Keeping Happy and Safe

Article 17-Access to Information

How do we keep you safe in school?







How can you stay safe at school?

- Follow the school rules
- Speak to a friend
- Speak to an adult you trust in school
- Speak to a trusted adult at home
- ► Use the 'Talk it Out' box

Who else knows about keeping you safe?



▶ Bullying is when children are mean and unkind to each other, not just once but again and again. They might push a child around, leave them out, or send nasty texts or emails. This can hurt on the inside or on the outside, and often both.



Neglect is when a parent or carer does not look after a child properly. They might not give them enough food and drink, or the right kind of clothing. It can also be when a child is left on their own for too long



Physical abuse is when an adult deliberately hurts a child's body. They might hit, kick, punch, bite or shake them. This may leave marks on the body such as cuts and bruises.



Emotional abuse is when an adult hurts a child's feelings. They might call them names, make fun of them or make a child feel bad about themselves. This hurts children on the inside. Seeing or hearing parents or carers hurting each other can also make a child feel bad.



Know the underwear rule. The underwear rule is a simple way to understand how you can stay safe. By learning five easy sayings you can help yourself and others, perhaps a younger brother or sister stay safe.



ALWAYS REMEMBER YOUR BODY BELONGS TO YOU

NO MEANS NO

ALK ABOUT SECRETS
THAT UPSET YOU

S PEAK UP, SOMEONE CAN HELP

What can you do when you are made to feel uncomfortable?

- Tell them to stop
- Tell them you don't like it
- Tell a trusted adult

What can you do when you are made to feel uncomfortable?

- ChildLine
- Children and young people can contact ChildLine 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- •It's free and confidential.
- •Remember the number:
- **0800 1111**
- •Remember the site:
- www.childline.org.uk

