

## Mount Pleasant Primary School

### Governing Body – Safeguarding Committee Remit

#### Membership

Minimum of 3 nominated Governors to include:

- Governor with responsibility for Child Protection
- Governor with responsibility for SEN
- Governor with responsibility for Looked After Children
- Governor with responsibility for Pupil Premium
- Other responsibilities – E- Safety and Anti-bullying

Headteacher

Deputy Headteacher (observer)

SENDCO (observer)

By invitation: School Nurse

#### Terms of reference: Equality Plan

- To monitor and remain aware of local and national safeguarding procedures. To ensure that the Governing Body are made aware of these and that the duties, statutory responsibilities placed upon them are carried out /met in full.
  - Training of relevant staff (teachers, admin, support staff)
  - Governor training
- To monitor and review areas of the SDP and SEF with reference to promoting the well-being and overall safeguarding of every child.
  - To review progress made against each area and to inform planning for subsequent SDPs and SEFs
- To ensure that the assessment programme, including statutory tests and examinations, are implemented effectively in order to support all children under the 'Special Arrangements' agenda and that this is done fairly for all children involved.
- To ensure that pupil progress and attainment are monitored closely, including identified groups of learners, in order that pupils not making at least 'satisfactory' progress, and those 'falling behind' are clearly identified.
  - To ensure that when identified, those children are given adequate support in order to continue to make progress.
- If required to report to the Governing Body Finance Committee with regard to ensuring that financial resources are made available in order to meet the needs of all learners, including those children with Health, Disability or are on the Looked After Register (LAC)
- To ensure that at least one member of this committee is present on all recruitment interviews and that they hold a current 'Safer Recruitment' certificate.
- On behalf of the Full Governing Body, to consider all matters of Safeguarding and Child Protection including E-Safety, Anti-bullying and PREVENT.

#### Method of Working

- There will be termly meetings, additional meetings may be arranged when necessary.
- All meetings will be formally minuted.
- All minutes will be forwarded to the Full Governing Body.
- The remit of the committee will be reviewed annually.
- A report will be regularly presented to the Finance and General Policy Committee.

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