



# Be Safe, Be Kind

## Safeguarding, Wellbeing and Pastoral Care at John Colet School

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## Be Safe, Be Kind

Ready

Respectful

Responsible

Kind





*We aim to provide an environment in which children and young people feel safe, secure, valued and respected, feeling confident and know how to approach adults if they are in difficulty.*

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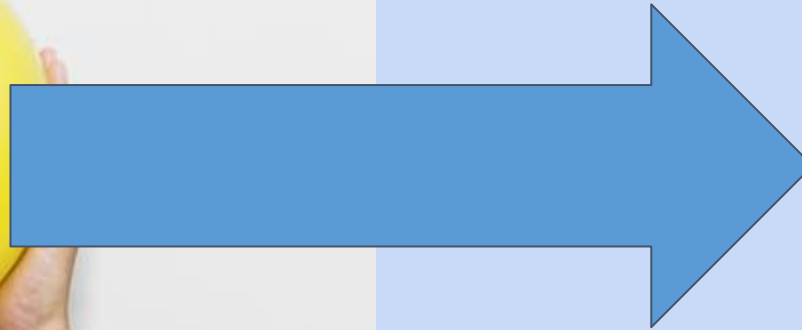
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# Our mission



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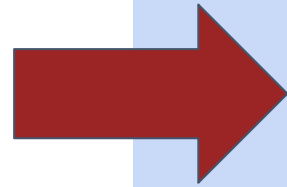
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# What we expect from you



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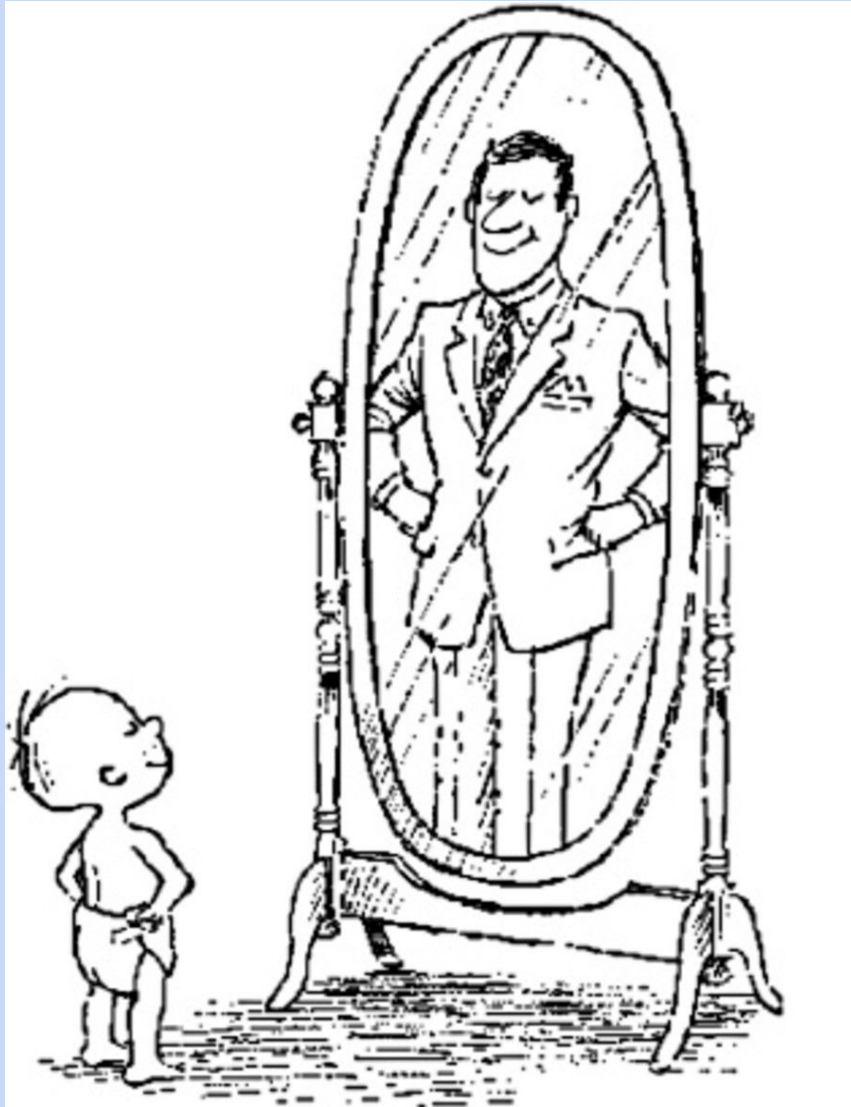
- Always act with kindness and Respect towards all members of the school community
- Be Ready to learn, engage with school, work hard and contribute to our school community, including helping others in need of support
- Be Responsible and stand up for our school values. Report anything that is Unkind or Unsafe
- Never leave out or isolate others

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# How can parents impact these values?



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# How do we keep your child safe in school?



