

19th October 2017

Dear Parent / Carer,

Our school has been given the opportunity to take part in a project that will run jointly between schools and Devon and Cornwall police.

Operation Encompass is the reporting to schools, prior to the start of the next school day, when a child or young person has been exposed to, or involved in, any domestic incident.

Operation Encompass will ensure that a member of the school staff, known as a Key Adult, is trained to allow 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 been involved in, or exposed to, a domestic abuse incident. At Alverton, our Key Adults are Mr Higgs and Mrs Wicks.

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,

Martin Higgs
Headteacher

Operation Encompass

Supporting children through key adults

In every force, in every school, for every child.

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Devon & Cornwall Police