



**Sandye Place Academy**  
*Achievement Through Partnership*

28<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Dear parents/carers

Further to our earlier text advising you that the Academy had received no threat, this related to Sandy Upper School receiving a threat and evacuating their school. Police have advised that these threats have been received by a number of schools across the country, including a number in Bedfordshire. I would like to reiterate that there has been no threat received by Sandye Place Academy.

We have been advised that Bedfordshire Police has taken guidance from the National Crime Agency who believe these emails to be malicious and not a credible threat. Schools have been advised to run business as usual, which is what we have endeavoured to do all day.

At the end of our school day, pupils will leave as they usually would, but we want to ensure your peace of mind, so there will be a heavy staff presence around the front of the school, at the gate and in Sandy Town Centre. We are anxious to ensure your children's safety and would ask you not to drive up Park Road as the Academy gates are closed to reassure you.

Please be assured that your child/ren's safety is paramount and we will never take any risks, and again I would like to assure you that we have received no threat of any nature.

Yours faithfully

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