Educational Psychologist and the Autism team will come into school to provide support and guidance for staff and parents

The school nurse and health visitors offer advice and support to parents/carers.

There are positive links with the local community police and the local community housing trust – BDHT.

The Forge school will use every intervention possible to prevent further disruption to the students learning through The Forge pathway programme’s. This may include a setting more suited to their needs. These decisions are made directly with the county council.

Students may be suited to an alternative provision to receive further support alongside schooling. Alternative provisions The Forge work alongside include Longlands and Gloverpiece and many others. Pathways staff work with students attending these provisions.

CAMHS can support children who are in need of support for mental health needs. CAMHSCAST workers provide outreach support to schools and parents/carers.

**Pathways**

**Support for Children, Parents and Carers**

**Senior leadership team:**

Executive Head teacher - Jay Hart

Deputy Head teacher – Daniel Smith

DSL – Nicola Smith

Head of Attendance and Inclusion -Angela Hirons

Head of Pupil Experience Pathways – Caroline Northway

Senco – Rachel Jordan

**Safeguarding Team:**

Nicola Smith DSL

Jay Hart

Angela Hirons

Caroline Northway

Claire Hurley

Vikki Shew

**Family Support**

Angela Hirons

**Attendance Officer:**

Claire Hurley

To contact any of the above please call – 01527 502486

Early Help Offer

**School Provision**

**Outside Agencies**

TFS – Targeted Family Support will work directly with families who request additional support for more complex needs.

Family support

We offer a range of support for families.

Boundaries, Debt, housing, transport issues, attendance, understanding diagnosis, form filling, paperwork. Bereavement and Domestic abuse.

Do you just need someone to talk to?

Let us help.

We have additional interventions and individualised mentoring sessions.

Our school environment and engaging curriculum provides the children with many enrichment opportunities.

Staff have had training in attachment and the impact of trauma which helps them to support the most vulnerable children.

Staffing structure that promotes support for all pupils and their families. There is an ‘open door’ approach for parents/carers to ask for help when they need it.

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| **West Mercia Police** |
| 101 (non-emergency) 999 (emergency) |

**For additional support**

**Please see useful numbers below**

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| **Sexual Assault Referral Centre (The Glade)** |
| 01886 833 555 (18+) 0800 953 4133 (0-18) (West Midlands Paediatric Services) 0808 178 2058 (24hr self-referral number) www.theglade.org.uk |
| The glade in Worcestershire offers a free and confidential services to men, women and children who have been victims of rape or sexual assault, accessed via a police or self-referral. Where appropriate clients will be offereda forensic medical examination to gather evidence, advice about pregnancy and sexual health, medication where appropriate, referrals for ongoing and long term support and/or to the client’s GP and counselling. |

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| **Worcestershire Domestic Abuse Service (DAS) and 24 hour helpline** |
| 0800 980 333 www.westmerciawomensaid.org |
| The service delivers free, confidential advice and support to female and male survivors, young people and children. It is the single point of access to services. You can call if you need a listening ear, advice, access to refuge accommodation, support, advocacy, outreach support or someone to talk to. |

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| **Family Front Door** |
| 01905 846 000 (mon-fri, 08:30-17:00) 01905 768 020 (out of hours-emergency) |
| If you are worried that a child is suffering, or is likely to suffer, significant harm and needs immediate protection, call the Family Front Door. |

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| **National Centre for Domestic Violence (NCDV)** |
| 0800 970 2070 |
| Provides a free, fast emergency injunction service to survivors of domestic violence regardless of their financial circumstances, race, gender or sexual orientation. |

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| **Worcestershire Rape and Sexual Abuse Support Centre (WRSASC)** |
| **01905 724 514** <https://www.wmrsasc.org.uk/> isva@wmrsasc.org.uk |
| WRSASC is a free, confidential and non-judgemental service for men, women and children (over 5 & over) who have experienced any form of sexual attack, whether physical, verbal or emotional. Our services include telephone support for survivors and their family or friends via our telephone helpline and face to face counselling support and ISVAs for clients aged 5 years and over. |

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| **Childline** |
| 0800 555 111 www.childline.org.uk |
| Childline is the UK’s free, totally confidential helpline dedicated to helping children and young people. |

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| **National Rape Crisis Helpline** |
| 0808 802 9999 (free phone) |

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| **National Stalking Helpline** |
| 0808 802 030 www.stalkinghelpline.org |
| The helpline provides guidance and information to anybody who is currently or has previously been affected by harassment or stalking. The Helpline can provide guidance on the UK law, reporting offences to the police, evidence gathering, and your personal safety. |

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| **Victim Support (local) Victim Assessment & Referral Centre** |
| 01905 726 896 (local) 0808 168 9111 (national) www.victimsupport.org.uk |
| We are an independent charity offering free, confidential support to people affected by crime and traumatic incidents. Our services are confidential, free and available to everyone. Victims are usually put in touch with us by the police but you can also contact us directly. |

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| **Karma Nirvana** |
| 0800 5999 24 www.karmanirvana.org.uk |
| Providing support and advise around Forced Marriage, Honour based violence and female genital mutilation. Cultural acceptance does not mean accepting the unacceptable. One of our key principles is that we never talk to or engage with your family. Our commitment ad loyalty is to you and as we understand the fears when family members become involved. |

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| **National Rape Crisis Helpline** |
| 0300 999 5428 help@galop.org.uk |
| Support for lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender people experiencing domestic abuse |

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| **Men’s Advice Line** |
| 0808 801 0327 www.mensadviceline.org.uk |
| Confidential helpline for men experiencing domestic abuse. |

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| **Domestic Violence Disclosure Scheme (Claire’s Law)** |
| This scheme aims to provide a formal mechanism for you to make inquiries about your partner if you are worried that they may have been abusive in the past, or about someone else’s partner on their behalf. If police checks show that the partner has had a record of abusive behaviour, or there is other information to indicate that you may be at risk from your partner, the police will consider sharing this information with you or the person you were worried about. The scheme aims to help you to make a more informed decision on whether to continue a relationship and provides further help and support to assist you when making that choice. |

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| **Paladin (National Stalking Advocacy Service)** |
| 020 3866 4107 www.paladinservices.co.uk |
| Paladin assists high risk victims of stalking throughout England and Wales. |