

Prevent Policy

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From Wednesday 1st July 2015 The Prevent duty became law. All schools and registered early years and childcare providers must be aware of the need to prevent people being drawn into terrorism.

The government has defined extremism in the Prevent strategy as: 'vocal or active opposition to fundamental British Values, including democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect and tolerance of different faiths and beliefs.'

As a childminder I will:

- Assess the risk to children being drawn in to terrorism.
- Protect children and young people from being drawn into terrorism by having strict safeguarding policies.
- Ensure my safeguarding arrangements take into account the policies and procedures of the local safeguarding children board.
- Make sure I have training that gives me the knowledge and confidence to identify children at risk of being drawn into terrorism and to challenge extremist ideas which can lead to terrorism.
- I will ensure children are safe from terrorist and extremist material when accessing the internet.

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