



**Be Safe
Stay Safe**

**WITH EDMUND
RICE COLLEGE**



**A Student's Guide To
Safeguarding**

What is safeguarding?

Safeguarding is all about protecting children from abuse or neglect, and it also helps to stop damage to their health and development.

Safeguarding also makes sure that children grow up with the kind of care that allows them to have the best chances in life and allows them to grow up to be caring and responsible adults.

Safeguarding in Edmund Rice College

At Edmund Rice College, we want you to feel safe from harm. In order to do this, we have lots of different people you can talk to.



Teachers



Classroom Assistants



Lunchtime Supervisors

At Edmund Rice College we also have a Safeguarding Team and you can talk to any one of these people. The Safeguarding Team will help you get the help you need especially in difficult situations.

*Head of Pastoral
Designated Teacher*



Mr McMeekin

*Assistant Head of Pastoral
Deputy Designated Teacher*



Mrs Davey

Deputy Designated Teacher



Mrs Ritchie

Deputy Designated Teacher



Miss Deery

Edmund Rice College also has a school counsellor and a Youth Worker who visit our school once a week to talk to pupils and help them get through some difficult circumstances.



Joanne McConaghie
School counsellor



Vanessa Tweed
Youth Worker