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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Operation Encompass**

The academy takes part in a jointly run operation between Norfolk County Council and Norfolk Police, it is called Operation Encompass. Encompass has been set-up to help schools to provide support to children who have been present at incidents of domestic abuse & violence. We know that children can be significantly physically or emotionally harmed when they are involved in, present or witness to domestic abuse.

The school will receive confidential communication from Norfolk Children's Advice and Duty Service as soon as possible after any domestic incident which Norfolk Police have recorded where a child at their school has been involved in, present or witness to domestic abuse.

The school has designated Ms Ogden, Ms Sweeney and Mr Singh as 'Key Adults'. These members of staff will use the information that has been shared with us, to make sure that the right support is available for children and their families who have been involved in or witnessed a domestic abuse incident.

We are keen to offer the best support possible to our students and we believe this is going to be extremely beneficial for all those involved.

If you have any concerns or questions, then please contact one of the above 'Key Adults' or myself and we will be happy to discuss this further. More information about the project can be found on our website and is available from via Email: <a href="mailto:tnh-office@attrust.org.uk">tnh-office@attrust.org.uk</a> on request.

Yours faithfully

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Mr Woodhouse **Principal** 



