

The Second Church of Christ Scientist Birmingham

Safeguarding Policy Statement

This organisation acknowledges the duty of care to safeguard the welfare of children and other vulnerable people. We are committed to ensuring that our safeguarding practices reflect statutory responsibilities, and that they comply with government requirements.

We recognise that the welfare of children is paramount in all circumstances. We aim to ensure that our children have a positive and enjoyable experience in a safe environment.

We will take reasonable and appropriate steps to protect any vulnerable individual in our church.

We will prioritise the well being of children and vulnerable adults.

We will ensure that everyone understands their roles and responsibilities in respect of safeguarding

We will ensure that appropriate action is taken when necessary.

We will ensure that confidential records are kept in the event of any concerns.

We will prevent the employment of unsuitable individuals.

We will ensure that robust procedures are in operation.

This policy will be available to everyone.

Monitoring

We will review the policy regularly, in case there are changes in government guidance or legislation