

Lyminster Primary School

Statement of procedures for Dealing with Allegations of Abuse

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Statement of Procedures for Dealing with Allegations of Abuse against Staff

Safeguarding children, as well as staff and volunteers, is our highest priority. The procedure we follow in school when an allegation is made against a member of staff or volunteer is laid out in our Child Protection & Safeguarding Policy, which can be found here:

Sussex CP Procedures (lyminster.w-sussex.sch.uk)

These procedures and the policy as a whole follow the statutory guidelines laid out in 'Keeping Children Safe in Education', which can be found here:

Keeping children safe in education 2023 (lyminster.w-sussex.sch.uk)

The procedures followed within multi-agency working at a county-wide level, in line with the legislation 'Working Together to Safeguard Children', can be found here:

18.1 Allegations against people who work with, care for or volunteer with children | Sussex Child Protection and Safeguarding Procedures Manual