

# Cherry Tree Primary School and Nursery



## Safeguarding Newsletter

(This newsletter is also available on our website – [www.cherrytree-pri.essex.sch.uk](http://www.cherrytree-pri.essex.sch.uk))

Autumn Term 2019

### Useful Telephone Numbers

**NSPCC Childline** 0800 1111

**Changing Pathways** (formerly Basildon Women's Aid) 01268 729707

**EWMHS** 0300 300 1600 9am-5pm Monday - Friday

**Children and Families Hub**  
0345 603 7627

**Step Change Debt Charity**  
0800 138 1111

**Samaritans 116123** ( call for free)

**Citizens Advice Bureau – Basildon** 0300 4562595 (from Mobiles) 08444770808 (from Landlines)

**Think safe ... be safe.**

**If you have any concerns about a child in our school please do not hesitate to contact one of the school's Designated Leaders.**

### **Our Safeguarding Team:**

Mrs. Milsom (Pastoral Leader)

Mrs. Cory (AHT – Inclusion Leader)

Mr. Patten (AHT – Key Stage 1)

Mrs. Tiffin (AHT – Early Years)

Mrs. Barrand (Headteacher)

Miss Barlow (Deputy Headteacher)

Governor: Mrs. Walsh (Chair of Governors)

**If you are concerned that a child or young person is being harmed, neglected or is at risk you should contact Essex Social Care on 0345 603 7627. Out of hours: (5.30pm - 9.00am Monday - Thursday, 4.30pm-9.00am - Friday and Bank holidays) Telephone: 0345 606 1212 or [email](#). In an emergency call the Police on 999.**

**E Safety training.** Parents' Workshops are due to be delivered on Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> October 6pm-8pm to further support learning for families on this topic. All adults are encouraged to attend this informative, up to date workshop to develop a greater understanding of the risks posed to children and young people online.



## Domestic Abuse



***Around 1 in 5 children have been exposed to domestic abuse.***

All children witnessing domestic violence are experiencing emotional abuse.

Children will react in different ways to being brought up in a home where there is violence, and things such as age, gender, culture and personality will all play a part on how they are affected.

To make a disclosure of domestic violence either for yourself or someone else contact Essex Police's Domestic Abuse Central Referral Unit – telephone 101 extension 180340. Or Essex Police's domestic abuse non-emergency number 0800 358 0351



The internet is an amazing place. Kids can play, learn, create and connect – the possibilities are endless. But there are also risks. That's why we're here to help you, as parents, make it easy for your kids to confidently explore this world safely, and navigate away from any dangers.

Bringing together O2's tech know-how and the NSPCC's expertise in protecting children, we've got everything you need to help you keep your kids safe online, whether you're an online expert or you're not sure where to start.

We provide free, practical info from our Gurus in store or over the phone, interactive parent workshops, as well as Net Aware, your guide to the latest social networks, apps and games your kids use. We are providing support to help parents and their kids have regular conversations to help them stay safe online.

<https://www.o2.co.uk/help/nsppc>

**E Safety training-** workshops about online safety took place with the children in school in KS1 and KS2 on Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> September. The children were well engaged and actively took part in the sessions that were delivered in school to support a greater understanding of online safety.



## Children Affected by Parental Imprisonment Essex CAPI Service

Please remember you can speak to Mrs Milsom (Pastoral Leader) or Miss Claeys if you or your child are affected by any issues around parental imprisonment.