



## **Safeguarding Committee Terms of Reference 2023- 24**

**Membership: Lisa Chilton, Patsy Harvey, Angela Holliday, Lucy Brannon and Rachel Routledge.**

**Chair: L. Chilton**

**Clerk R. Routledge**

The Safeguarding Committee will be responsible for:

- Review and Monitor the Safeguarding Policy annually
- Monitor and implement Safeguarding Action Plan
- Review policies linked to the Safeguarding Policy
- Develop an ethos, culture and environment of safeguarding throughout the school
- Ensure that the designated Person and Nominated Governor are trained in line with LA, Cumbria LSCB and Ofsted requirements
- Ensure staff and governors are appropriately trained
- Adhere to the allegations process in line with Chapter 7 of the LSCB procedures
- People are recruited under the CWDC requirements with at least 1 member of the interview panel trained in Safer Recruitment practice
- Safeguarding to be a standard agenda item on the Governing Body Meetings
- Appraise the Governing Body of its responsibilities regarding policy, procedures, monitoring, compliance and reporting as set out in DCSF guidance in line with Cumbria LSCB
- Share and promote safeguarding awareness with parents and the school community via leaflets, letters, web site
- Listen and reflect the voice of the child
- Deal with complaints in line with the school's Complaints policy

*LSCB – Local Safeguarding Children Board*

*CWDC - Children's workforce Development Council*