Host Family Privacy Notice

We understand your privacy is of upmost importance. The host family Privacy Notice is overarched by the Varndean Data Protection Policy. https://varndean.ac.uk/privacy

Information collected

Information is collected from Host Families as part of the application to host with us, and also as part of our ongoing communications together. We only collect what is essential to deliver the hosting service effectively for you and for your student.

What we do with the information gathered

It is stored for as long as needed while you are a host family with us, on the secure Varndean College electronic systems and internal databases.

Photos taken of the home during the host visit do not include the photos of people, are taken with a college phone, downloaded onto the college system and deleted from the phone.

Any personal host family information sent to the student and their agent, is cleared with the host family first.

We will never pass on or sell your data to any third party.

Security

The college runs high-end monitoring and safeguarding encrypted services to protect all information stored, alongside suitable physical and managerial processes to safeguard and secure the information we collect.

Your Rights

You may request details of all personal information which we hold for you. If requested, we will destroy all personal information. Please contact the International Students Manager on international@varndean.ac.uk