



# Child Safeguarding at Hansfield ETSS

## Student Friendly Child Safeguarding Statement

### Everyone has the right to feel safe at school

#### What does safeguarding mean?

Child safeguarding means the things we do to protect students from harm and help everyone feel safe in school.

#### Tell an adult you trust

Tell someone if you are worried about yourself or another student, or if something has hurt, scared or made you feel uncomfortable.

#### You can speak to:

- your Tutor or Year Head
- a teacher, SNA or Student Support Team member
- the Principal, a Deputy Principal or any trusted adult

*You can ask a friend to come with you or write down what you want to say.*

#### What we will do

1. **Listen** and take you seriously.
2. **Make** sure you know what will happen next.
3. **Share** the concern only with adults who need to help.
4. **Take** action to help keep you or another student safe.

#### Remember

You will not be in trouble for asking for help. We cannot promise to keep an unsafe situation secret, but we will treat you with care and respect.

**If the first person cannot help, keep telling until someone does.**

You can tell us about something that happens in school, at home, online or anywhere else. If your worry is about one of us, tell another trusted adult.

#### Our safeguarding leads

Christopher is our DLP. Julie is our DDLP and carries out the DLP role when Christopher is absent.



**Christopher Humphries**  
**Designated Liaison Person (DLP)**  
You can speak to me if you are worried.



**Julie Rogers**  
**Deputy Designated Liaison Person (DDLP)**  
You can speak to me if you are worried.

*The full Child Safeguarding Statement is on the school website and is available from the school office.*

**Need help outside school?** Childline 1800 66 66 66 or [childline.ie](https://www.childline.ie) • Immediate danger 112 or 999