

Mountjoy School

Risk Assessment for Extremism and Radicalisation

January 2022



In accordance with Articles 17, 7 & 19 of the UNCRC

This is a Dorset Council Policy
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Self-Assessment

We are a small special needs school in West Dorset. The local population is largely white British, with a Christian ethos.

- There is an identified strategic Prevent Lead within the school – Gill Howard
- The lead understands the key priorities and expectations linked to the Prevent Strategy and ensures that these are firmly embedded within the Child Protection Policy and procedures - Child Protection policy and procedures
- All staff are aware of and are trained in the Prevent strategy and have completed the Home Office online training (July 2020 or when they started if after this date).
- Prevent safeguarding responsibilities are explicit within the school's safeguarding team – G. Howard, S. Hutchings
- There is a clear awareness of who the Prevent Lead is within the school

Training

- All staff have been trained/ have an awareness of the Prevent Strategy and a large proportion of Governors have also completed the Home Office online training
- Details of Wrap training are cascaded to all new staff through induction
- There is appropriate written staff and volunteer guidance on the Prevent Strategy in our Child Protection policy and procedures and our Whistle Blowing policy

Reporting and Recording

- My Concern is the tool used for all Safeguarding concerns
- The Prevent Lead then alerts the DORSET COUNCIL lead of the concern and follows the usual CP procedures:
Dorset: PreventReferrals@Dorset.pnn.police.uk
Devon: prevent.referrals@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk
Somerset: channelsw@avonandsomerset.pnn.police.uk
- An audit trail and timeline is automatically kept
- Leads in Partner agencies are known
- A 'Broad and Balanced Curriculum' which incorporates promoting British values, online safety and safeguarding awareness for pupils is reviewed and updated continuously
- Mountjoy school has a range of initiatives and activities that promote SMSC
- The school delivers an education that focuses on acceptance, tolerance and kindness
- Pupils, where able, are aware of being kind and considerate and our school values promote understanding
- PHSE is well taught and progress for all pupils carefully tracked through our personalised curriculum recorded through MAPs (My Aspirational Progress)
- Pupils, where able, are made aware of risks and supported to self-manage these through IEPS and Boxall Profiles and intervention timetable
- There are annual ICT Safety days and individual pupils are highlighted for interventions as needed
- There is an effective Firewall system in place and the school works closely with Dorset Council regarding any potential concerns