## **Edward Peake Church of England School**



Topic: Safety Year: 7 NC Strand: Health

## What should I already know?

- Call for help if I need it/call 999
- Road safety
- To recognise my emotions

### What will I know by the end of the unit?

- How to express my emotions in a constructive way
- how to manage and maintain friendships
- How to improve my study skills
- How to identify my personal strengths and areas for development
- Personal safety
- How to respond in an emergency situation
- Basic first aid

Vocabulary	
Personal safety	In a good physical or mental condition because of what we do and eat
Strengths	Your strength is the physical energy that you have, which gives you the ability to perform various actions, such as lifting or moving things.
Development	Development is the gradual growth or formation of something.
Emergency	An emergency is an unexpected and difficult or dangerous situation, especially an accident, which happens suddenly and which requires quick action to deal with it.
First aid	First aid is simple medical treatment given as soon as possible to a person who is injured or who suddenly becomes ill.
Criminal Child Exploitation (CCE)	Criminal exploitation is child abuse where children and young people are manipulated and coerced into committing crimes.
Gangs	The word 'gang' means different things in different contexts, the government in their paper 'Safeguarding children and young people who may be affected by gang activity' distinguishes between peer groups, street gangs and organised criminal gangs.
Illegal	If something is illegal, the law says that it is not allowed.

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# What is criminal exploitation?

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#### Peer group

A relatively small and transient social grouping which may or may not describe themselves as a gang depending on the context.

#### Street gang

"Groups of young people who see themselves (and are seen by others) as a discernible group for whom crime and violence is integral to the group's identity."

#### Organised criminal gangs

"A group of individuals for whom involvement in crime is for personal gain (financial or otherwise). For most crime is their 'occupation."

# Signs of criminal exploitation

There are some signs to look out for if you're worried a child or young person has joined a gang, or is being criminally exploited. It might be hard to spot at first, but the sooner you're able to talk to the young person the more you'll be able to help them.

## First Aid



