

## **Addendum 2 - Reopening of School on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020**

Staff working with children returning to school from June 1<sup>st</sup> need to be aware there may be new safeguarding concerns identified.

Staff are reminded of the need to report any concern immediately and without delay following the school's policies and procedures. This includes any new concerns when more children return.

Where staff have a concern about a child, they should continue to follow the process outlined in the St Michael's Community Academy Safeguarding Policy.

Staff to discuss any safeguarding concerns with the Designated Safeguarding Lead.

All existing St Michael's Community Academy staff have had safeguarding training and have read part 1 of Keeping Children Safe in Education (2019). The Designated Safeguarding Lead should communicate with staff any new local arrangements, so they know what to do if they are worried about a child. This will include contact numbers and emails for DSL's/DDSLs' if not on site. All staff have been given the contact number of the Designated Safeguarding Lead. This number should be used until further notice.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead will update staff on any new safeguarding concerns as they arise. Information sharing is on a need to know basis; and reflects the current school structure from 1<sup>st</sup> June.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead may identify children that need extra emotional support. This information will be shared with parents and staff as appropriate.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead will continue to notify social workers and the local authority where children with a social worker do not attend school. A phone call will be made to any parent or carer whose child has been expected to attend and doesn't.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead will continue working with families remotely to ensure that any changes in a child's welfare, health or well-being are noted, and shared with staff as appropriate.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead will continue to keep up to date with safeguarding developments, via remote training. Advice and support will be taken through local safeguarding partners.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead will speak to external agencies regularly; and will continue to work closely with social workers and other relevant safeguarding and welfare partners.

Online - Further support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online:

- [Thinkuknow](#) provides advice from the National Crime Agency (NCA) on staying safe online
- [Parent info](#) is a collaboration between Parentzone and the NCA providing support and guidance for parents from leading experts and organisations
- [Childnet](#) offers a toolkit to support parents and carers of children of any age to start discussions about their online life, to set boundaries around online behaviour and technology use, and to find out where to get more help and support
- [Internet Matters](#) provides age-specific online safety checklists, guides on how to set parental controls on a range of devices, and a host of practical tips to help children get the most out of their digital world
- [London Grid for Learning](#) has support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online, including tips to keep primary aged children safe online
- [Net-aware](#) has support for parents and carers from the NSPCC and O2, including a guide to social networks, apps and games
- [Let's Talk About It](#) has advice for parents and carers to keep children safe from online radicalisation
- [UK Safer Internet Centre](#) has tips, advice, guides and other resources to help keep children safe online, including parental controls offered by home internet providers and safety tools on social networks and other online services