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Dear Parents/Carer,

I hope this letter finds you all safe and well. I wanted to make you aware that our school works in partnership with West Midlands Police, on a project by the name of Operation Encompass. This project involves the reporting to schools when a child or young person has been exposed or involved in any Domestic Violence incidents.

As you are aware, we aim to give your child the best start to education. This includes ensuring they are confident, happy individuals. We take pride in their on-going positive development and we have a duty to support your child within any sensitive issues that may arise.

If an incident occurs, a named Police Officer will share information in confidence with the Designated Safeguarding Lead or Designated Deputy Safeguarding Lead. We advocate supporting children and families at Woodthorne Primary School. Our School will offer you a listening ear, support and advice as a whole family approach. This service will be treated highly confidentially.

We are keen to work in partnership with the Police and feel this will be extremely beneficial for all those involved.

If you have any questions about how the process works, then please feel free to contact me.

Yours faithfully,

T Hinkley Headteacher



