Get Involved

Cookstown High School offers an extended range of extra-curricular activities. Why not try:

Athletics Junior Scripture Union
Badminton Magazine Committee
Bands Music and Drama

Basketball (including the school production)

Boys Football Netball
Chamber Choir Orchestra

Chess Photography Club
Craft Club Piping and Drum Corps

Creative Needlework Public Speaking
Creative Writing Rugby Club
Cross Country Science Club
Concert Band Sea Cadets

Cycling Club School Aid Romania
Debating School Council
Duke of Edinburgh Award Senior Choir

ECO Team Senior Scripture Union

Equestrian STEM Club
Girls Football Table Tennis
History Club Volleyball

Hockey (Boys & Girls)
Homework Club

Further Information about activities on offer is available on our school website.

Join our Homework Club!
Monday & Tuesday
9—9:25am
Library

For further information on any aspect of Pastoral Care please contact your child's Head of Year or Mrs Allen, VP (Pastoral)

Policies Available

- Pastoral Care
- Acceptable Use of Internet
- Anti-Bullying
- Attendance
- Safeguarding & Child Protection
- Critical Incident
- Medication
- Misuse of Substances
- Positive Behaviour
- Relationships and Sexuality
- Road Safety
- Food
- Community Relations Equality & Diversity
- Special Education Needs

How a Parent can make a complaint

- I can talk to the Form Tutor;
- If I am still concerned, I can talk to the Designated Teacher, Mrs C Allen or a Deputy Designated Teacher;
- If I am unhappy with how the matter was dealt with I can speak to the Principal;
- If I am still concerned, I can talk/write to the Chairman of the Board of Governors ^c/_o The Principal
- If I am still unhappy, I should consult the school concerns and complaints procedure which is outlined on the school website.

At any time a parent/guardian can talk to a Gateway Team Social Worker (Tel: 028 9442 4459), Emergency Social Work Service (Tel: 028 9504 9999) or the PSNI (Tel: 101)











PASTORAL CARE

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EXCELLENCE

OPPORTUNITY

SUPPORT

Child Protection The School's Safeguarding Team



Designated Teacher: Mrs C Allen

Deputy Designated Teachers:

Miss G Evans, Mrs J Freeburn, Mr N Graham,

Mr I Matthews, Mrs C Porte

We have a pastoral responsibility towards the children in our care and implement and review annually a Safeguarding & Child Protection Policy to ensure pupils' welfare is safeguarded.

Anti-Bullying

Fortunately bullying in Cookstown High School is rare. If it happens:

- Report the incident!

Who can I speak to?

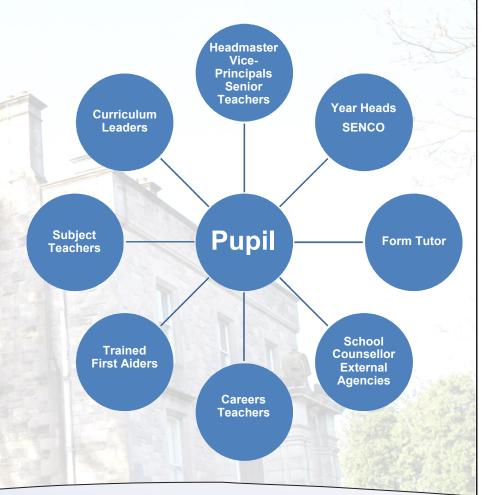
- A Peer Mentor
- A Prefect
- My Form Tutor
- · My Head of Year
- A Vice-Principal
- School Counsellor

Parents can:

- Watch for signs of distress or unusual behaviour in your child;
- Advise your child to report the incident:

Support

is available from a number of key people



Meeting the Needs of the Individual Child

This is of paramount importance and Cookstown High School has designed a system to promote pupils' confidence, to develop positive relationships with other pupils and staff to enhance self-esteem.



ALL REPORTED INCIDENTS OF BULLYING WILL BE RECORDED, DEALT WITH AND MONITORED IN ACCORDANCE WITH NIABF GUIDELINES

Cookstown High School aims to:

- Treat bullying as a serious offence;
- · Address all issues of bullying;
- Create a supportive atmosphere, caring and safe environment where teachers can teach and pupils can learn without fear of being bullied;
- Create opportunities to raise pupils' self esteem.