

WORLINGHAM PRE-SCHOOL

British Values Policy

Statement of Intent

We are committed to help everyone live in safe and welcoming communities where they feel they belong.

Aim

We aim at ensuring that these values are introduced as they are fundamental to helping all children become compassionate considerate adults who form part of a fair and equal society.

British Values are defined as:-

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

Not just unique to Britain, these values are universal aspirations for equality.

Methods

To fulfil **The Prevent Duty** we will ensure:-

- We focus on children's personal social and emotional development, ensuring children learn right from wrong, mix and share with other children, value other's views, know about similarities and differences between themselves and others and challenge negative attitudes and stereotypes
- Staff are alert to harmful behaviours by influential adults in the child's life. This may include discriminatory and/or extremist discussions between parents, family and/or staff members
- They take action when they observe behaviour of concern
- Staff are able to identify children who may be vulnerable to radicalization and know what to do when they are identified
- They assess the risk of children being drawn into terrorism and work in partnership with local partners such as the Police, Prevent Co-ordinators, Channel Police Practitioners and their LSCB, to take account of local risks and respond appropriately
- They make referrals to local Channel Panels, Channel Police Practitioners or the LSCB, if there are concerns that an individual may be vulnerable to being drawn into terrorism or extremism

They assess their training needs in the light of their assessment of the risk

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| This policy was adopted by | Worlingham Pre-School | <i>(name of provider)</i> |
| On | <u>7th January 2021</u> | <i>(date)</i> |
| Date to be reviewed | <u>November 2021/January 2022</u> | <i>(date)</i> |
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