



Basildon CE Primary School  
Headteacher: Melissa Cliffe

**Respect, Resilience, Excellence**

### **Safeguarding Statement**

At Basildon Primary School, we are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all the pupils in our care. The safety of all our pupils is taken very seriously and is our main priority.

We believe that all children have the right to be safe, healthy, happy and to learn, and that we **all** have the responsibility to make this happen.

Therefore, all staff, governors and volunteers will ensure that:

- All children whatever their age, culture, disability, gender, language, ethnicity, religious beliefs and sexual identity have the right to be protected from harm.
- All indications and allegations of abuse or neglect will be taken seriously and responded to swiftly and appropriately.
- We will protect children from extremist and violent views and provide a safe place for pupils to discuss these issues so that they better understand how to protect themselves.

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## Safeguarding Strategic Team



Designated  
Safeguarding Lead  
**Melissa Cliffe**  
Headteacher



Safeguarding  
Governor  
**Barbara Hunter**  
Chair of Governors



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Support Governor  
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Vice Chair of  
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Deputy Designated  
Safeguarding Lead  
**Pam Slingsby**  
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Manager



Deputy Designated  
Safeguarding Lead  
**Claire Ward**  
SENCo



Out of Hours  
Safeguarding Lead  
**Sukhleen Dillon**  
BE Playleader