

HEALTH AND SAFETY POLICY STATEMENT

1st August 2011 – 31st July 2012

It is the policy of Milton Keynes College, as far as is reasonably practicable:

- To ensure the provision and maintenance of safe and healthy working conditions, equipment and systems of work for all students, staff, contractors working on behalf of the College and other users of College facilities
- To carry out risk assessments as required and to put in place controls to eliminate or reduce the risk to an acceptable level
- To undertake risk assessments for students and staff with disabilities relating to their individual needs
- To provide such resources, information, training and supervision as are needed for these purposes
- To ensure the safe disposal of equipment and substances in compliance with the requirement of the local authority and current legislation.

Milton Keynes College accepts its responsibility for the health and safety of its students, staff, contractors working on behalf of the College, other users of College facilities and any others who may be affected by its activities.

To this end, Milton Keynes College will comply fully with the requirements of the Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 and all other relevant statutory provisions and recognised codes of practice.

The Principal and Chief Executive expects students, staff, contractors and other users of College facilities to co-operate fully in the achievement of this policy.

The allocation of responsibilities for health and safety matters and the particular arrangements made to the policy are set out in the accompanying procedures and guidance, which are available to all staff on the College Intranet.

Signed



Date

17.8.11

Principal and Chief Executive

Signed



Date

17.08.11.

Chair of Governors