

THIS IS THE HEALTH AND SAFETY STATEMENT OF

SANDRINGHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL

Our statement of intent is:

- Implement the requirements of Exceed Learning Partnership Health and Safety Policy;
- to make adequate arrangements for the health, safety and welfare of staff and pupils;
- to provide adequate control of health and safety risks arising from our work activities;
- to consult with our employees on matters affecting their health and safety;
- co-operate with Exceed Learning Partnership and NYCC in matters related to health and safety;
- to provide and maintain safe plant and equipment;
- to ensure safe handling and use of substances;
- to provide information, instruction, and supervision for employees;
- to ensure all employees are competent to do their tasks, and to give them adequate training;
- to prevent accidents and cases of work-related ill health;
- to maintain safe and healthy working conditions; and
- to review and revise this policy as necessary at regular intervals.

| Signed: | C M Metcalfe | Principal |
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| Signed: | M Blount | Chair of Governors |

Date: September 2023

Review date: September 2024 - to be reviewed annually with ELP's H&S Policy

HEALTH AND SAFETY POLICY

RESPONSIBILITIES

Overall responsibility for health and safety within the establishment is that of:

Principal: Mr C Metcalfe

Chair of Local Governing Body: Maggie Blount

To ensure health and safety standards are maintained/improved, the following people have responsibility in the following areas:

Senior Business Manager:

- Be accountable for all premises issues relating to the site including resources and Health and Safety, ensuring that inventories are maintained
- Be accountable for the maintenance of the academy grounds ensuring the safety of the pupils and optimising the costs
- Ensure the academy meets all compliance requirements e.g. COSHH/Manual Handling/Fire Safety and Health and Safety

Site Manager:

- To uphold the Trust and schools Health and Safety requirements, particularly with regard to agreed codes of practice and safe methods of working
- To carry out daily/weekly checks to ensure that the school buildings are meeting the required standards and review any risk to safety
- To liaise with the Business Manager on Fire safety procedures
- To liaise with the Principal and Business Manager in order to ensure fire risk assessments on the buildings are carried out
- Cooperate with the school to ensure that Health and Safety responsibilities are carried out
- Perform duties in line with health and Safety and COSHH regulations and take action where hazards are identified

Name: Anita Fell Responsibility: Health & Safety Governor

All employees have to:

- co-operate with supervisors and managers on health and safety matters;
- not interfere with anything provided to safeguard their health and safety;
- take reasonable care of their own health and safety and of others; and
- report all health and safety concerns to an appropriate person (as detailed in this policy statement).

HEALTH AND SAFETY RISKS ARISING FROM OUR WORK ACTIVITIES

Risk assessments will be undertaken by:

Senior Business Manager Staff member undertaking activity

The findings of the risk assessments will be reported to:

All staff

Action required to remove/control risks will be approved by:

Senior Business Manager Principal Staff member undertaking activity

The person responsible for ensuring the action required is implemented is

Senior Business Manager Staff member undertaking activity

Checks that the implemented actions have removed/reduced the risks will be carried out by:

Senior Business Manager Staff member undertaking activity

Assessments will be reviewed:

In the event of an accident, annually or when the work activity changes, whichever is soonest.

CONSULTATION WITH EMPLOYEES

Employee Representative(s) are:

N/A

Consultation with employees is provided by:

Staff briefing and noticeboard

Training Days

Email

SAFE PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Identifying equipment/plant, which will need maintenance is the responsibility of:

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering

Ensuring effective maintenance procedures are drawn up is the responsibility of:

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering

The person responsible for ensuring that all identified maintenance is implemented is:

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering

Problems with plant/equipment should be reported to:

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering

Checking plant and equipment health and safety standards before purchase is the responsibility of: Senior Business Manager

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering

SAFE HANDLING AND USE OF SUBSTANCES

Identifying substances which need a COSHH assessment is the responsibility of:

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering Willow Land Management

The person(s) responsible for undertaking COSHH assessments is/are:

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering Willow Land Management

Ensuring that all actions identified in the assessments are implemented is the responsibility of:

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering Willow Land Management

The person responsible for ensuring that relevant employees are informed about COSHH assessments is:

Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering Willow Land Management

Checking that substances can be used safely before they are purchased is the responsibility of: Senior Business Manager Site Manager Technical Services Metroclean Doncaster Schools Catering Willow Land Management

Assessments will be reviewed:

In the event of an accident, annually or when the work activity changes, whichever is soonest.

INFORMATION, INSTRUCTION AND SUPERVISION

The Health and Safety Law poster is displayed at:

KS2 admin office, photocopier area, KS1 photocopier area, Early Years kitchen area The Hut Main kitchen

Health and safety advice is available from your HandS Safety Risk Adviser:

Dale Barton M:07788 564533 T: 01609 532545 E: dale.barton@northyorks.gov.uk

Exceed Learning Partnership Head of Estates – Clair Long M: 07512 308326 T: 01709 805175 E: c.long@exceedlp.org.uk

Supervision of young workers and trainees will be arranged/ undertaken/monitored by:

Line Manager Senior Business Manager Designated Safeguarding Lead

Ensuring that our employees working at locations under the control of other employers, are given relevant health and safety information is the responsibility of:

Line Manager Senior Business Manager Designated Safeguarding Lead

COMPETENCY FOR TASKS AND TRAINING

Induction training will be provided for all employees by:

