

## Definition of Safeguarding:

- ❖ Protecting children and young people (under the age of 18) from maltreatment.
- ❖ Preventing impairment of children's health or development.
- ❖ Ensuring that children grow up in circumstances consistent with the provision of safe and effective care.
- ❖ Take action to enable all children to have the best outcomes.

## Types of Abuse:

- **Physical:** May involve hitting, shaking, throwing, poisoning, burning, drowning, or suffocating, causing physical harm to a child. Can also be a fabrication such as deliberately inducing illness in a child.
- **Emotional:** The persistent emotional maltreatment of a child, such as to cause severe or adverse effects on the child's emotional development and wellbeing.
- **Sexual:** Forcing or enticing a child to take part in sexual activities, whether or not the child is aware of what is happening.
- **Neglect:** Persistent failure to meet a child's basic physical or psychological needs, likely to result in the serious impairment of the child's health or development.
- **Female, genital mutilation:** Procedures that involve partial or total removal of the outer female genitalia for non-medical reasons.
- **Radicalisation:** A process by which a person comes to support terrorism or extremist ideologies associated with terrorist groups.

## Welcome to Wroxall Primary School

*Please adhere to the following whilst you are visiting our school:*

- Sign in at our school office and show a form of identification.
- Wear your 'Visitor' badge at all times so that you are clearly identified to school staff and children.
- Never be alone with a child unless an appropriate member of staff has approved your safeguarding checks and given you direct permission to do so.
- Report any concerns immediately to one of our Designated Safeguarding Leads, or if they are unavailable, tell our office staff and they will seek out the relevant person to assist you.
- When leaving the building, you must sign out at the school office and hand in your visitor badge.
- Anyone with a concern about a child can make a direct referral to any of the following:

Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH):

Tel. 0300 300 0117

Local Authority Designated Officer:

Tel. 01983 823723

Email: [lado@iow.gov.uk](mailto:lado@iow.gov.uk)

Or the Police on 101 or 999

### *Designated Safeguarding Leads*

Lynn Torrance  
*Headteacher*



Daisy Buckingham  
*Pre-School  
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Kristine  
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Bradley Price  
*Teacher*

