Learner contacts

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The best action to take to promote good mental health, positive wellbeing, or if you, or someone you know, is at risk (including online) is to

speak to a trusted adult!

Adults in school are here to listen to you:

At St John Fisher, we are here to help you. We will talk to you and make appointments if discussions may take a little longer. You can email too. We will work around your lessons so that you don't lose learning time. We answer emails at times when the school building is open – not out of school hours.

We are in school from a little before 8:30 am.

We close at 5pm.

What if you receive any email or electronic communication that worries you?

What if something else just isn't right and you are worried?

You can email: safeguarding.sjfcc@ctkcc.co.uk

It can be against the law to share explicit images or videos. Just let us know you need to tell us about them.

This email box is checked during school hours.

If you are ever worried that you, or someone you know, is at risk of immediate harm, don't wait for school to open, phone the police: 999

KEY SAFEGUARDING ROLES

AT ST JOHN FISHER CATHOLIC COLLEGE

EVERY STAFF MEMBER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR **SAFEGUARDING.**

OUR DESIGNATED SAFEGUARDING TEAM



Mrs Teague

Assistant Headteacher and Designated Safeguarding Lead

cteague@ctkcc.co.uk



Mrs Vodrey

Safeguarding Support Officer and Deputy Safeguarding Lead

jvodrey@ctkcc.co.uk



Mrs Stanley

Children in Care; Attendance Co-ordinator and Deputy Safeguarding Lead.

estanley@ctkcc.co.uk



Mr Murray

Headteacher and Deputy Safeguarding Lead.

gmurray@ctkcc.co.uk

GOVERNORS WITH SAFEGUARDING RESPONSIBLITIES

Mr Grove

Safeguarding Governor

BGrove.WUL@ctkcc.co.uk

Mrs Oldham

Chair of Governors

moldham@ctkcc.co.uk

IF YOU ARE WORRIED TELL SOMEONE

Mr Murray is the only person in school with whom you should share a concern about an adult working with children.

If the concern is about the Headteacher or to whistle blow, speak to the Chair of Governors, **Mrs Oldham.**

What if I have questions or need advice or help?

Formation Tutors – first point of help every day. They can help resolve any concern, email other staff to help and they are the first point of contact with your parents and carers.

Teachers – first point of help with any questions during the school day. **Go straight to Formation or lessons to speak to staff, especially at times when you feel you need help, for example if you feel unwell!**

	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12+13
Head of Year	Mrs Rundle Deputy: Miss Ellis	Mrs Brabbs	Mr Holleran	Miss Lockett	Mr Price	Ms Hicks Deputy: Mr Myatt
Your **Head of Year** works closely with your Pastoral Leader. Make an appointment to speak to them through your teacher or Formation Tutor. They play a leading role in learner progress, learning, behaviour and wellbeing.						
	Y7 + 8 SLT link: Mrs Teague		Y7, 8 + 9 SLT link: Ms Rogers			Y12+13 SLT link: Mr Murray
Pastoral Leader	Mrs Cartlidge		Miss Schultz	Mrs Kearns	Ms Armstrong	Miss Carroll
Pastoral Leaders are around school at break and lunch times and can answer quick questions. Please make an appointment to speak to them further about issues like learner behaviour, wellbeing and trickier concerns about school, home or the community. **Mr Stevenson** has a special Pastoral Leader role and is around the school building, ready to help, most of the time.						

Email concerns. The inbox is checked during working hours. This is not an emergency service.
safeguarding.sjfcc@ctkcc.co.uk

Safeguarding, Wellbeing and Belonging: **Mrs Vodrey –** an appointment can be made to pop in to discuss matters that may concern you or worry you. **Mrs Teague** works closely with Mrs Vodrey, in the Safeguarding Team. **Mrs Stanley** works with the Safeguarding Team and can also help with any attendance matters. **Mrs O'Brien** works closely with the Safeguarding Team and the Pastoral Team to support wellbeing and belonging as our Senior Mental Health Lead. **Mrs Hodges** works closely with the Pastoral Team. **Mr Thomas, Mr Hawthorne, Ms Rogers** and **Mr Murray** are also around school to help you.

Ask anyone in a blue coat around school, to direct you where best to go for any help.

Online help and advice

click the links

childline

ONLINE, ON THE PHONE, ANYTIME

childline.org.uk | 0800 1111

Healthy relationships, exploitation, grooming, abuse, substance misuse, mental health, online safety .... information, advice and help for all risks for young people.

THE MIX

Essential support for under 25s

You tube offers a variety of mindful moments to choose from. To begin, choose from the link below, from Headspace.

