



St Anthony's Catholic Primary School

A Voluntary Academy



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PREVENT DUTY RISK ASSESSMENT AND ACTIONS

Protecting children from the risk of radicalisation and extremism, is seen as part of St Anthony's Catholic Primary School wider safeguarding duties.

Radicalisation refers to the process by which a person comes to support terrorism and forms of extremism.

All schools are subject to a duty under section 26 of the Counter-Terrorism and Security Act 2015 to have "due regard" to the need to prevent people from being drawn into terrorism.

To ensure that the risk of children being drawn into radicalisation is assessed and reduced as a result the following actions have been taken:

- Staff have read Keeping Children Safe in Education September 2016
- Staff demonstrate a general understanding of the risks exposed to children and young people and how this can affect them.
- Staff are aware of signs that may indicate a pupil is at risk of radicalisation such as disclosures either in or out of school and/or viewing of materials online outside of school.
- Staff will challenge any prejudice, discriminatory or extremist views and it will be dealt with in line with our Behaviour Policy.
- Staff have read the updated Safeguarding School Policy (August 2017) which includes information regarding the School's Prevent Duty, E-Safety Policy, Acceptable Use Policy and Anti-Bullying Policy.
- Staff have undertaken online training in the Prevent Duty.
- Staff understand how to record and report concerns regarding risk of radicalisation. This is in line with existing policies and procedures around reporting concerns.
- School exercises due diligence in relation to requests from external speakers and organisations using school premises.
- School works in partnership with other agencies including the Local Authority Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) to share any concerns.
- School regularly review their IT Policy to ensure that IT use across the school is safe.
- School actively builds students resilience to radicalisation through the curriculum and whole school ethos which promotes British Values.
- School seeks to have effective engagement with parents and families in order to work in partnership to protect our children and young people.