

MAHAVEER PUBLIC SCHOOL, JAIPUR

Safety and Security of Children Policy

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Mahaveer Public School, Jaipur is committed to providing a safe, secure, inclusive, and child-friendly environment where every student feels protected, respected, and valued. The school believes that every child has the right to learn in an atmosphere free from fear, abuse, neglect, discrimination, violence, bullying, and exploitation.

The school is committed to ensuring the physical, emotional, psychological, social, digital, and environmental safety of all students in accordance with the ****CBSE School Safety Guidelines, Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act, 2012, Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015, National Education Policy (NEP) 2020,**** and other applicable statutory provisions.

The policy aims to:

- * Ensure the safety, security, health, and well-being of every child.
- * Provide a safe and inclusive learning environment.
- * Prevent all forms of abuse, bullying, ragging, discrimination, and substance abuse.
- * Promote physical, emotional, mental, and digital well-being.
- * Establish clear preventive, reporting, and response mechanisms.
- * Create awareness among students, parents, and staff regarding child protection and safety.

This policy applies to all students, teaching and non-teaching staff, school management, contractual employees, transport staff, security personnel, parents, guardians, and visitors.

School Safety Measures

The school adopts comprehensive safety measures to ensure a secure campus.

1- Campus Safety

- * CCTV surveillance at strategic locations.
- * Security guards and controlled entry/exit.
- * Visitor's entry in visitor's register.
- * Mandatory Identity Cards for students and staff.
- * Fire safety equipment and emergency exits.
- * Safe drinking water and hygienic sanitation facilities.

2- Classroom, Laboratory and Sports Safety

- * Safe furniture, proper lighting and ventilation.
- * Regular inspection of electrical fittings.
- * Laboratory practicals under teacher supervision with First Aid facilities.
- * Safe sports equipment and supervised physical activities.

3- Transport and Road Safety

- * Verified drivers and support staff.
- * GPS-enabled buses (where applicable).
- * Safe boarding and debarking under supervision.

- * Road Safety Awareness Programmes on traffic rules, pedestrian safety, helmet and seat belt usage.
- * Regular awareness sessions in collaboration with traffic authorities whenever feasible.

4- Emergency Preparedness

- * Fire, earthquake and evacuation drills conducted periodically.
- * Disaster management awareness programmes.
- * Emergency contact numbers displayed prominently.
- * Trained Full Time Nurse.

5- Child Protection

The school follows a **Zero Tolerance Policy** towards:

- * Physical abuse
- * Emotional abuse
- * Sexual abuse
- * Neglect
- * Harassment
- * Ragging
- * Bullying and cyberbullying
- * Discrimination
- * Tobacco, drugs and substance abuse

All complaints are handled confidentially, fairly, and promptly in accordance with statutory guidelines.

6- Health, Hygiene and Digital Safety

The school promotes:

- * Clean and hygienic surroundings.
- * Safe drinking water and sanitation.
- * Regular health check-ups and First Aid facilities.
- * Mental health support and counselling.
- * Cyber safety awareness.
- * Responsible use of digital devices and Artificial Intelligence.
- * Digital citizenship and prevention of cyberbullying.
- * Orientation at regular Interval.

7- School Safety and Child Protection Committees

To ensure the effective implementation of this policy, the school has constituted the following committees:

1- POCSO Committee

Ensures implementation of the POCSO Act, spreads awareness on child protection, receives complaints confidentially, and provides appropriate support and guidance.

2- Manodarpan Committee

Promotes students' mental and emotional well-being through counselling, life skills education, and wellness programmes.

3- Anti-Ragging and Anti-Bullying Committee

Works to prevent bullying and ragging by creating awareness, counselling students, addressing complaints promptly, and fostering a respectful school culture.

4- Anti-Tobacco/Anti-Drug Committee

Promotes a tobacco-free and drug-free campus through awareness campaigns and preventive education.

5- Health and Hygiene Committee

Monitors sanitation, cleanliness, safe drinking water, personal hygiene, nutrition awareness, and overall health standards within the school.

6- Cyber Safety Committee

Promotes safe and responsible use of digital technology by educating students about cyber security, online privacy, cyberbullying prevention, and ethical digital behaviour.

7- Disaster Management Committee

Plans and coordinates emergency preparedness, mock drills, evacuation procedures, safety audits, and disaster response.

8- Road Safety Committee

Creates awareness about traffic rules and responsible road behaviour, promotes safe transportation practices, and organizes road safety campaigns and educational programmes.

Roles and Responsibilities:-

#Principal

- * Ensure effective implementation of this policy.
- * Monitor compliance with CBSE and statutory guidelines.
- * Review safety measures periodically.

Teachers

- * Supervise students at all times.
- * Maintain discipline and report safety concerns.
- * Promote child-friendly and inclusive practices.

School Counsellor

- * Provide counselling and emotional support.
- * Conduct mental health and life skills programmes.

Security and Transport Staff

- * Ensure campus and transport safety.
- * Monitor entry and exit and report any suspicious activity.

Parents

- * Cooperate with school safety procedures.
- * Encourage safe behaviour and maintain updated emergency contact details.

Students

- * Follow school rules.
- * Respect others.
- * Report unsafe situations.
- * Use technology responsibly and maintain discipline.

Reporting Mechanism:-

Students, parents, staff members, and visitors may report concerns related to child protection, bullying, ragging, cyber safety, health, hygiene, tobacco or drug use, transport, road safety, or any unsafe condition. All complaints shall be treated confidentially, investigated promptly, and resolved in accordance with school rules and legal provisions.

Training, Monitoring and Review:-

The school regularly conducts awareness programmes on child protection, POCSO, mental health, cyber safety, road safety, disaster management, First Aid, fire safety, health, hygiene, and life skills.

The Principal and all concerned committees shall periodically review the implementation of this policy through meetings, safety audits, and stakeholder feedback. The policy shall be reviewed annually or whenever required by changes in CBSE guidelines or statutory provisions.

Mahaveer Public School, Jaipur is committed to creating a safe, secure, healthy, and nurturing environment where every child can learn and grow with dignity, confidence, and respect. Through effective safety practices, dedicated committees, awareness programmes, and the active participation of students, staff, and parents, the school strives to uphold the highest standards of child protection and well-being.

