

Talbot Primary School Safeguarding Newsletter

Summer 2026

Hamwic Online Safety Portal

[Online Safety Hub - Hamwic Education Trust](#)

The Hamwic Education Trust Online Safety is live and available to all parents. The Online Safety Hub provides valuable parental guidance and resources to support your child with the ever changing world of online technology.

For further information please use the link above.

Pupil Independent travelling to school policy

As you have been made aware the Pupil Independent Travelling to school policy has been shared with parents. The objectives of the policy are to ensure all pupils travel to and from school safely.

The main objectives of the policy can be found below. If you have any questions please let a member of the safeguarding team or Senior Leadership know.

Sports day this term

This term (although the date has not been confirmed) please ensure the following when coming onto school grounds:

- No children under the age of 16 years old to enter the school grounds without being supervised by an adult.
- All parents to stay in the designated areas to view the event.
- Apply sun cream to your child prior to the event not during the day.
- Encourage your child and interact positively with them. Please do not ask them to come away from their class during the event so class teachers have full oversight of your child.
- School staff have the right to ask parent/carers/ family members to leave school site if behaviour is deemed inappropriate .

Summer safety reminders for parents

As the warm weather starts to arrive just a few reminders for parents:

- If the weather is warm or hot on a school day, please apply suncream to your child prior to them coming to school.
- On occasions in school during the summer months we have a small number of incidents where pupils are treated for ticks. This is due to the heathland surrounding us in school. Please check your child regularly to ensure they do not have a tick. If they do please visit the local pharmacist for further support. School staff will cone off areas of concern on the school field but sometimes this is out of the school's control.
- During the warmer months your child will require more to drink. Please ensure you provide them with plenty of water to keep them as hydrated as possible. You may wish to send them with a sun hat.

Attendance reminders:

All children need to be in school by 8:40am daily, otherwise this will be marked as late.

Please ensure medical evidence is provided for any external appointments for your child e.g. doctors appointment so your child's absence can be authorised.



Escape Line

In March 2026 Escapline visited Talbot Primary School to undertake workshops with pupils in years 5 and 6. Escapline was set up to help young people to stay safe by educating them about how child exploitation and grooming works in their local area and teaching them protective strategies.

Unfortunately, we have been made aware some ex pupils who have left Talbot Primary School have been subject to child exploitation. This demonstrates Child exploitation does occur in the local area.

Escape linke strengthens community knowledge of child exploitation by running awareness-raising campaigns and we help the families of exploited young people, and those at risk of exploitation, through non- judgmental support and mentoring. Much of our work is conducted in schools and we also work alongside the police and local authorities, taking their referrals to support the children identified as most at risk of exploitation. As part of our legacy, we also train professionals in the signs and stages of child criminal exploitation, in order that they are better equipped to protect children in their care.

For further information please use the following link:

The park @ Wallidown recreational ground

Please ensure your child is supervised at the park at Wallisdown on recreational ground as last year during the school summer months we had a number of negative pupil incidents which caused distress and some anti social behaviour.

We encourage parents to supervise their children in the park. If you have an agreement with you child for them to go to the park after school please ensure they are able to contact you and an agreed appropriate time for pick up.

Safeguarding Team Summer 2026.

If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child please call the police 999 or the MASH team on 01202 123334 please contact a member of the safeguarding team.

Designated Safeguarding Lead: Chris Brown

Deputy Safeguarding Leads(s): Tracey McDonald, Kate Curtis, Mikey Saunders, Ross Browne.

Please speak to the front office if you would like to speak with a member of the safeguarding team.

Self referral Early Help parenting support– Please use if you need support.

Early Help

As part of the new Early Help BCP strategy parents are encouraged to use the Early Help advise point for support with challenging behaviour, family support or parenting advise (information on left of page). Parents can make a self referral if they are requiring additional support, alternatively please speak to a member of the safeguarding team.

Please visit:

[Family hubs, early help and outreach centres](#)

