

Stocksbridge Nursery Infant School

Safeguarding Team



The Designated Safeguarding Lead & Headteacher

Name: Mrs Jane Townsend

Her office is located next to the main school office.

Their tel. no 0114 2883109 (School Number)



The Designated Safeguarding Deputy, Assistant Headteacher and our SENCO.

Name: Mrs Alison Priest

Class 8.

Their tel. no 0114 2883109 (School Number)



The Designated Safeguarding Deputy

Name: Ms Carly Redgate

Her office is located on the top corridor.

Their tel. no 0114 2883109 (School Number)

We all have a statutory duty to "safeguard and promote the welfare of children".

If you have any concerns about the health and safety of a child at this education setting or feel that something may be troubling them, *you should share this information with an appropriate member of staff straight away.*

Some issues e.g. a child's appearance, hygiene, general behaviour, can be shared with any teacher or member of support staff in this setting. Do not worry that you may be reporting small matters – we would rather that you tell us things which turn out to be small than miss a worrying situation.

However, if you think the matter is very serious and may be related to a child protection concern, where the child has been harmed or is at risk of harm e.g. physical, sexual, emotional abuse or neglect, you must talk to one of the people below immediately. If you are unable to contact them you can ask the school office staff to find them and ask them to speak to you straight away about a confidential and urgent matter.

Any allegation or disclosure involving someone who works with children in a paid or voluntary capacity must be reported directly to the Head Teacher unless it involves them and then it should be reported directly to the Chair of the Governing Body – **Andrew Dimelow on 07570 467279. Kath Clark is our safeguarding governor – 0114 2883929.**



The Safeguarding Children Team in your setting includes:

Head Teacher: responsible for implementing policies & procedures, allocating resources to the safeguarding team & addressing staff safeguarding concerns.

Name: Jane Townsend

Tel no: 0114 2883109

Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL): a member of the leadership team with appropriate authority, responsible for dealing with safeguarding issues, providing advice and support to other staff, liaising with the local authority, and working with other agencies.

Name: Jane Townsend

Tel no: 0114 2883109

Designated Safeguarding Deputy (DSD): a member of the teaching, support or pastoral staff, in a post which requires assessment of children, with sufficient status & authority to effectively deputise for the DSL role above. Cannot be an administrative or finance worker.

Name: Carly Redgate/Alison Priest

Tel no: 0114 2883109

Special Educational Needs Coordinator (SENCo): staff member who provides advice, liaison & support for school staff and other agencies working with pupils with special education needs and their mothers, fathers or carers.

Name: Alison Priest

Tel no: 0114 2883109

Safeguarding Liaison Officer: addresses difficulties preventing a child from reaching their full potential e.g. behaviour, attendance, achievement, timekeeping, safeguarding issues, and develops strategies to overcome these barriers.

Name: Carly Redgate

Tel no: 0114 2883109

Looked After Children (LAC) Designated Teacher: promotes the educational achievement of 'looked after' children who are on the school roll, helps staff understand issues that affect how they learn and achieve. And ensures appropriate staff have the information they need.

Name: Jane Townsend

Tel no: 0114 2883109

E-Safety Coordinator: develops and maintains an e-safe culture within a setting.

Name: Ruth Heavens/Alan Dobbs

Tel no: 0114 2883109

Your Safeguarding Children Team also links in with the:

Safeguarding/Child Protection Governor: ensures there are appropriate safeguarding children policies and procedures in place, monitors whether they are followed and, together with the rest of the governing body, remedies deficiencies and weaknesses that are identified.

Name: Kath Clark

Tel no: 0114 2883929

Chair of Governors: takes the lead in dealing with allegations of abuse made against the Head Teacher (and other members of staff when the Head Teacher is not available), in liaison with the Local Authority; and on safe recruitment practices with the Head Teacher.

Name: Andrew Dimelow

Tel no: 07570 467279

About Our School: Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of pupils at Stocksbridge Nursery Infant School.

<p>Our School Setting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We have 261 pupils and 44 staff working here. • 3.4% of pupils join (9 in 2016-17) • Our attendance figures last year were: 96.3% • 1.2% were persistently absent i.e. less than 85% 	<p>Pupil Support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 13.7% of school children are eligible for PPG. 8.9% of Nursery children are eligible for PPG. • 13.4% have free school meals • 0.8% looked after children • 0.4% children from service families. • 1 pupils have pastoral support plans • 0 pupils were permanently excluded last year.
<p>Our diversity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The communities our pupils are from are: Mainly white British although children families from other religions and cultures was increasing. • We celebrate the following religions: Christianity. We learn about all Religions through our RE syllabus. • We speak the following languages: English. A minority of children speak additional languages including Chinese, Gujarati, Polish, Russian. • 2.3% of our pupils speak English as an additional language (EAL) • 0% of our pupils are known to have a disability (to our knowledge) • 0.3% of pupils are new arrivals to the country. 	<p>Activities at our school: We help safeguard our pupils by providing the following activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transition from Happy Hands pre and after school clubs • Early Eating Group • SEAL • Extensive PSHE curriculum which includes all aspects of safety. • Nurture provision • 3 • PSHE as a driver for the curriculum. • Worry box • Weekly circle time in class • 1 to 1 individualised support for very vulnerable pupils • Termly provision mapping with SENCO • CPOMS system to record and alert Safeguarding team.
<p>Special Educational Needs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 14.9% of pupils receive SEN support. • 0% of pupils have SEN statement or EHC Plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular safeguarding meetings within the team. • Safeguarding Officer • Ethos of inclusivity of children and families and a commitment to supporting all but especially those most vulnerable.