- Security around the site
  - Fencing
  - Lanyard system
  - CCTV monitoring by Student Support Officers (visual only)
  - Trusted Adult (Tracker)
- Registration → closely monitored
- Highly trained Safeguarding and Mental Health Team
- Child Protection Policy which is constantly reviewed in line with Keeping Children Safe In Education
- High standards of behaviour



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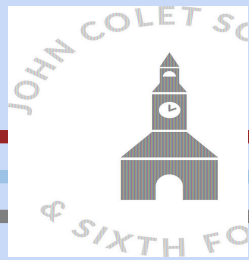


- To ensure staff are regularly trained and aware of how to spot potential safeguarding issues
- Liaise with Children's Social Care and other external agencies
- Use of our Safer Schools Police Officers for educational purposes
- Maintain accurate records and liaise closely with primary schools
- Ensure the required checks have been carried out on staff, contractors and visitors
- Ensure your child knows who they can go to if they have anything they need to speak about or have concerns about a friend.
- Trusted Adult Tracker



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# Safer School Police Officers

- To support the education of safe and responsible behaviours the school works closely with PC Lucy Hobley and PC Janine Daniel
- They come into school each week and will work with children for whom making safe, responsible, kind or legal choices may be challenging
- This is about education and not criminalisation

[Buckinghamshireschools@thamesvalley.police.uk](mailto:Buckinghamshireschools@thamesvalley.police.uk)



**Safer schools partnership**

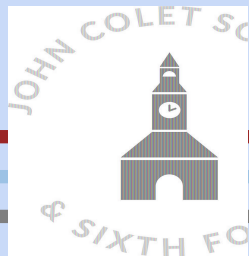


# Some Red Flags of Concern

- Physical injury
- Poor hygiene
- Lack of equipment/preparedness for school
- Changes in behaviour (which seem unusual)
- Attendance concerns
- Risky behaviours
- Lack of parental involvement / support of school



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# How do we teach children to be safe?

Assemblies, Personal Social Health Education, Relationships and Sex Education and Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural provision (Citizenship and Communication)

During these lessons we teach issues such as:

- The Prevent Duty/Radicalisation awareness
- Child Sexual Exploitation
- E-Safety
- Cyber Bullying/Anti Bullying
- FGM
- Healthy Relationships
- Mental Health and Depression
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| Week | Year 7                                          |
|------|-------------------------------------------------|
| 1    | Intro to PSHE                                   |
| 2    | Aspirations                                     |
| 3    | The Importance of Self-Esteem                   |
| 4    | Wants and Needs                                 |
| 5    | Prejudice and Discrimination                    |
| 6    | Keeping Safe Online                             |
| 7    | Maintaining Friendships and Avoiding Toxic Ones |
| 8    | Types of Families and Long-Term Commitments     |
| 9    | Personal Identity                               |
| 10   | Bullying or Banter?                             |
| 11   | Preventing Online Bullying                      |
| 12   | Keeping Safe and Positive Relationships         |
| 13   | Healthy Living Introduction                     |
| 14   | Keeping a Balanced Diet                         |
| 15   | FGM - Female Genital Mutilation                 |
| 16   | Puberty: What happens and what's normal?        |
| 17   | Energy Drinks                                   |
| 18   | Mental Health and Depression                    |

Students will also receive education on the safe use of Artificial Intelligence (AI)



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# The Safeguarding & Mental Health Team



**Leanne Parrott**  
Counsellor

A central banner for the Safeguarding & Mental Health Team. It features the Ofsted 'Good Provider' logo, the John Colet School 'Wendover' crest, and the 'myconcern' logo. Below these are three portraits: Mr Crawford (Deputy Headteacher DSL), Mrs Dallas (\*Operational Safeguarding Lead DDSL), and Miss Shervell (Medical Officer). In the center is a large red heart logo with two hands clasped inside. Below the heart is the text 'Be Safe, Be Kind' and the email address 'safeguarding@johncolet.co.uk'.

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**JOHN COLET SCHOOL**  
WENDOVER

**myconcern**

**Mr Crawford**  
Deputy Headteacher  
**DSL**

**Mrs Dallas**  
\*Operational Safeguarding Lead  
**DDSL**

**Miss Shervell**  
Medical Officer

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Our team relies on the expertise and guidance of external healthcare professionals. Our role is to support, but we wish to signpost the importance of families always using their local GP and other trained professionals.

- Staff referrals
- Parental referrals
- Student/self referrals



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# Agencies for support



Buckinghamshire  
Family Information Service

**CAMHS**  
Child and Adolescent  
Mental Health Service

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# What to do if you have concerns about a child...

Call Buckinghamshire County Council's  
First Response Team 0845 4600 001

If there is immediate risk of harm to a  
child, call the Police on 999



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# Social Media?



see, no  
to gate





*“I’ve learned that people will  
forget what you said,  
forget what you did, but  
people will never  
forget how you made  
them feel.”*

**- MAYA ANGELOU**



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# Do you have any questions?



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