Line Manager Senior Business Manager Designated Safeguarding Lead Local SLT induction

Job specific training will be provided by:

NYCC training dept. Line Manager Senior Business Manager Designated Safeguarding Lead Trust LA Technical Services

Health and Safety Training Requirements:

Asbestos/Legionella training

First Aid training

Fire Awareness / Fire Warden training

Working at Height / Safe Ladder use

Manual handling

Educational Visit Training

Training records are kept:

In Health & Safety Training log on Sharepoint National College

Training will be identified, arranged and monitored by:

Senior Business Manager, Line Manager, Designated Safeguarding Lead, ELP Trust

ACCIDENTS, INCIDENTS, FIRST AID AND WORK-RELATED ILL HEALTH

Locations of First Aid Boxes:

EYFS, KS2 office, KS1 office, Staff room, KS1 Library All Midday Supervisors carry a small kit

The first aiders are:

List of trained first aiders, including paediatric first aid in Sharepoint and circulated to all staff

All accidents and cases of work-related ill health are to be recorded in the accident book. The book is kept:

KS1 office/ KS2 office/Midday Supervisors ARF1 Accident report forms in the Senior Business Manager's office

The person responsible for reporting accidents, diseases and dangerous occurrences to the NYCC CYPS Health and Safety section is:

Senior Business Manager Admin team (infectious diseases)

MONITORING

To check our working conditions, and ensure our safe working practices are being followed, we will undertake:

Legionella testing Asbestos inspection Termly Visual H & S inspection Establishment NYCC HandS Service Inspection PAT testing Fixed appliance electrical testing Extraction fans maintenance Property Services Condition Survey Prioritised programme of risk assessment Boiler room annual inspection Gulley and Gutters checked and cleaned Pest control Sports and Gym equipment maintenance

The person responsible for investigating accidents is:

Senior Leadership Team

The person responsible for investigating work-related causes of sickness absences is:

Occupational Health Senior Business Manager, Principal

The person responsible for acting on investigation findings to prevent a recurrence is:

Occupational Health Senior Business Manager, Principal

ASBESTOS RISK MANAGEMENT

The Responsible Officer for asbestos management is:

Principal

The Asbestos Risk Management file is kept in:

Admin Office

Site plans showing the location of asbestos containing materials (ACM's) are kept in:

Admin Office

Ensuring that contractors are made aware of the location of ACM's and that they sign the relevant permit to work is the responsibility of:

Site Manager Office staff Senior Business Manager

Asbestos risk assessments will be undertaken by:

ELP Contractor Technical Services

Visual inspections of the condition of ACM's will be undertaken by:

Site Manager

Records of the above inspections will be kept in:

Admin Office, Business Manager's Office

LEGIONELLOSIS MINIMISATION

The two 'Nominated Persons' for Water Management at the premises are:

Principal Site Manager Senior Business Manager

Risk assessments detailing on-site tasks for the minimisation of *Legionellosis* risk are kept in:

Water Management Arrangements Folder

The person responsible for carrying out the on-site tasks set out in the above assessments is:

Site Manager

Record showing that the above on-site tasks have been undertaken are kept in:

Water Management Arrangements Folder

WORK AT HEIGHT

All work at height in the establishment must be authorised by:

Principal Senior Business Manager

Risk assessments for working at height are to be completed by:

Senior Business Manager and Site Manager

Equipment used for work at height is to be checked by and records kept in:

 Site Manager
 Parago

 Dale Barton - NYCC
 Parago

EDUCATIONAL VISITS

Off-site educational visits must be authorised by:

Principal/Vice Principal

The Educational Visits Co-ordinator(s) is/are:

Vice Principal (ES)

Risk assessments for off-site visits are to be completed by:

Group Leader

NYCC Policy, Procedures & Guidance for Educational Visits are kept in:

Sharepoint/All staff/Policies

Details of off-site activities are to be logged onto Evolve by:

Group Leader for non-local area visits

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES – FIRE AND EVACUATION

The person responsible for ensuring that the fire risk assessment is undertaken and implemented is:

Principal/Senior Business Manager Trust

Escape routes are checked by/every:

| All staff | Daily |
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| Site Manager | |

Fire extinguishers are maintained and checked by/every:

| Firesolve | Annually |
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| Visually Inspected by Site Manager | Termly – recorded on Parago |

Alarms are tested by/every:

| Site Manager | Weekly |
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| Contractor | Bi-Annually |

Emergency evacuation will be tested:

Termly

APPENDICES

List here any other policies relevant to health and safety e.g. Medicines Policy, Educational Visits Policy etc.

CYPS Policy and Guidance Handbook Emergency Response Guide Safeguarding Policy Safeguarding Audit Lockdown Procedure **Disaster Recovery Procedure Educational Visits Policy Display Screen Equipment Procedure Emergency Procedures Events Procedure Fire Safety Procedure First Aid and Medicines Procedures** First Aid at Work Procedure Intimate Care Procedure Laptop and Tablet Procedure **Lettings Procedure Lone Working Procedure Midday Supervisor Procedure Missing Child Procedure** Nappy Changing Procedure **Snow and Ice Procedure Gritting Plan Use of Chemicals at Work Procedure** Use of Sunscreens Procedure Working at Height Procedure