

Youth Connect SW Southside Youth Hub

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Youth Connect South West SAFEGUARDING COMPLIANCE STATEMENT 2024 - 2025

According to the Keeping Children Safe in Education Statutory Guidance, schools and colleges must obtain written notification from any third-party organisation that the organisation has carried out the checks on an individual who will be working at the school or college, that the school or college would otherwise perform.

This Compliance Statement document confirms that, in line with Youth Connect South West's commitment to the safeguarding of children and young people, the Organisation carries out all appropriate checks on its staff who go into schools; this includes obtaining enhanced DBS disclosures where an individual works in regulated activity, with barred list checks where appropriate. Two references are also requested.

All Youth Connect South West staff carry photographic identification badges when visiting schools. Please ensure that you ask our colleagues to present them on arrival at school to confirm their identity and check the expiry date on the badge.

If you have any concerns regarding whether an individual is a genuine employee or have any concerns regarding child protection, please do not hesitate to contact us on 01225 396980 or email contact@ycsw.org.uk.

Yours sincerely

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