

Safeguarding Bulletin

Safeguarding Team



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Welcome to our *new* Half Term Safeguarding Bulletin. The Ickburgh Safeguarding Bulletin will tackle different themes each half term, giving parents access to helpful advice and external resources.

With the dark Autumn nights creeping in, the themes we have chosen to address this half term are Road Safety, Safety in the dark and Safety on Bonfire night.

We hope you find the information and resources helpful! The Safeguarding Team

Autum Term 1 - 2022

Reminder

If you are need of urgent support you can contact

Hackney Children and Family Services' Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub on

MASH@hackney.gov.uk or 020 8356 5500

Pupils from other boroughs can contact

020 8379 5555 - Enfield 020 3373 4600 - Newham 020 7364 5601 or 020 7364 5606

- Tower Hamlets

020 8708 3885 or 020 8708 5897

- Redbridge

For other help feel free to contact the school - 020 8806 4638

Darker Days and Darker Nights!

With the clocks due to go back on Sunday 30th October 2022 and Autumn nights getting closer it is important that your children understand Road Safety and how to stay Safe and Visible in the dark.

ROAD Be ROAD wise - help keep your child by teaching them 'The Green Cross Code' - Green cross code -Wise Roadwise – Children Should not be allowed out alone or with friends (peers) until they know their Green cross code.



Be bright and be seen – In the Autumn months it gets a lot darker from much earlier. Road users find it much harder to see pedestrians in the dark especially when they are wearing dark colours. It is important for everyone to be bright, be seen and be safe. More information and resources can be found here - Be Bright Be Seen - Brightkidz

Bonfire Night and Fireworks!

It will soon be Bonfire Night, which inevitably means fireworks, sparklers and fire. Below are some websites with information on firework safety, fire safety and where to buy ear defenders for those children who struggle with noise



Fireworks nidirect has useful information on firework safety, guidance and the current laws around fireworks and their use - Fireworks I nidirect



The London Fire Brigade has some very good advice on how to enjoy your bonfire night safely - Bonfires | London Fire Brigade (london-fire.gov.uk)



For pupils who struggle with noise, ear defenders Autism has information on how to choose ear defenders and where to buy them - Best Ear Defenders for Autism (UK) - For Adults & Kids