

# Useful Safeguarding Information

## **Online Safety**

The following sites will offer advice on how you can keep your children safe online:

[CEOP's Thinkuknow](#)

[Internet Matters](#)

[Net Aware](#)

[Parentzone](#)

## **Bullying**

There is information on issues related to bullying on the following sites:

[Anti-bullying Alliance](#)

[BullyingUK](#)

## **Mental Health**

The following sites offer advice on issues relating to children's mental health:

[CAMHS](#)

[Young Minds](#)

[Never too young to talk mental health](#)

## **Domestic Abuse**

Young Minds offers help and advice in supporting children who might have witnessed domestic abuse:

[Youngminds](#)

## **Female Genital Mutilation (FGM)**

FGM is illegal and is a form of child abuse in the UK. It is illegal for anyone to perform it in this country or arrange for a child to be transported abroad so that this procedure can happen. Schools have a legal responsibility to report FGM to the police. If you have concerns that a girl is at risk of immediate danger the police are the appropriate agency to call. The NSPCC have a free 24 hour anonymous helpline 0800 028 3550 or email [fgmhelp@nspcc.org.uk](mailto:fgmhelp@nspcc.org.uk)

## **Preventing Radicalisation**

From July 2015 schools have a duty under the counter terrorism and security act to have 'due regard to the need to prevent people being drawn into terrorism. Radicalisation and extremism are viewed as safeguarding concerns. Further information for parents can be found here:

[NSPCC – Protecting Children from Radicalisation](#)

[Educate against Hate](#)

### **Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE)**

This is a form of child sexual abuse that involves children and young people being manipulated and coerced into sexual activity. Technology is often used to ‘groom’ the victim. For further info see the following web site: <https://paceuk.info/>

### **Further useful resources**

The NSPCC has a wide range of resources that help adults keep children safe from abuse and other dangers both online and in the physical world. In addition to the links above, the following information may be useful:

[Share Aware](#) : Help your child stay safe on social networks, apps and games.

[Staying safe Away from home](#): Your guide to when your child is old enough to be out on their own. And how to teach them to stay safe while they are away.

[Home Alone](#): How to decide if it is safe for your child to be home on their own and what you can do if they are too young.

## **Useful Articles**

**Click on the links below for more information on our Safeguarding procedures**

[Keeping children safe in education](#)

[The SET Procedures – description](#)

[PANTS poster guidance](#)

[Underwear rule-a guide for parents](#)

[Cyber bullying leaflet](#)

[Where to report](#)

[Parent factsheet](#)

[Supporting young people online](#)

[Internet safety guidelines – power-point](#)

[Digital parenting](#)