

## Privacy Notice

for

pupils in secondary schools

### Privacy Notice - Data Protection Act 1998

We **Perryfields High School** are a data controller for the purposes of the Data Protection Act. We collect personal information from you and may receive information about you from your previous school and the Learning Records Service. We hold this personal data and use it to:

- support your learning;
- monitor and report on your progress;
- provide appropriate pastoral care; and
- assess how well we are doing.

Information about you that we hold includes your contact details, national curriculum assessment results, attendance information and personal characteristics such as your ethnic group, any special educational needs and relevant medical information. If you are enrolling for post 14 qualifications the Learning Records Service will give us your unique learner number (ULN) and may also give us details about your learning and qualifications.

### In addition for secondary aged pupils

Once you are aged 13 or over, we are required by law to pass on certain information to providers of youth support services in your area. This is the local authority support service for young people aged 13 to 19 in England. We must provide the names and addresses of you and your parent(s) and any further information relevant to the support services role.

However, if you are 16, you (or your parent(s)) can ask that no information beyond names, addresses and your date of birth be passed to the support services. This right transfers to you on your 16th birthday. Please tell **Mrs C Price** if you wish to opt out of this arrangement. For more information about young people's services go to the National Careers Service page at <https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/aboutus/pages/default.aspx>

Section 72 of the Education and Skills Act 2008 requires all schools to provide relevant information about pupils to local authority that helps to identify those at risk of ending up not in education, employment or training (NEET) post 16.

## Triple S

“The results of physical tests for individual children, e.g. a test of a child’s balance, carried out as part of the Triple S program may be passed to the local authority. Pupils are able to opt out of both the physical tests and the recording of height and weight as part of the Triple S program. These results may be matched to other data held by the Local authority on these children and used for the production of school and group level statistics. It will not be possible to identify individual pupils from the statistics.”

**We will not give information about you to anyone outside the school without your consent unless the law and our policies allow us to.**

We are required by law to pass some information about you to our local authority and the Department for Education (DfE).

If you want to see a copy of the information about you that we hold or share, please contact **Mrs C Price**

If you require more information about how the local authority (LA) and DfE store and use your information, then please go to the following websites:

[Sandwell Council website - Privacy Notice](#)

[What the Department does with pupils’ and children’s data](#)

(Department for Education > Data, research and statistics > Data transfers and management)

If you are unable to access these websites we can send you a copy of this information. Please contact the LA or DfE as follows:

- Data Protection Officer  
Sandwell Council House  
PO Box 16230  
Oldbury  
West Midlands  
B69 9EX
- Public Communications Unit  
Department for Education  
Sanctuary Buildings  
Great Smith Street  
London  
SW1P 3BT

Website: [www.education.gov.uk](http://www.education.gov.uk)

Contact: <http://www.education.gov.uk/help/contactus>

Telephone: 0370 000 2288