

Keeping your child safe at ThinkForward



What do we mean by safeguarding?

- Safeguarding is the action that is taken to promote the welfare of children and protect them from harm.

To keep your child safe, we will:

- supervise them at events in the presence of non-ThinkForward adults
- assess all activities as being safe
- ensure all coaches are recruited through safe recruitment practices including DBS/criminal record checks and all coaches complete accredited training
- ask your consent to work with your child outside of school



Coaches will not:

- use their personal phones or emails to contact your child
- use their own transport to take your child to events e.g. their own car
- shut their door during 1:1s with your child, unless there is a window
- speak to your child in an unprofessional or inappropriate way
- take photos of your child without your consent
- encourage your child to break the law



How to give us feedback

- We want a safe and transparent culture between ThinkForward & parents/carers.
- If you are worried about something that has happened to your child while they have been on a ThinkForward programme, please message our Director of Programmes Charlene: 07483 069483



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