

# Qualsafe Awards

## Safeguarding Statement

At Qualsafe Awards, we believe every Learner and Trainer should be valued, safe and happy.

It is the responsibility of any Centre providing qualifications to children or vulnerable adults to have effective safeguarding procedures and implement them. Please note:

- Jobs that involve caring for, supervising or being in sole charge of children or vulnerable adults require an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check (previously called an enhanced CRB check)
- When qualifications are provided for an organisation such as a school, college or youth organisation, the safeguarding procedures for that organisation should be adhered to

We recommend the following simple precautions when delivering qualifications to children or vulnerable adults:

- Obtain parental permission prior to a child undertaking the qualification
- Another responsible adult should be present at all times – at least one responsible adult should hold an enhanced DBS check
- Under no circumstances should one-to-one training or assessing take place where the trainer/assessor is alone with a child or vulnerable adult

