarrassed or uncomfortable

No means no. You have the right to say 'no' - even to a family member or someone you love. Remember, you're in control of your body and your feelings are important

Talk about secrets that upset you. Secrets shouldn't make you feel upset or worried. If they do, tell an adult you trust. You will never get into trouble for sharing a secret that upsets you

Speak up, someone can help. Talk about stuff that makes you worried or upset. An adult you trust will listen, and be able to help.

E-Safety

Have you received any text messages that have upset or worried you?

Has anyone sent you an unkind message or threatened you?

Have you seen anything on your phone or computer that has upset or worried you?

Has someone from the Internet asked you to do anything that made you feel uncomfortable?

You must tell your parents/carers, someone at school or someone you trust so they can help you.



A useful website for you to look at is:

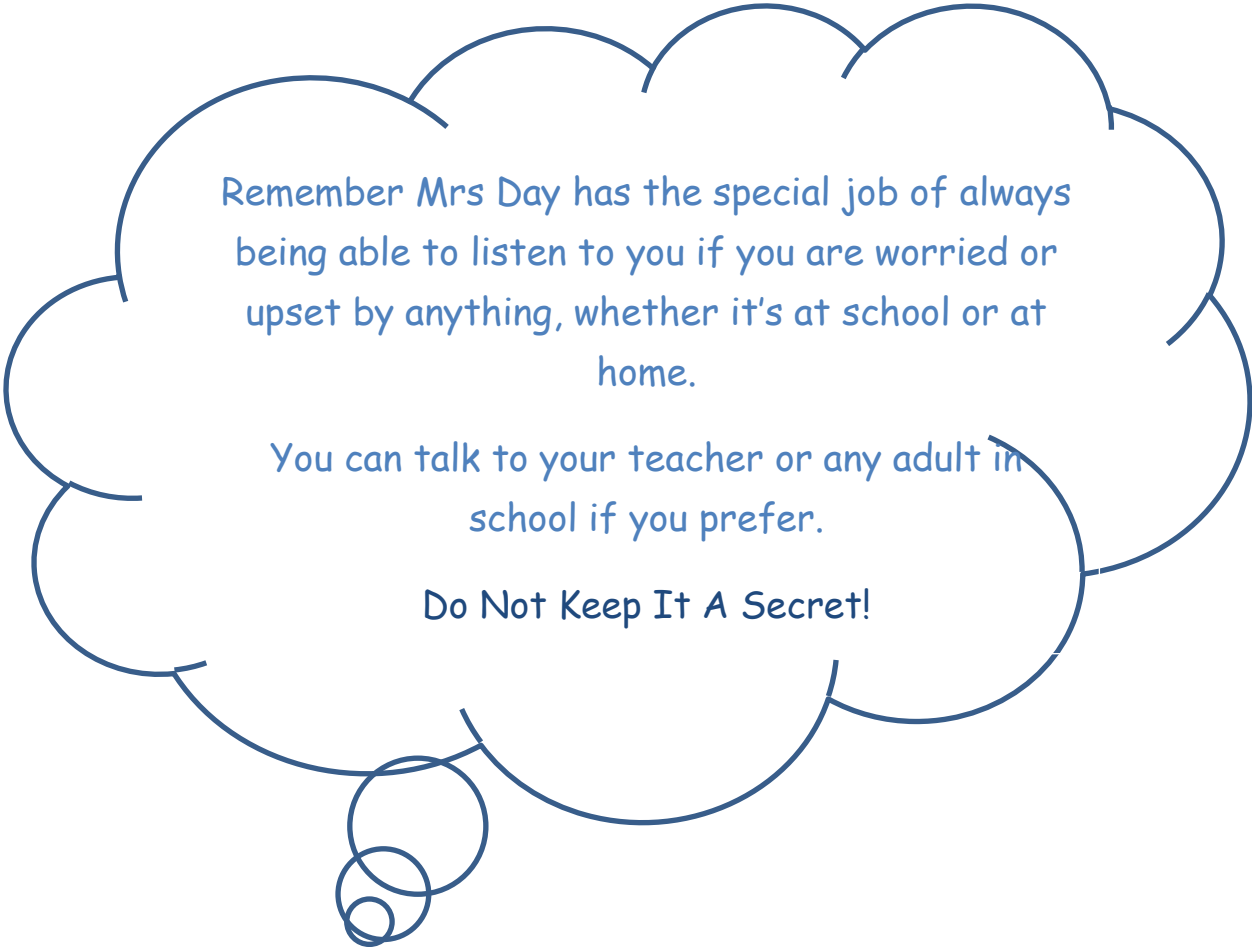
www.thinkuknow.co.uk

Don't forget that you can have a look at
Childline's website too:

www.childline.org.uk

It's full of useful information and guidance.

You can phone them on 0800 11 11



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upset by anything, whether it's at school or at
home.

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school if you prefer.

Do Not Keep It A Secret!