



Registered Charity No 1035670

## Prevent Duty and British Values Policy

Within this Preschool environment we will demonstrate strong British values such as ;

- Democracy
- Rule of Law
- Individual Liberty and mutual Respect
- Tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs

Within these guidelines we will be helping children to become compassionate, considerate adults. They will form part of a fair and equal society.

We will demonstrate these values through the management and implementation of the Early Years Foundation stage. Through this policy and the procedures, we will bring equality, behaviour, safeguarding and British values which the Prevent duty is consistent with.

Through this policy we will share these values and make sure our staff understand said policy and act appropriately within it. We will at all times share this policy with parents/carers.

We will focus on childrens' Personal, Social and emotional development, ensuring children learn right from wrong, mix and share with other children, value others' views , know about similarities and differences between themselves and others, and challenge negative attitudes and stereotypes.

Staff will be 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.

We will act when they observe behaviour of concern. Staff can identify children who may be vulnerable to radicalisation and know what to do when they are identified.

We will assess the risk of children being drawn into terrorism, and work in partnership with local partners such as the police, prevent coordinators, channel police practitioners and the East Sussex Safeguarding Children Partnership, to take account of local risks and act accordingly.

We will make referrals to local channel panels, channel police practitioners or the East Sussex Safeguarding Children Partnership if there are concerns that an individual may be vulnerable to being drawn into terrorism or extremism..

We will also assess their training needs in the light of their assessment of risk.

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This policy was adopted by the Management Committee of Beckley Preschool and Northiam Nursery on 15<sup>th</sup> January 2017.

It will be reviewed on 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

Signed on behalf of the management committee:

Name of signatory:

Role of signatory:

Date: