



St. Mary's C.E. Primary School
Broomfield Drive
South Reddish
Stockport SK5 7DR

Tel: 0161 480 4736
Fax: 0161 476 5542

Headteacher: Mrs E. Irvin
email: headteacher@st-marys-reddish.stockport.sch.uk

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Safe Guarding and Operation Encompass

Our school is an Operation Encompass School and we work in partnership with Greater Manchester Safeguarding Board and Greater Manchester Police. Operation Encompass provides early reporting to schools, of any domestic abuse incidents that have occur outside of school but which might have an impact on a child attending school the following day. The information is shared on school days during the school term. When incidents occur on a Friday, Saturday or a Sunday, the police contact us the following Monday.

A nominated member of school staff, known as a Key Adult, has been trained to liaise with the police. At St Mary's CE Primary School, our Key Adult is Mrs E Irvin who will then be able to support children and their families. Information is shared via Operation Encompass where it has been identified that a child or young person was present, witnessed or was involved in a domestic abuse incident. We always endeavour to offer the best support possible to our pupils and believe that Operation Encompass is going to be beneficial and supportive for all concerned children and families. Some information about Encompass is included in this letter but if you would like more information, details can be viewed online at <https://www.operationencompass.org> or you can contact Mrs Irvin, our Key Adult at school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs E. Irvin
Headteacher

Mrs Y. Guariento
Chair of Governors