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Walton and Lees Hill CE Primary School is committed to ensuring all children are safeguarded and that pupil welfare is paramount. We are proud of the comments from our last Ofsted Report: 'The safeguarding and protection of pupils are important to staff. They make sure that all their policies and procedures are in place and that everyone knows them in detail. Leaders work well with other agencies to support pupils and families. Adults make sure that pupils and their families are well looked after and supported. They act quickly if they have concerns.' Dec 2019 Our school has a clear policy on how we safeguard our children. This leaflet explains this and outlines our aims for safeguarding our children.

Our Aims:

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Safeguarding information for

Walton and Lees Hill CE Primary School

- Establish and maintain an ethos where children feel secure and encouraged to talk; being listened to within an open and positive school atmosphere.
- Ensure that children have an identified member of staff in school who they can talk to, with systems in place such if they are worried or are in difficultly.
- Identify needs early and provide Early Help to families and children in order to avoid problems escalating.
- Provide curriculum activities and opportunities for PHSE/ Citizenship, RSE, Kidsafe, E-Safety and Childline which equip children with the skills needed to know how to stay safe from
- Every effort will be made to establish effective working relationships with parents and colleagues from other agencies, such as the police and social care.
- To make any referrals necessary to ensure that the wellbeing of pupils is safeguarded.

- Ensure that all adults within our school who are in regulated/unregulated activity have the requires DBS check.
- All teaching and non-teaching staff are aware of their need to safeguard children and of their responsibilities in identifying and reporting possible cases of abuse, as well as monitoring children known or thought to be at risk of harm.