

Child Safeguarding Statement



B'nos Zion of Bobov

Our organisation has completed a CHSCP Self-Assessment.



Nature / Type of Organisation and Services Provided:

B'nos Zion of Bobov is an Independent School for girls aged 3-16.

Our commitment to safeguarding children:

B'nos Zion of Bobov takes seriously its responsibility under section 175 of the Education Act 2002 to safeguard and promote the welfare of children; and to work together with other agencies to ensure adequate arrangements within our school to identify, assess, and support those children who are suffering harm. At B'nos Zion of Bobov, we fully recognise the contribution we can make to protect and promote the welfare of children in school and beyond. Our school's Safeguarding Policy outlines a whole school approach to safeguarding. It clearly states our school's commitment to the development of good practice and sound procedures. It gives direction to staff and others about expected responses to safeguarding and child protection issues. This ensures that concerns and referrals may be handled sensitively, professionally and in ways which prioritize the needs of the child.

Risk that children might face (1)

Child-on-child abuse, or any form of bullying between children

How are we mitigating this risk? (1)

Antibullying policy and procedures
Pupil voice -- systems to ensure pupils feel confident to speak up
Supervision of children
Social skills programmes, circle times
Staff training on what to look out for and how to support children experiencing any form of bullying

Risk that children might face (2)

Risk of harm from visitors or workers to the site.
Risk of harm from trespassers.

How are we mitigating this risk? (2)

Locked gate around premises
Security guard screens all people requesting entry
Visitors log-in book
Visitors are accompanied by a member of staff
Workers are not allowed on-site during school hours

Risk that children might face (3)

Mental health issues, such as anxiety, depression or stress, specifically around school issues

How are we mitigating this risk? (3)

Pupil voice -- pupils are encouraged to speak to their designated welfare lead or any other member of staff
Staff training how to support children in distress
Meetings between pastoral support team members and children/parents, working together to address the core issues
Circle time/PSHE lessons
Pastoral team works with external organisations

Risk that children might face (4)

SEND children may be more vulnerable to bullying and abuse.

How are we mitigating this risk? (4)

Extra pastoral support for SEND children
Staff training on how a SEND child experiences life differently
Adjusted behaviour thresholds/Individual Behaviour Plans
Circle time with classmates to help them understand and empathise with their SEND peers

Risk that children might face (5)

How are we mitigating this risk? (5)

The following legislation, policies, procedures and guidance also support and inform our intention to safeguard children while they are accessing our service(s). These documents are available upon request.

Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy
Behaviour Policy
Antibullying Policy
Physical Handling of Pupils Policy
SEND Policy

The final draft of this safeguarding statement has been agreed for submission by the individual with overall responsibility for the organisation. This Child Safeguarding Statement will be reviewed annually, or as soon as practicable after there has been a material change in any matter to which the statement refers.

Please confirm



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Procedures are available to the public here:

Our school does not have a website