# **Safeguarding Policy**



(Reviewed on 1<sup>st</sup> of September 2024)

to protect children and young people who receive tuition from MRW Maths from harm.

This policy statement should be read alongside the tutoring agreement.

#### MRW Maths believes that:

- children and young people should never experience abuse of any kind
- we have a responsibility to promote the welfare of all children and young people, to keep them safe and to practise in a way that protects them.

#### MRW Maths recognise that:

- the welfare of children is paramount in all the work we do and in all the decisions we take
- working in partnership with children, young people, their parents, carers and other agencies is essential in promoting young people's welfare
- all children, regardless of age, disability, gender reassignment, race, religion or belief, sex, or sexual orientation have an equal right to protection from all types of harm or abuse
- some children are additionally vulnerable because of the impact of previous experiences, their level of dependency, communication needs or other issues
- extra safeguards may be needed to keep children who are additionally vulnerable safe from abuse.

### MRW Maths will seek to keep children and young people safe by:

- valuing, listening to and respecting them
- adopting child protection and safeguarding best practice through this policy, procedures and tutoring agreement.
- · developing and implementing an effective online safety practice and related procedures
- recording, storing and using information professionally and securely, in line with data protection legislation and guidance
- using our safeguarding and child protection procedures to share concerns and relevant information with agencies who need to know, and involving children, young people, parents, families and carers appropriately
- creating and maintaining an anti-bullying environment
- ensuring that we have effective complaints and whistleblowing measures in place
- ensuring that we provide a safe physical environment by applying health and safety measures in accordance with the law and regulatory guidance
- building a safeguarding culture where tutor, student and parents/carers treat each other with respect and are comfortable about sharing concerns.

## The purpose of this policy statement is:

to protect children and young people who receive tuition from MRW Maths from harm.

If you were to have concerns about the practices of MRW Maths - you can contact the NSPCC Helpline 0808 800 5000

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For further information <u>Using after-school clubs, tuition and community activities - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)</u>

MRW Maths is committed to reviewing this policy and good practice annually.

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