Health, Safety & Welfare Policy

Statement of Intent

As Headteacher of Stone Bay School, I am committed to creating a safe working environment to ensure the health, safety & welfare of all students, staff and visitors.

In fulfilling this commitment, I will seek through competence, co-operation and coordination with staff and visitors to provide and maintain a safe and healthy working environment by meeting legislative standards and developing acceptable working practices that will

- Ensure staff and pupils are safeguarded when on school premises, or engaged in off-site activities (e.g., school trips, sports events etc.).
- Ensure the premises for which they are responsible have safe access and egress for all staff, pupils and visitors.
- Provide adequate facilities and arrangements for welfare.
- Ensure COSHH (control of substances hazardous to health) safe systems are in place for all stakeholders safety.
- HT seeks an external health and safety audit and advice to improve H&S at Stone Bay
- SBM develops ensures effective implementation of recommendations.
- SBM ensures that statutory H&S training is delivered for all staff. Asbestos, fire, lockdown, manual handling.
- SBM ensures that the school is compliant with all statutory fire safety regulations.
- SM ensures safe use, handling, storage and transport of articles.
- SBM reduces injuries at the school by developing and reviewing safe working practices and training of employees.
- SBM to ensure risk assessments are in place and record significant findings, and review annually or sooner if there is a change in circumstance.

The organisation and arrangements for achieving the above are set out and detailed within our Health and Safety Policy and risk assessments.

Safety is everyone's responsibility, all of the time

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