FOCUS OF THE WEEK

Prevent and British Values

What are British Values?

When we are talking about British Values, we mean the 4 ideals which develop a strong sense of social and moral responsibility. These are; Democracy, Rule of Law, Mutual Respect and Individual Liberty. You can find more information about each of these in the picture opposite.

What is Prevent?

Following on from British Values, is Prevent. Prevent is a duty of care the College has to prevent the radicalisation of vulnerable individuals who may be at risk of radicalisation, or of being drawn into terrorism, by an extreme cause, movement or ideology.



Radicalisation

Radicalisation can be really difficult to spot. Signs that may indicate someone is being radicalised include:

- isolating themselves from family and friends
- talking as if from a scripted speech
- a sudden disrespectful attitude towards others
- increased levels of anger
- unwillingness or inability to discuss their views increased secretiveness, especially around internet use



RUN to a place of safety. This is a far better option than to surrender or negotiate. If there's nowhere to go, then...

HIDE It's better to hide than to confront. Remember to turn your phone to silent and turn off vibrate. Barricade yourself in if you can. Then finally and only when it is safe

TELL the police by calling 999.

If you are concerned that someone is being radicalised, you can report your concerns via the government Anti-Terrorist Hotline 0800 789 321 and a confidential online form which can be found HERE.

Run, Hide, Tell

At the College, we have the Run, Hide, Tell strategy. This is to be used in the unlikely event of a firearms or weapons attack on College grounds. To see a break down of what you should do, have a look at the picture on the left.