Mindful Moment

Staffordshire health app finder

Free health apps to support your mental health

HEALTH FOR TEENS

Everything could want to know about health and wellbeing.

Stop it now

Information and help to prevent child sexual abuse.

WINSTON'S WISH

Giving hope to grieving children

Dove Service

Services that support with grief.

AMPARO support following suicide

For those affected by suicide. This is NOT a crisis line.

In a crisis

For a person in crisis

NHS 111

Call 111 – 24 hours every day

Samaritans – for everyone

Call 116 123

Suicide prevention

Text for mental health support:
Newcastle and Staffordshire Moorlands and S-o-T
07312 263117

fearless

Part of Crimestoppers

Fearless.org 0800 555 111

Confidential phone line to anonymously report exploitation concerns and get non-judgemental advice about criminality

https://crimestoppers-uk.org/fearless

Direct help click the links

THE CARITAS OFFER – PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Stay Well Children and Young People

Children, young people and their families can contact Stay Well for help, advice and support.:
Call: 01782 418 518
https://staffs.staywellcyp.org/

STAFFORDSHIRE CONNECTS

Outlines all local wellbeing and mental health support for children living in Staffordshire.

Children's mental health support pathway

COMBINED WELLBEING

For adults and children: outlines all wellbeing and mental health support

Crisis contact: Single Point of Access:
Tel: 0800 0 328 728

Free & confidential talking therapy

Call 0300 303 0923

Phone 111 if you're:

- feeling distressed
- in a state of despair
- suicidal
- in need of emotional support

Phone 999 for emergency ambulance

What if there's a difficult moment online?

What is I make a mistake – do something I shouldn't have?
What if I'm worried for a friends or for myself? You are never to blame for harm you experience.

Tell a trusted adult as soon as possible. Always talk to friends, family, trusted adult in school, or a support service about any online concerns or if you need information :

- ChildLine – online + mobile
- ChildLine – sexting and nudes
- ChildLine – grooming
- ChildLine –fake news and misinformation.
- ChildLine – taking control of your online safety.

Take It Down

REPORT REMOVE

THE CYBERSMILE FOUNDATION
Help Center

CEOP
A National Crime Agency command
Child Exploitation and Online Protection command

https://www.ceop.police.uk/Safety-Centre/

Child-on-Child abuse

At St John Fisher Catholic College, we record in all instances of child-on-child abuse.

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We ask all learners to call out behaviour that is unkind or that discriminates.

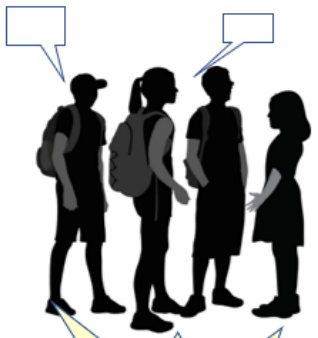
Child on child abuse is never OK!

Talk to us if you see, hear, or experience abuse or know someone who is.
Speak to a trusted adult in school or at home. All staff are trained to recognise and respond to abuse and safeguard learners. This kind of behaviour is never okay; it is never 'banter' or a joke.

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Child on child abuse could include:

- Online abuse or harassment
- Bullying
- Mocking, controlling, threatening, abusive language or behaviour
- Fighting (physical abuse)
- Racist language or behaviour
- Sexist language or behaviour
- Homophobic /transphobic language or behaviour
- Discrimination against disability
- Sexualised language
- Sexualised gestures
- Sexual Violence
- Sexual Harassment (Verbal, Physical, Online)
- Sharing inappropriate images
- Inappropriate comments
- Unwanted touching
- Up-skirting



DON'T dismiss sexual harassment as just banter!

It's NEVER 'just having a laugh'.





The Fisher Way aims to educate and inspire with joy, faith and love because we are an inclusive Catholic community.



SJFCC is working with learners and parents to stop discrimination and unkindness.

We have an ongoing commitment to equality and inclusion for all!

Emergency contacts outside of school

If there is **immediate** risk of serious harm to a person, always call 999.

If you think a child, (including yourself or a friend), is at risk of significant harm, please use the contact details that follow.

For a child with an address in **Staffordshire**:

Staffordshire Families Integrated Front Door (SFIFD)

0300 111 8033 (new number from July 2026)

Monday - Thursday 8:30am – 5pm (4:30pm Friday)
Out of these hours, call:

0345 604 2886

Concerned about a child in Staffordshire?

For a child with an address in **Stoke-on-Trent**:

online portal: childrensportallcs.stoke.gov.uk

S-o-T Integrated Front Door

01782 235100

Monday - Friday 8:30am – 6pm
Out of these hours, call:

01782 234234

Concerned about a child in S-o-T?