



## Central Team Safeguarding Statement

The Central Team staff work both remotely from schools as well as spending time in the Trust schools. All members of the Central Team receive updated safeguarding training at least once a year, joining school staff at one of the schools, and record their annual reading of Keeping Children Safe in Education document, as do school-based staff, including Prevent training. At least one safe recruitment-trained Central Team staff sit on appointment panels to the team.

Central Team staff are recruited following the same procedures for school-based staff and their details are recorded on the SCRs in each school.

The Trust Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy is followed by Central Team staff, relevant to each school, and concerns are reported to the DSL, Headteacher or CEO, as set out in the policy in each school.

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