



## Keeping Safe at Buxton Infant School



At Buxton Infant school, all the adults who work with you want you to feel safe and happy both at school and at home.

We want you to know that a school adult will always help you if you are worried about anything.

We want to make sure that you can do your best with your work and that you can grow up to be happy and successful.

We will teach you about how you can spot risky situations and ways in which you can help keep yourself safe.

### **How will we do this?**

- In assemblies you will learn about looking after each other and how to be kind and gentle and keep our Golden Rules.
- In lessons you will learn about:
  - what bullying is and how we can make sure that we make it stop if someone is being bullied.
  - what it is safe for children to see on computers, tablets or phones
  - what you need to know about taking medicines safely and how cigarettes and alcohol can hurt you.
  - that your body belongs to you and which body parts are private.
  - that you have a right to be looked after and cared for.

### **What else do you need to know?**

- If you are worried about anything that is happening at school or at home, you can talk to any school adult. This might be your teacher, a teaching assistant or dinner lady. It is never your fault if a grown up is hurting or upsetting you on purpose.
- Some people at our school have special job of making sure that everyone feels safe- you can ask to talk to Mrs Riley or Miss Travers Muir if you would like to.
- If you friend tells you that they are sad at school or at home, then it's best to ask a school adult for help. Don't try to sort it out yourself.



**What kinds of things should you talk about?**

**ALWAYS TELL A SCHOOL ADULT IF :**

- **Someone is hurting you.**
- **Someone is saying unkind things to you**
- **Someone is touching you in places that are private**
- **You see things that upset or scare you on the computer, phone or tablet.**
- **Someone says something to you that worries or scares you**
- **Someone gives you things like sweets or other presents to try to get you to do things that you don't want to.**
- **You don't have enough to eat or are cold or can't sleep at night**
- **You are left on your own**