



Advocacy in Greenwich

Safeguarding Children Statement



Advocacy In Greenwich believes that all children and young people should live free from abuse, harm and neglect.



We know that children and young people sometimes get bullied, hurt or scared. We believe that all children and young people should be kept safe at all times.



If we see, or hear about, children and young people being bullied, hurt, scared or upset we will help them. Sometimes that might mean telling someone else to make sure they are safe.



All of the workers, trustees, student advocates and volunteers at Advocacy in Greenwich are chosen with care. They have training, interviews and we check with people who have known them a long time to find out what sort of person they are.



We do a check to make sure that workers, trustees, student advocates and volunteers do not have a criminal record, this is called a DBS check. If they have done something bad we would not let them work at Advocacy In Greenwich. We do this check every 3 years.



Everyone who works with children and young people reads this statement and our Safeguarding Children Policy and gets training about keeping children and young people safe from harm.



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