



# Moorside High School

*Enriching Lives, Inspiring Ambitions*

January 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

At Moorside High School and Consilium Academies trust, safeguarding our students and staff is of paramount importance. A large part of our safeguarding efforts is ensuring that our students, staff and community are prepared to respond to emergency situations.

In school our students are familiar with emergency procedures such as fire drills, which happen at planned intervals throughout the Academic year. These drills ensure that students, staff and visitors are clear on their responsibilities to keep themselves and others safe and reduce the anxieties around such events should they occur.

Moorside High School and Consilium Academy trust continue to respond to any possible risk regardless of the likelihood of this occurring.

As part of this work Moorside High School, alongside Consilium Academies have identified that there is a need for an emergency lockdown drill to prepare students and staff to be aware of their roles and responsibilities. Moorside High School and Consilium Academies Trust are not aware of any increased risk locally or nationally at this time.

This drill will occur during the week commencing 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023.

Students will be supported throughout the drill by staff. Parents will be notified when the drill is occurring and after the drill is completed through the High Schools communication systems.

If you have any questions or queries regarding the planned drill these should be directed to [MHSinfo@consilium-at.com](mailto:MHSinfo@consilium-at.com)

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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