

Arrangements for Administering First Aid Policy

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Discovery Education Centre is committed to ensuring the health, safety, and welfare of all students, staff, and visitors by providing effective first aid arrangements at all times.

Policy Statement:

We will comply with the Health and Safety (First-Aid) Regulations 1981 and provide adequate and appropriate equipment, facilities, and trained personnel to ensure immediate assistance in the event of illness or injury.

Procedures and Arrangements:

- 1. Qualified First Aiders At least one qualified first aider will be on-site at all times. Staff members trained in Emergency First Aid at Work (EFAW) and Paediatric First Aid are listed in the staff room and reviewed termly.
- 2. Equipment First aid kits are located in every centre, clearly marked and easily accessible. The Health & Safety Lead checks contents termly to ensure compliance with HSE guidance.
- 3. Recording All incidents requiring first aid are recorded in the First Aid Log. Parents/carers will be informed of any treatment given. Serious incidents will be reported to the Head of Centre and to RIDDOR when required.
- 4. Administration of Medicines Medicines are only administered with parental/carer consent and in line with our Supporting Pupils with Medical Needs Policy. A record of all medication administered is maintained securely.
- 5. Communication Staff are made aware of procedures during induction and refresher training annually.