Child Safeguarding at Ballymakenny College

CHILD SAFEGUARDING IS WHAT WE DO IN OUR SCHOOL TO KEEP CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE SAFE FROM HARM.

Who to go to:

✓ **Any trusted adult**

For example, your Year Head or Tutor, a teacher, SNA, the Principal or Deputy.

What we will do:

✓ **Listen and understand**

✓ **Guide or look for help**

We think about how to keep everyone safe and we write down how we will do that.

This is called our Child Safeguarding Statement. We check this every year. When we do this we will ask you what you think about safeguarding in our school. It is important that you feel safe at school and in your life outside of school too.

If someone says or does something to hurt you or makes you feel uncomfortable, you can tell an adult that you trust.

Every school has a person in charge of child safeguarding. This person is called the Designated Liaison Person or DLP. The DLP for our school is Alan Mynes

