





<u>High Bank Junior Infant & Nursery School</u>

Operation Encompass Safeguarding Statement

The Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) at High Bank JIN School is **Mrs Kathryn Chubb.** Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads (DDSL) are **Mrs Cathryn Reynolds-Browne** & **Mrs Vicki Meek**.

High Bank JIN is an Operation Encompass school. Operation Encompass is an early intervention Safeguarding partnership between the Police and Education. It supports children and young people who experience Domestic Abuse.

Operation Encompass means that the Education Safeguarding service will share information about Domestic Abuse incidents with our school, **PRIOR** to the start of the next school. This will be when a pupil who attends High Bank, has been present, or is recorded as living at an address where an incident of domestic abuse has been reported and the police have attended.

Once this information has been shared with the DSL/DDSL, a discussion will take place around how best to support individual pupils.

Operation Encompass information is stored in line with all other confidential safeguarding and child protection information.

Our parents are fully aware that we are an **OPERATION ENCOMPASS** school.

The DSL has led Operation Encompass training for all school staff and Governors, this training included looking at the impact of Domestic Abuse on children.

Our Safeguarding Governor will report termly to Governors on Operation Encompass. All information is anonymised for these reports.

