

Prevent Statement

Principles

This policy has been developed in accordance with our responsibilities with regard to the Prevent Strategy 2011.

Aims

To ensure staff are aware of the Prevent Strategy and to be able to protect people who are vulnerable or at risk of being radicalised.

Practice

DBS checks are conducted

We will ensure staff are aware of the risks to people of being radicalised and have provided WRAP (Workshop to raise awareness of Prevent) training

Managing Referrals

To refer any people of being radicalised or extremism through the Local Authority Channel Referral and Intervention processes.

Raise Awareness

Ensure management and staff are aware of how to identify and respond to risks to people from extreme or radical views.

Vulnerability to radicalisation or extreme view points

A&S Transport Training Ltd recognises its duty to protect our staff and learners from indoctrination into any form of extreme ideology which may lead to the harm of self or others. This is particularly important because of the open access to electronic information through the internet. A&S aims to safeguard vulnerable people through educating them on the appropriate use of social media and the dangers of downloading and sharing inappropriate material which is illegal under the Counter-Terrorism Act. A&S vets all visitors carefully and will take firm action if any individual or group is perceived to be attempting to influence members of our school community, either physically or electronically. Our definition of radical or extreme ideology is '*a set of ideas which could justify vilification or violence against individuals, groups or self.*' Management and Staff are trained to be vigilant for spotting signs of extremist view and behaviours and to always report anything which may suggest a student is expressing opinions which may cause concern. Our core mission of diversity permeates all we do. We place a strong emphasis on the common values that all communities share such as self-respect, tolerance and the sanctity of life. We embed within all interactions for our learners and staff to respect and value the diversity around them as well as understanding how to make safe, well-considered decisions.

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