



## Ivingswood Academy Safeguarding Statement

We are committed to keeping our children safe by providing a safe environment for children to learn and play and by identifying children who are, or may be, suffering harm, the school will endeavour to ensure they are kept safe both at school and at home.

To achieve this, we have systems in place which are designed to:

- Create and maintain a safe learning environment.
- Identify child welfare concerns and take appropriate action.
- Use the curriculum to enable our children to develop keep safe strategies.
- Operate safer recruitment and selection procedures, along with undertaking appropriate checks, for anyone working with our children.

**All visitors to the school share the responsibility of keeping children safe whilst on our premises and will be required to work within the guidelines of our safeguarding procedures.**

**If at any time you have concerns about the welfare of a child, please contact one of the following before leaving the site:**

**Mrs Swaysland, Headteacher and Designated Safeguarding Lead**  
**Mrs Newington Inclusion Manager and Designated Safeguarding Lead**  
**Ms Batten, Assistant Headteacher and Additional Designated Safeguarding Lead**