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Operation Encompass Safeguarding Statement

OUR KEY ADULTS ARE: Steve Smith (headteacher) and Jo Somogy (lead learning mentor)

Our school is part of Operation Encompass. This is a police and education early intervention safeguarding partnership which supports children and young people who experience Domestic Abuse.

Operation Encompass means that the police will share information about Domestic Abuse incidents with our school soon after they have been called to a domestic incident.

All Key Adults (Designated Safeguarding Lead/Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead) have attended Operation Encompass national online training.

Our parents are fully aware that we are an Operation Encompass school. The Operation Encompass information is stored in line with all other confidential safeguarding and child protection information.

The Key Adults has also led briefings for all school staff and Governors about Operation Encompass, the prevalence of Domestic Abuse and the impact of this abuse on children. We have also discussed how we can support our children following the Operation Encompass notification.