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Dear Parent or Guardian:

Today is the official launch of the “**Safe 2 Say Something**” anonymous reporting system. This system affords any individual the ability to anonymously report concerns about an intended, threat or ideation of suicide, bullying or cyberbullying, drug use or abuse, violence, weapons, physical/sexual/emotional abuse, harassment, or any other trauma or at-risk behavior. Safe 2 Say Something (S2SS) is a 2018-Act 44 state mandated program. [The implementation and use of S2SS is required in all secondary schools across Pennsylvania. In accordance with Act 44, all Cambridge Springs High School students will receive training. This letter is informational only for Cambridge Springs Elementary School parents.](#)

#### How S2SS works:

- Step 1 - An individual reports a tip
- Step 2 - The call center triages the tip and notifies police and school administration
- Step 3 - The police and/or school administration intervene

#### How to report a tip:

- Call the tipline           1-844-SAF2SAY
- Use the Website       [www.safe2saypa.org](http://www.safe2saypa.org)
- Use the mobile app available for Apple and Android devices

#### More Information:

This program is provided by Sandy Hook Promise, a nationwide non-profit organization. S2SS is an age-appropriate, research-based program that has been implemented in thousands of secondary schools across the country. Sandy Hook Promise has funding to provide and sustain the program at no cost to PENNCREST.

The Board of School Directors, Faculty, Staff and Administration are committed to creating and sustaining a comprehensive, coordinated effort to improve the overall safety and well-being of our students, staff and visitors. The S2SS anonymous reporting system is one component to our overall Emergency Operations Procedures.

Additional information and resources have been posted on the PENNCREST [website](#).

**Please contact Jennifer Stevens, building principal @ [jstevens@penncrest.org](mailto:jstevens@penncrest.org) with additional questions.**