



## Allegations of Abuse Against Staff Policy

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St. Ambrose R C Primary School understands that an allegation may be made against a member of staff.

If such an allegation is made, the member of staff receiving the allegation will immediately inform the Head teacher. The Head teacher should then inform the Chair of Governors.

The Head teacher on **all** such occasions will discuss the content of the allegation with the LA's Senior Adviser for Safeguarding Children in Education within 1 working day.

If the allegation made to a member of staff concerns the Head teacher, the designated teacher will immediately inform the Chair of Governors who will consult with the LA's Senior Adviser for Safeguarding Children in Education.

The school will follow the LA procedures for managing allegations against staff, a copy of which will be readily available in the school.

Reference should be made to part 4 "Keeping Children Safe in Education" July 2015

All members of staff and other regular "helpers" within the school will be asked to read this policy and sign to indicate their understanding and acceptance of the procedures indicated.

This policy will be reviewed on an annual basis, in conjunction with other Child Protection policies.

**Relevant documentation:**

"Keeping Children Safe in Education" July 2015