



ST. JOHN'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

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A journey of  PRIDE with God by our side

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'A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.' John 13:34

'A journey of PRIDE with God by our side' reflects our drive to create a loving community, rooted in our four key Christian values of Love, Kindness, Honesty and Forgiveness - ensuring St John's genuinely is a place to Love, Learn and Grow.

Medical Emergency

St John's CE Primary School endeavours to ensure the safety of all of its staff and pupils in the event of a medical emergency.

This policy applies to all pupils, staff, visitors and any other person on St. John's CE Primary School property.

In the event of a medical emergency please dial 999 for emergency services.

When to call emergency services are listed below;

- the pupil is unconscious, semi-conscious or unusually confused.
- the pupil's airway is blocked.
- the pupil is not breathing.
- if the child has a known allergy and is suspected to have had a reaction
- the pupil is having difficulty breathing, shortness of breath or is choking.
- the pupil has no pulse.
- the pupil has bleeding that won't stop.
- the pupil is coughing up or vomiting blood.
- the pupil has been poisoned.
- the pupil has a seizure for the first time, a seizure that lasts more than 5 minutes, or an atypical seizure.
- the pupil has injuries to the head, neck or back.
- the pupil has sudden, severe pain anywhere in the body.
- the pupil's condition is limb-threatening (for example, severe eye injuries, amputations or other injuries that may leave the child permanently disabled unless he/she receives immediate care.)
- the pupil's condition could worsen or become life-threatening on the way to the hospital if not transported by ambulance.
- if moving the pupil could cause further injury.
- the pupil needs the skills or equipment of paramedics or emergency medical technicians.
- distance or traffic conditions would cause a delay in getting the child to the hospital.

If any of the above conditions exist, or if you are not sure, it is best to call 999.



First Aiders at St. John's CE Primary School are clearly displayed around school and first aid training is routinely updated. In the event of an ambulance being called the pupil should be accompanied in the ambulance by a member of staff, who will wait at hospital until the pupil's parents / carers arrive.

In the event of an ambulance being called the Head Teacher should be informed immediately, and in their absence the Deputy Head should be made aware. Medical forms will then be completed by the staff involved. It is vital that all staff do something to help in any emergency.

Staff are expected to:

- take appropriate safety precautions for yourself and the safety of others.
- be alert to possible dangers at the scene.
- move a victim only if their life is endangered.
- communicate effectively, giving specifics on what, where, when, and the number of persons involved.
- provide necessary information to emergency services on arrival.
- organise wherever possible to comfort the victim as well as bystanders.
- keep the area free of unnecessary traffic and help protect the victim from possible dangers

