# Safeguarding

# **Playtimes**

As parents are aware, we have invested a lot of time and resources into improving our playtime provision for the children at Naunton Park in recent years. We have seen a huge improvement to the amount of play that is happening as a result of the resources donated/purchased for the school (thank you) and children now have longer to play with their friends thanks to our outdoor eating areas and new routines.

To further improve playtimes, Miss Hudson has been talking to the children in assemblies about how they can keep themselves and others safe on the playground. A summary of some of the discussion points can be viewed below. Please take some time to discuss these with your child, to further highlight their personal responsibility to help keep themselves and others safe.

# **Equipment**







All children are taught and reminded to:

- ✓ Stack no more than three tyres (or up to waist height)
- ✓ Put all toys and equipment away at the end of playtime
- ✓ Store things neatly
- ✓ Carry long objects so that they point downwards

### **Timetables**

There are children in every year group who enjoy playing on the trim track of basketball court. We have timetables so that there aren't too many children at any one time and so that children can enjoy the spaces with their friends and similar aged children. All children are expected to stick to the timetables and can ask any adult when it's their turn to avoid confusion.





## Food and drink



Children are taught that one way to keep ourselves safe is to fuel our bodies with healthy food and drink. Please provide your child with a health snack along with a water bottle each day. Alternatively, children in YR, Y1 and Y2 can have fruit in school. Information about playtime snacks can be found here: <a href="Naunton Park Primary School-Breaktime snacks">Naunton Park Primary School-Breaktime snacks</a>

### **Routines**

We explain to children that routines are here to keep everyone safe. When the bell or whistle sound, jn children are expected to stop and listen. We walk into and around school with our Naunton Park Pride; calmly, respectfully, quietly and responsibly so that everyone can hear instructions and no one gets hurt.

Together we can!