

Safeguarding & Welfare



**THE BAIRD
PRIMARY
ACADEMY**

TERM 4—March 2024

Safeguarding over The Easter Break

Please be aware that Mrs Welch and Mrs Jarvis will not be contactable on their mobile phones between the 28th March and the 15th April. The safeguarding email will be monitored over the course of the Easter break. Please use this if you want to report or raise a concern safeguarding@thebairdprimaryacademy.org.uk

If you have an immediate concern regarding the safety of a child then please dial 999, contact The Single Point of Access on 01323 464222 or call NSPCC 0800 800 5000

Supporting Children with SEND Advice for parents and carers

While every child and young person's experience of the online world is unique to them, based on our research, there are some online risks that children with SEND may be more likely to experience.

In the guides, you'll find practical tips on how to approach conversations about these potential risks to stop them from turning into harm. There are also links to other expert resources that can help and tools that are available to create a safer digital space for children to explore and interact.

[Supporting children and young with SEND online | Internet Matters](#)

Your How to guide to Snapchat

We have had a number of concerns raised this term regarding pupils being part of Snapchat groups and receiving inappropriate images, content and language within the chat.

Guide attached to this newsletter

Reminder to parents of age restrictions on Social Media

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Twitter
Facebook
Instagram
Snapchat

Youtube (with parent/carer consent)

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Whatsapp

Safety For Pupils and Parents

Can we please remind all parents and carers that they should not be parking/dropping off on the Yellow ZigZag lines outside of the Academy. Please also avoid blocking any of our neighbours drives.

Adults and children should dismount from their bikes and scooters at the Academy gate and walk on site.

Electric Scooters are not permitted on the Academy site.

Pupils should not be playing football on the playground at the start of the day due to incidents of parents and children being hit by the ball.

Spare Uniform

Any donations of clean and good condition uniform will be greatly appreciated. Also any underwear, tights and socks.

Please leave with Mrs Campbell at the academy office.

Contact Information

Please ensure that the office has correct and up to date contact information for you and any others on your child's contact list. All communication to parents is via ParentPay and therefore it is imperative that we have the correct information.