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## Safeguarding children in our school

### STAFF ANNUAL SELF-DECLARATION

Name	
Role	

As part of our duty to safeguard pupils, we need to check whether you or the people you live with have been disqualified from caring for children. Please answer the questions and sign both of the declarations below.

Please note that you are not required to disclose convictions or cautions that are 'protected' as defined by the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975 (as amended in 2013).

#### Self-declaration

<p>Have any orders relating to the care of children, as set out in schedule 1 of the Childcare (Disqualification) Regulations 2009, been made in respect of you?</p> <p>This includes, but is not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Orders disqualifying you from caring for children</li> <li>• Orders disqualifying you from private fostering</li> <li>• Any refusal of an application for you to be registered in relation to a children's home</li> <li>• Care/child protection orders issued in respect of a child in your care</li> </ul>	Yes/No
<p>Have you been convicted of committing, or been given a caution, reprimand or warning since 6 April 2007 for, any offences set out in schedules 2 and 3 of the Childcare (Disqualification) Regulations 2009?</p> <p>This includes, but is not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any offence against or involving a child</li> <li>• Any sexual offence</li> <li>• Any violent offence, i.e. murder, manslaughter, kidnapping, false imprisonment, actual bodily harm (ABH), or grievous bodily harm (GBH)</li> </ul>	Yes/No
<p>Have you been barred from working in regulated activity with children (i.e. are you included on the Disclosure and Barring Service Children's Barred List)?</p>	Yes/No

Have you committed an offence overseas which would have resulted in disqualification if it had occurred in the UK?	<b>Yes/No</b>
<p>Please provide further information where you have answered 'Yes' to any of the questions above.</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>I will make the school aware of any changes in my circumstances, including any cautions or convictions that affect my suitability to care for children.</p> <p>Signed:..... Date:.....</p>	

**Association declaration**

To your knowledge, are you living in a household where another person who has been disqualified from working with children under the Childcare (Disqualification) Regulations 2009 lives or works?	<b>Yes/No</b>
<p>Please provide further information where you have answered 'Yes' to the question above.</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>I will make the school aware of any changes in these circumstances, and will notify the school where I become aware that a person who lives or works in my household is disqualified from caring for children.</p> <p>Signed:..... Date:.....</p>	