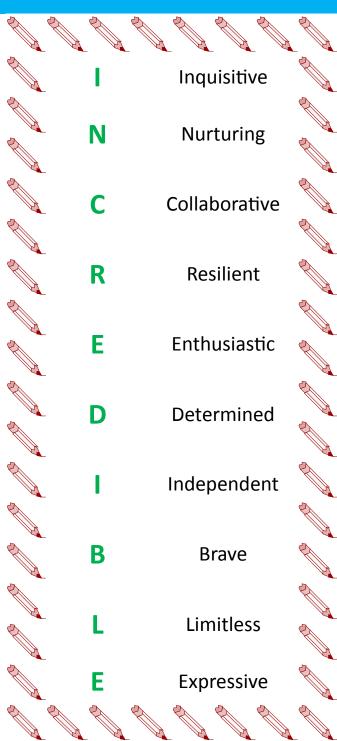
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If you have any further queries please contact the school/centre.



Where to go for more information

Contact the school/children's centre

If you have any questions or concerns about the Prevent strategy and what it means for your child, please do contact the school or see our policies on the website/ask for them at the office.

External sources

The following sources may also be useful for further information: Prevent duty guidance: for England and Wales, HM Government

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/ uploads/attachment_data/file/417943/ Prevent_Duty_Guidance_England_Wales.pdf



The Prevent Strategy



A guide for Parents and Carers



The Broadwaters' Children's Centre and Willow Primary School



Extremism - vocal or active opposition to fundamental British values such as democracy, the rule of law and tolerance of different faiths and beliefs

Ideology – a set of beliefs. Terrorism – a violent action against people or property, designed to create fear and advance a political, religious or ideological cause

Radicalisation – the process by which a person comes to support extremism and terrorism

Introduction

The Willow Primary school/Broadwaters' Children's Centre is committed to ensuring that members of the Broadwater's community are treated with tolerance and respect as part of its inclusive ethos.

What is the Prevent strategy?

Prevent is a government strategy designed to stop people becoming terrorists or supporting terrorist or extremist causes. The Prevent strategy covers all types of terrorism and extremism, including the extreme right wing, religious extremists and other causes.

How does the Prevent strategy apply to The Willow/Broadwaters' Children's Centre?

From July 2015 all schools (as well as other organisations) have a duty to safeguard children from radicalisation and extremism.

This means we have a responsibility to protect children from extremist and violent views in the same way we protect them from drugs or gang violence. Importantly, we can provide a safe place for pupils to discuss these issues so they better understand how to protect themselves.



What does this mean in practice?

Many of the things we already do to help children become positive, happy members of society also contribute to the Prevent strategy.

These include:

- Exploring other cultures and religions and promoting diversity
- Challenging prejudices and racist comments
- Developing critical thinking skills and a strong positive self-identity
- Promoting the spiritual, moral, social and Cultural development of pupils, as well as British values.

We will also protect children from the risk of radicalisation, for example by using filters on the internet to make sure they can't access extremist and terrorist material, or by vetting visitors who come onto the premises to work with pupils.





Frequently Asked Questions

How does Prevent relate to British values?

Schools have been required to promote British values since 2014, and this will continue to be part of the response to the Prevent strategy.

British values include:

- Democracy
- The rule of law
- Individual liberty and mutual respect
- Tolerance of different faiths and beliefs

<u>Isn't my child too young to learn about</u> <u>extremism?</u>

The Prevent strategy is not just about discussing extremism itself. It is also about teaching children values such as tolerance and mutual respect. We will ensure any discussions are suitable for the age and maturity of the children involved.