

St. John's CE Primary School

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Dear Parents & Carers,

St John's school has been given the opportunity to take part in a project that will run jointly between schools and Dorset Police.

Operation Encompass is the reporting of police attended domestic abuse incidents to schools, prior to the start of the next school day, where there are children in the home.

Amanda Aze, Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) and Heidi Martin, Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL) are known as Key Adults and have completed Operation Encompass training, which allows them to liaise with the police and to use the information that has been shared in confidence, while ensuring that the school is able to make provision for possible difficulties experienced by children, or their families, who have experienced a domestic abuse incident.

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

Yours sincerely

Mrs Amanda Aze Headteacher



