

Statement of Intent

The leadership of Latchford St James CE Primary School are fully committed to the development of a positive health and safety culture throughout our school. We aim to adopt a pro-active and proportionate approach in order to minimise risks where possible. People are our number one asset and we must do all we can to protect and safeguard their health, safety and welfare at work or school.

Health and Safety Objectives for 2021-22

The Health & Safety goal for this year is to enhance the visibility of health, safety and well-being throughout school by promoting a positive health and safety culture.

The goal will be achieved through the following objectives:

- 1. Improving the leadership and ownership of health, safety & well-being across the school, at all levels;
- 2. To ensure that the Critical Incidents response in school works effectively in all departments;
- 3. To ensure that the Lockdown Procedure works effectively in all departments.

The head teacher is ultimately responsible for health and safety across our school, with some operational management being delegated to others. Staff are expected and encouraged to work collaboratively towards achieving our health & safety goals, and to act responsibly with consideration to health and safety at all times.

Agreed May 2021
Signed, head teacher
Signed, chair of Governors