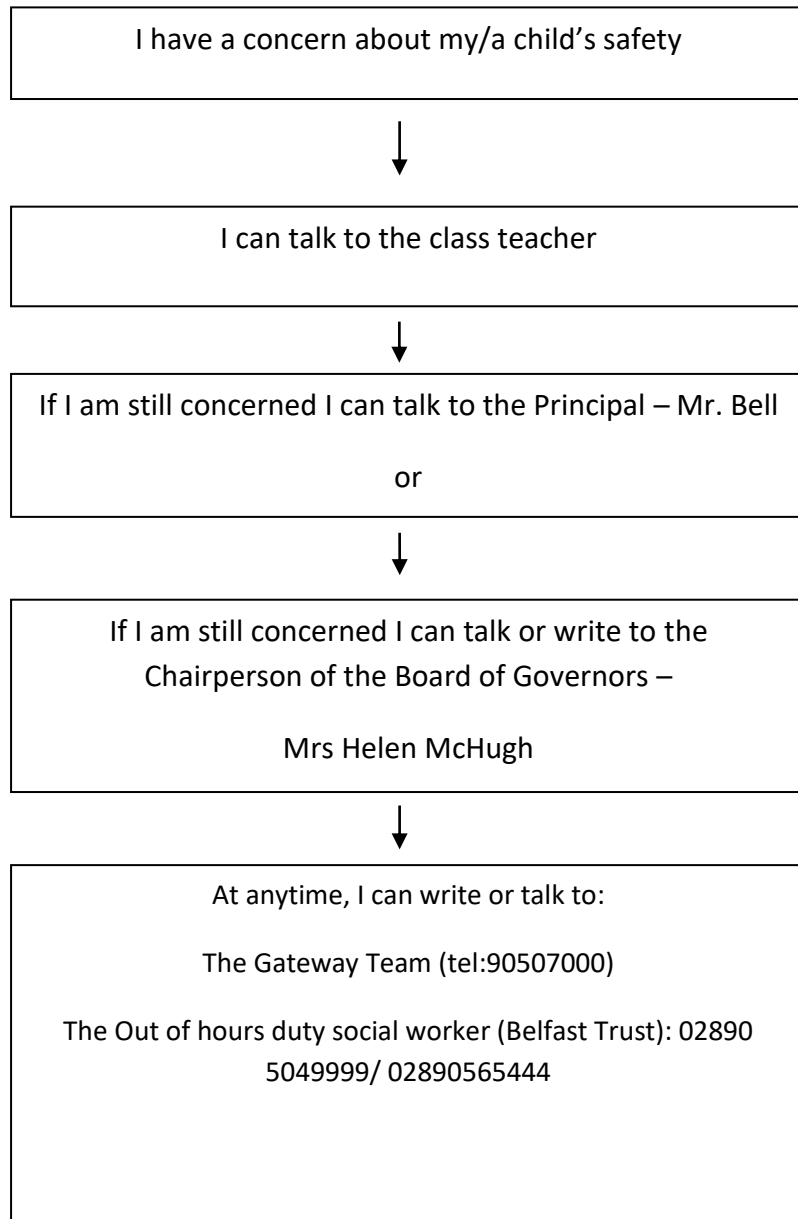


How a Parent Can Raise a Child Protection Concern



Child Protection

Designated Teacher for Child Protection:

Mrs Gemma Lonyai

Deputy Designated Teachers for Child
Protection:

Ms Emma Murray

Ms Rebecca Dickson

Designated Governor for Child Protection:

Ms Jane Stewart

*A full Child Protection Policy can be viewed on the school website
or requested at the school office.*

It is a requirement of our Child Protection Policy that all parents are informed of the policy. Parents can access the full policy on the school website or from the school office.

The purpose of the procedures set out in the Child Protection Policy is to safeguard and protect our pupils by ensuring that every adult who works in our school – teachers, non-teaching staff and volunteers – has clear guidance on the action which is required where abuse or neglect of a child is suspected. All staff, both teaching and support staff, receive training annually in this area.

There are five main elements to our policy:

1. Establishing a safe environment in which children can learn and develop
2. Developing and implementing procedures for identifying and reporting cases, or suspected cases, of abuse
3. Ensuring we practice safe recruitment in checking the suitability of staff and volunteers to work with children
4. Raising awareness of child protection issues and equipping children with the skills needed to keep them safe
5. Supporting pupils who have been abused in accordance with his/her agreed child protection plan

Referral Process in School

Where an instance of child abuse is disclosed, the school will act in line with the Child Protection Policy. Mrs Lonyai, as designated teacher, will manage the implantation of procedures. In the designated teachers absence Ms Murray or Ms Dickson will be responsible.

