



BASIC SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

Safeguarding means caring for children appropriately and protecting them from what is not in their best interests; as such it includes health and safety, child protection and pastoral care.

Connected to safeguarding is the phrase “Duty of Care”; there is a legal responsibility meaning that adults who work with children as professionals or volunteers have a duty to look after them; children depend on adults for their safety and well-being.

As part of our safeguarding policy, all Languages United employees including group leaders are required to provide evidence of basic level safeguarding training at the start of their employment and then to carry out refresher training annually. Homestay providers are strongly advised to complete the safeguarding training.

To complete the training visit this link using a desktop/laptop (not mobile phone):

[British Council Safeguarding](#)

There are different versions of the training for people in different roles. When you registered for a training account, choose the one relevant to the role in which you work/will work with children:

1. Language centre management
2. Teacher or academic management
3. Homestay host
4. Activity leader or group leader employed by the language centre
5. Reception, customer service or other language centre staff
6. Group leader, teacher or language travel organiser accompanying students to the UK

When you have successfully completed the training, please download and forward your certificate to personnel@languagesunited.co.uk.