

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility

Please speak to the Designated Safeguarding Lead:
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Acronyms



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As with all areas in education, safeguarding is full of acronyms and abbreviations, I have created this glossary with the aim that it will act as a reference document for the times you come across something that you don't understand or recognise. Hyperlinks will take you to sites relevant to the subject.

CAMHS	Child & Adolescent Mental Health Services	(P)LAC	(Previously) Looked After Child (children who are or have been in care)		enquiries indicate the need, to decide what action, if any, it may need to take to safeguard and promote the child's welfare. If a child is taken into police protection, is the subject of an Emergency Protection order or there are reasonable grounds to suspect that a child is suffering or is likely to suffer significant harm, a Section 47 Enquiry is initiated
CAFCASS	Children and Family Court Advisory and Support Service	PR	Parental Responsibility. Automatically assigned to all birth mothers. Also to fathers named and present at issue of the birth certificate. Fathers not present have to apply to the courts. See link for further info including relating to same-sex couples.		
CEOP	Child Exploitation and Online Protection				
CIOSSCP	Cornwall and Isles Of Scilly Safeguarding Children Partnership				
CP	Child Protection				
CSE	Child Sexual Exploitation				
DBS	Disclosure and Barring Service	SCR	Single Central Record (where key information about an employee is held)	TAC	Team Around a Child (part of Early Help)
DSL	Designated Safeguarding Lead				
DVPN	Domestic Violence Protection Notice (issued by the police)	Section 17	Section of the Children Act 1989 which gives Local Authorities a general duty to safeguard and promote the welfare of children within their area who are in need	TAF	Team Around the Family (part of Early Help)
EHH	Early Help Hub				
FGM	Female Genital Mutilation				
KCSIE	Keeping Children Safe in Education	Section 47	Section of the Children Act 1989 which places a duty on Local Authorities to make enquiries into the circumstances of children considered to be at risk of significant harm and, where these		
LADO	Local Authority Designated Officer				
MARU	Multi-Agency Referral Unit				
NEET	Not in Education, Employment or Training (relating to children missing in education)				