

SAFEGUARDING ROUND UP

04/07/25

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END OF YEAR BINGO!

How many points do you have?



* No actual prizes

Sent us your self audit [100]	Put on opt-out Keep Your Child Safe Online courses for parents [100]	Attended DSL Network and other local events/working parties [100]
Stood your ground against a stubborn senior leader or challenging parent because you know it's in the best interests of a child [100]	Did a little investigating on the back of a minor change in behaviour and uncovered a much more serious safeguarding issue [100]	Stayed late at school to await social services / the police [100]
Initiated another member of staff into the world of DSLing [100]	Seen a child or family change for the better in front of your eyes because of work your school has done [100]	Made plans for rest, relaxation and a pinch of fun over the summer – because you are a lighthouse on a rock and your self care is essential [100]

For Your Diary

Useful Reminders:

Keep Your Child Safe Online - EXPECTATIONS

Have you organised your parent workshops for Years R, 5, 7 and 9 yet? Are the materials published on your school website and displayed in your school foyer?

Materials are published here, including slides for parent courses:

[Online Safety | Enfield Council](#)

Safeguarding self audit – NOW URGENT

Have you returned your audit yet? Any audit format is acceptable, but our form is easy to use, comprehensive and available on [The Hub | Enfield Council](#). All schools are expected to return this to us each academic year. Send to seyis@enfield.gov.uk

Upcoming DSL meetings:

Tues 16th September – Planning meeting

Microsoft Teams [Need help?](#)
[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 373 883 018 830 7
Passcode: br3i2uY6

Tues 23rd September – DSL Network meeting, 330-500

Microsoft Teams [Need help?](#)
[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 386 180 017 075 5
Passcode: FT7sC9Qq

Calendar invites will be sent to all DSLs.
All welcome.

KCSIE 2025 – News at last!

SUMMARY: Expect an updated document ‘by the end of this month’, with technical changes only. This document will be statutory from September 1st 2025. The more sweeping changes are now expected next year instead.

The DfE released the following statement on 01 July 2025:

Information for all education settings: Keeping children safe in education 2025

*We will publish **Keeping children safe in education (KCSIE) 2025 (for information version)** next month. This version will come into force on 1 September 2025 by which time we expect it to include links to revised guidance on Relationships, Sex, and Health Education and revised guidance on gender questioning children.*

KCSIE has been revised regularly for many years, and we intend that it will continue to be revised and improved on a regular basis. Whilst there are only technical changes to KCSIE 2025, future iterations will reflect the progress into legislation of the Children's Wellbeing and Schools Bill, the emerging further learnings from the work of the recent Casey Audit and subsequent inquiries, the Violence Against Women and Girls strategy and the interactions between these advances.

This Government is clear that there are – and will continue to be – further learnings about how we can better protect children in the future as we come to understand more clearly what has gone wrong in the past and schools and colleges will continue to need to play an incredibly important role in this.

The Enfield Inclusion Exhibition 2025

A huge thank you to all those who exhibited, taught, show-cased, made coffee and snacks, and offered their general support, as well as all who attended. What a super day!

Please help us by completing this brief feedback form:

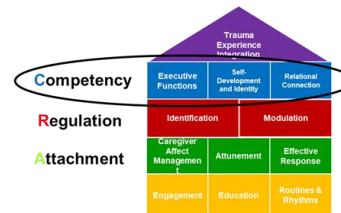
<https://forms.gle/bTFtTG982aYMYo8T9>



E-TIPSS

Executive Functions: Work with young people to act, instead of react, by using higher-order cognitive processes to solve problems and make active choices in service of reaching identified goals.

Fourth (final) layer: Competency



Executive functions are the “captain of the cognitive ship”; they provide the tools that help young people navigate their world in an active, goal-directed way.

How do you build executive functions?

- Teach and support these skills when the prefrontal cortex is online.
- Catch the moment: scaffold and model problem-solving.
- Engage problem-solving through play.
- Build problem-solving into service and family structures.



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Blaustein & Kinniburgh, 2010; Kinniburgh & Blaustein, 2005

Use Caregiver Scaffolding

- Teach caregivers the problem-solving steps and entry points; this skill is one largely supported by scaffolding
- Model the reflective process involved in discussion of choices made which impact youth
- Notice and name active choices when they occur



Blaustein & Kinniburgh, 2010; Kinniburgh & Blaustein, 2005

FREE ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

SUMMER 2025

FUN

Free activities & food for young people on free school meals

Four weeks of fun activities, from climbing wall to arts & crafts, music programmes, cooking and many more!

