



COMPASS
ACADEMY

Re: Vaping in school

Friday 16th January, 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

Further to a review of school policies and procedures, I would like to inform you that as a school, we will be adopting a **strict policy** on the monitoring of smoking and vaping in school to ensure that we are a smoke and vape free environment.

This action will be enforced from: **Monday 19th January, 2026** and applies to all activities within the school and close school boundary. This policy will be applied to all pupils, visitors and staff.

As parents/carers and professionals within a school environment, it is important that this procedure is adhered to, this is to ensure that as a community we protect children from the potential harm associated with smoking and vaping and role model expectations in line with school procedures and health advice.

In the event that you would like to seek further guidance or support in stopping smoking or vaping, support can be made available for you in school. Alternatively, advice can be sought from your GP or online via the below link:

<https://www.nhs.uk/better-health/quit-smoking/ready-to-quit-smoking/vaping-to-quit-smoking/>.

If you require any further information in relation to the above information, please do hesitate in making contact with the school.

Kind regards,



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