

# Safeguarding News

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## Developing a Safeguarding Culture

Whilst during our most recent review our reviewers were pleased with our safeguarding compliance, they asked us to develop the whole school culture. As a result, we have developed a team of Safeguarding Ambassadors. This group has been put together and is led by Saffron Derrick and Maddie Pearce in Year 10.

Their first task has been to review the site from a cultural point of view. Their comments have been extremely helpful!

Thank you for improving our safeguarding culture journey by recording safeguarding incidents on CPOMS. On average, we receive about 80 per term with varying degrees of severity. All of them are thoroughly processed by the Safeguarding Team.

However, we do need to improve our recording of bullying incidents on CPOMS. These should be logged in the same way and marked as **incident open** (if there needs to be further follow up on higher level incidents) or **incident closed** (if it has been dealt with fully).