HAF Summer Holiday Camps
Ponders End Youth Centre

4 Weeks (Mon - Thu)
Mon 28 Jul - Thu 21 Aug 11am-4pm

HAF Summer SEND Holiday Camps
Bell Lane Youth Centre

Week 1 28 & 29 Jul 11am-3pm
Week 2 4 & 5 Aug 11am-3pm
Week 3 11 & 12 Aug 11am-3pm
Week 4 18 & 19 Aug 11am-3pm

HAF Summer Holiday Camps
Unity Hub @ Craig Park

4 Weeks (Mon - Thu)
Mon 28 Jul - Thu 21 Aug 11am-4pm



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free trips
for those
receiving
free school
meals

For further information & to sign up

Email: youthenfield@enfield.gov.uk
youthenfield.taptup.co.uk


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Holiday Activities and Food Programme (HAF)

- HAF is running over the Summer holidays
- DfE funded programme for children Reception to year 11 in receipt of benefits related free school meals
- Each programme provides hot food and a varied programme of physical and enriching activities
- Attending holiday programmes keeps children safe, fed, active, engaged and in a routine for when they return to school after the holidays
- Vouchers will be issued to all eligible children on 26th June
- Please help to promote this programme to all of your eligible children

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| • Ark John Keats | • Garfield Primary |
| • Aylward Academy | • Grange Park Primary |
| • Bush Hill Park Primary | • Houndsfield Primary |
| • Chase Side Primary | • Latymer All Saints Primary |
| • Churchfield Primary | • Oasis Academy Enfield |
| • De Bohun Primary | • Oasis Academy Hadley |
| • Eldon Primary | • Orchardside |
| • Enfield Grammar | • Prince of Wales Primary |
| • Eversley Primary | • Raynham Primary |
| • Fern House | • St Michaels Primary |
| • Firs Farm Primary | • Suffolks Primary |
| • Fleecefield Primary | • West Grove Primary |
| • Galliard Primary | • Woodpecker Academy |

Kinship Care



Kinship Care

- **Kinship care** is any situation in which a child is being raised in the care of a friend or family member who is not their parent. Grandparents are the most prevalent carers, but also elder siblings, aunts, uncles, step- parents or siblings, as well as family friends.
- Nationally, there are 130,000 children in kinship care in England – 3 times as many as in mainstream foster care – yet many people have never heard of kinship care.

Edmonton and Winchmore Hill



Figures from KINSHIP



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children in kinship care



1 in every 70

children live in kinship families

153rd of 575

constituencies in England and Wales



Who are they?

Kinship families are very varied and there are different legal arrangements, which can make it very confusing. Some children – if they have ever been in care – are entitled to Priority School Admission and Pupil Premium Plus. Others, who may have identical needs, will not be entitled to this additional support.

It is important to remember, that these are children who will almost certainly have suffered early childhood trauma and disrupted attachments. Many will have suffered abuse or neglect and been removed from their parents – yet schools may not even know who they are.



Enfield North



Figures from KINSHIP



327

children in kinship care



1 in every 58

children live in kinship families

65th of 575

constituencies in England and Wales



Enfield Virtual School Website. Take a look at the advice and guidance available to schools and professionals as well as parents and carers.



A Quick Reference Guide

Safeguarding RoundUp	A weekly newsletter which gives an overview of updates, training and general information about safeguarding. Many schools share this with their entire staff body. Sign up: seyis@enfield.gov.uk
DSL Network Meetings	A half termly Teams meeting for DSLs and senior leaders, attended by most DSLs in the borough. Range of guest speakers and important updates. Dates and Teams links published in the Safeguarding RoundUp. Contact seyis@enfield.gov.uk .
The Hub	Lots of tools, documents and information to support your work in your school, including safeguarding audits, website audits, inclusion audits, online safety tools, signposting and model policies. Welcome to The Hub Enfield Council
Safeguarding Enfield	Training, information and resources. Safeguarding Enfield
Safeguarding Self Audit	Your school is expected to return a self-audit annually, using either our own Safeguarding Self-Audit Tool (available from The Hub or by emailing Samantha.Hill@enfield.gov.uk) or another format. It is recommended as part of your Autumn Term calendar. Email your document as a PDF to seyis@enfield.gov.uk
Ofsted/DfE/other official safeguarding complaints	These will be investigated either by the LADO or by SEYIS (Samantha Hill). We will contact you to explain the complaint and will request some relevant information from you, including the school's narrative. A response is usually expected within a week.
Online Safety	Materials can be found here: Online Safety Enfield Council .
Safeguarding Reviews	Contact Samantha.Hill@enfield.gov.uk if you are interested in commissioning a full Safeguarding Review. We also offer SEND and curriculum reviews.
Advice and support	Contact me any time for reasons big or small. Always happy to help or point you in the direction of someone who can: Samantha.Hill@enfield.gov.uk

Useful People, Useful Links

KCSIE 2024	Keeping children safe in education - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
The Hub	Welcome to The Hub Enfield Council
Safeguarding Enfield webpage	Safeguarding Enfield
Professional Learning Portal	https://traded.enfield.gov.uk/thehub/professional-learning-portal/safeguarding
Mind in Enfield	0208 906 7505 mindinenfield.org.uk
Prevent Education Officer	
HEART Team <i>for Looked After Children and Post Adopted CYP</i>	Suzanne.Rowson@enfield.gov.uk
MASH Service Manager	Natalie.Rollock@enfield.gov.uk
MASH Consultation Line	02038556241
LADO (Cathy Phelan)	safeguardingservice@enfield.gov.uk
Enfield Educational Psychology Service	eps@enfield.gov.uk
CAMHS Crisis Line 24/7	24/7 Crisisline 0800 1510023
Samantha Hill <i>Senior School Improvement Advisor for Safeguarding and Inclusion</i>	Samantha.Hill@enfield.gov.uk 07764801827