

Denefield School Welfare Directory 2024

Here is a directory of school support, local and national support that may be use both in term and holiday time. Please note that Denefield email accounts are generally not monitored over weekends or school holidays and urgent support should be sought from one of the other agencies below.

Concern	Relevant contact or link
I am concerned about my child	<p>Please contact your child’s tutor, Head of House or Deputy Head of House via phone or email. Details are on the school website: Denefield School - Pastoral System</p> <p>If for any reason you do not get a response, then please contact a member of the school Senior Leadership Team. All Senior Leadership Team emails are on our website.</p>
I am concerned that my child has special needs and is not coping well	<p>Contact Mr Burrows or Miss Molyneux for advice and guidance cbs@denefield.org.uk or kmx@denefield.org.uk</p>
<p>I have a safeguarding concern regarding my own child or another student at Denefield School</p> <p>This could include cyberbullying, sexting or concerns about abuse or neglect</p>	<p>Contact our designated safeguarding leads:</p> <p>Mrs Williams: aws@denefield.org.uk</p> <p>Mrs Hill: thl@denefield.org.uk</p> <p>Mrs Holley: hol@denefield.org.uk</p> <p>Mr Towill: headteacher@denefield.org.uk</p> <p>Or our <i>listening</i> email listening@denefield.org.uk</p> <p>You can also contact any member of the Senior Leadership Team leadership team emails are on our website.</p> <p>Berkshire West Safeguarding Children Partnership</p> <p>The Berkshire West Safeguarding Children Partnership website has a dedicated page to provide information and advice for our children, parents/carers and practitioners covering a wide range of subjects, including domestic abuse, emotional health, financial help, coping strategies for new parents, home schooling, keeping children safe on-line, etc. Berkshire West Safeguarding Children Partnership - scp</p>

<p>I have a safeguarding or child protection concern regarding a young person not at Denefield School</p>	<p>If you're worried about a child, even if you're unsure, contact the NSPCC helpline to speak to one of their counsellors. Call the NSPCC on 0808 800 5000, or email help@nspcc.org.uk. You can also report via the Berkshire West Safeguarding Children Partnership, as above.</p> <p>Or visit the NSPCC website</p>
<p>I have concerns about the mental health of my child or someone in my family.</p>	<p>Our website contains information and signposting for a variety of issues around mental health and wellbeing: Denefield School - Student Wellbeing</p> <p>Here is a link to a very useful range of support numbers for a vast range of mental health concerns: https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/stress-anxiety-depression/mental-health-helplines/</p> <p>CAMHS CAMHS have also launched support on their website, providing a range of resources, apps and books to help. These can be found at here.</p> <p>School Nurse We offer the School Nursing Duty line during school term times, where you can seek advice and support on health issues such as bedwetting, toilet training, behaviour and sleeping. They endeavour to answer all responses within one working day. The local telephone number is 0300 365 0010, website School Nursing Children Young People and Families Online Resource (berkshirehealthcare.nhs.uk)</p> <p>EHA- Emotional Health Academy EHA workers will offer a listening ear and provide signposting and self-help support for young people with mild to moderate mental health concerns. The helpline will not replace existing referral routes for EHT and EHA and appropriate referral forms for these services will still need to be completed. Emotional Health Academy (EHA) and Emotional Health Triage (EHT) West Berkshire Directory</p>
<p>My child or family have been affected by a death or a bereavement</p>	<p>Organisations offering bereavement support and advice include the following:</p> <p>For children and young people:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daisy's Dream • Seesaw (Oxfordshire Bereavement Charity) • Child Bereavement UK 0800 028 8840