



Wren's Nest Primary School Prevent Risk Assessment - 2023-2024

Under the Prevent Duty, all specified bodies, including schools, colleges and universities are required, in the exercise of their functions, to have 'due regard for the need to prevent people being drawn into terrorism'. The legislation sets out that schools must assess the risk of children being drawn into terrorism, and that this assessment should be based on 'an understanding, shared with partners, of the potential risk in the local area'. It will be necessary for schools to develop an action plan outlining how identified risks will be addressed. This Prevent Action Plan Template has been developed to assist schools in doing so by providing some suggested risk areas and proposed actions.



This document contains sensitive information that will help you identify and manage the potential risk and threat to extremism that could exist within your locality.

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Assessment information:		
Assessment conducted by: Mrs H Smith	Job title: DSL	
Date of assessment: September 2023	Review interval: Annually	Date of next review: September 2024
Related documents		
Acceptable Internet Use Policy, Anti-bullying Policy, Behaviour and Discipline Policy, Child Protection and Safeguarding, E-safety Policy, Lockdown Procedures, Prevent Strategy, SEND Policy, Whistleblowing Policy		
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Risk Assessment				
Potential risks	What this means	Proposed actions	Staff responsible	Planned Completion date
Assess the risk of being drawn into terrorism	Staff can demonstrate a general understanding of the risks affecting children and young children.	Regular safeguarding training and updates to be carried out by all staff.	DSL – HS and all staff	Sept 23
	Staff can identify individual children who may be at risk of radicalisation and how to support them.	Regular safeguarding meetings with the team to discuss potential children who are vulnerable and at risk. Support from local Policing team and the LA	Safeguarding team and specific adults who work with identified children	Ongoing
	There is a clear procedure in place for protecting children at risk of radicalisation.	Staff to complete Prevent training every 2 years. Mark Wilson (Prevent Lead) to attend school to conduct training to all staff.	All staff	November 2022 – review Nov 2024
	The school has identified a prevent leader	Amber Harris to support, and there is a large Safeguarding Team within Wren's Nest Primary School (1 DSL and 5 DDSL's)	Safeguarding Team	Sept 23
Prohibit extremist speakers in the school	The school exercises due diligence in relation to requests from external speakers and organisations using the school's premises.	School premises are not used for any other purposes.	N/A	N/A

Working in partnership	Staff record and report concerns on secure safeguarding systems such as CPOMs in line with existing policy and procedures.	Staff are made aware of the Schools Safeguarding documentation in Safeguarding Training (4/9/23)	All staff	Ongoing
	Appropriate referrals are made to other agencies including the Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) and the Channel Panel.	DSL and DDSL's make appropriate referrals to agencies including Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH)	Safeguarding Team	ongoing
	DMBC Prevent SPOC organises training or train staff, sharing specialist knowledge of the local area and risk in the community. This is delivered through the visit of DMBC Prevent Lead (Mark Wilson) and carried out in school. It is mandatory that all staff attend DSLs liaise with DMBC Prevent SPOC and CTU West Midlands Police.	DMBC Prevent Lead visits school to deliver training to all staff and gives specialist knowledge of risks to the local area and community. This is delivered to all staff after school. It is mandatory that everyone attends	All staff	This is delivered every 2 years. Next date of training Nov 2024
IT - to ensure that children are safe from terrorist and extremist material when accessing the internet in school	Internet filters are in place and internet usage is monitored by Smoothwall who send alerts if anything worrying is searched or typed into the computer.	School uses 'Smoothwall' as the filtering and monitoring system which is used as part of our Safeguarding practice in school. Smoothwall notifies the Safeguarding Team instantly via email of inappropriate content/words used on websites or computer systems in school. This is then responded to immediately.	All staff and Safeguarding Team	ongoing
Building children's resilience to radicalisation by ensuring children have a safe environment in which to discuss controversial issues	Pupils develop knowledge, skills and understanding to prepare them to play a full and active part in society.	During PSHE sessions and focused assemblies children are taught how to keep themselves and others' safe in different situations. An environment and ethos is created so children feel comfortable to talk about a range of issues they may be facing.	All staff and Safeguarding Team	ongoing

		LM Team also support children in discussing and processing controversial issues they may be facing.		
We act on knowledge of our local area and liaise regularly with DMBC Prevent SPOC and CTU West Midlands Police	<p>Staff are aware of risks within Dudley and local areas.</p> <p>Currently these are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Groups with anti-British Values who believe in white supremacism and white nationalism. • Groups who are anti-immigration • Extremism is still the greatest global threat linked to ISIS and Al Qaeda • Right Wing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • During training sessions staff are made aware of the risks and groups within the local area. • School has a good relationship with local Policing Team who update the Safeguarding Team with relevant updates. 	All staff	November 2022 ongoing

NOTE

New staff who join in between training or staff who are absent for training; DSL will carry out training with staff