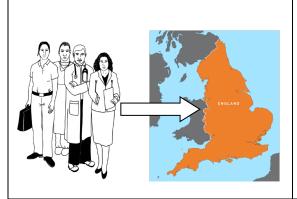
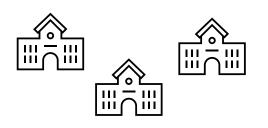


## SAFE (Support, Attend, Fulfil, Exceed) Taskforces programme Pupil Information Sheet Can we use your details to get more information?

A study to look at interventions to help improve pupils' socio-emotional regulation and wellbeing, school attendance, behaviour within the school and local area, and ways to help reduce their vulnerability to serious violence



At the moment, ten areas across England are getting money from the Department for Education to deliver interventions in schools as part of the SAFE Taskforces programme.





To see how the programme is working, the Youth Endowment Fund (a charity whose mission is to help all children and young people thrive) has asked three research institutions to work together to do some research. These are: RAND Europe, FFT Education Datalab and the University of Westminster.

This will help show if the interventions that are being delivered in schools as part of the SAFE Taskforces programme are indeed helping pupils.



To get the information, your local SAFE Taskforce needs to give RAND Europe and its research partners basic information about you.



The personal details about you that might be used are:

- Your name
- Your date of birth
- Your unique pupil number (UPN)
- Your postcode
- Any intervention(s) you have been referred to and / or attended.



If you agree, your school will send these details to your local SAFE Taskforce, who will then share these with RAND Europe.

RAND Europe will then send it to some government organisations, who will use it to find more information about you. The government organisations will send the new information they find back to RAND Europe and its research partners.

This extra information will not include your name or other personal details.

This makes it much harder to know who the information is about.

The government organisations who might be asked to give new information back are:

- The Department for Education
- The Ministry of Justice
- NHS Digital



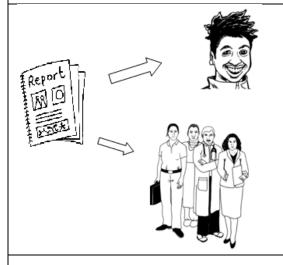
The information that RAND Europe and its research partners get will be kept safe and will be protected by a password.

When it is shared, it will be done in a safe way via a secure website.

The information about you will be kept until one year after the study finishes, at the most.



Your information will only be seen by a few people who work on this project and they will not know who the information is about.



Your information will help with our study.

The findings may not help or change your situation at the moment but we hope that it will help other pupils in the future.



The things the study finds out will be put into a report that people will be able to read.

Your name and personal details will not be included in the report.

The report will be on the internet and maybe in other reports or books.

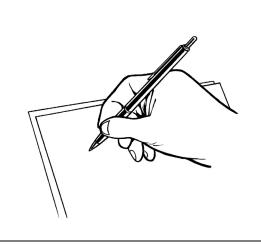


You do not have to agree to participate in the study.

If you do **not** want your information to be included in this study, you can speak to the person who gave you this form, who will ask you to complete a 'Withdrawal Form'.

Withdrawing from the data collection will have no negative consequences to you. You will still be able to participate in the interventions delivered as part of the SAFE Taskforces programme even if your data is not used in the research.





If you have any questions about the form or you are worried about the study, you can ask the person who gave it to you for help.

You can also email Lydia Lymperis at <a href="mailto:safeevaluation@randeurope.org">safeevaluation@randeurope.org</a> or phone her on 01223 353 329, explaining that this is about "SAFE". She does the research.