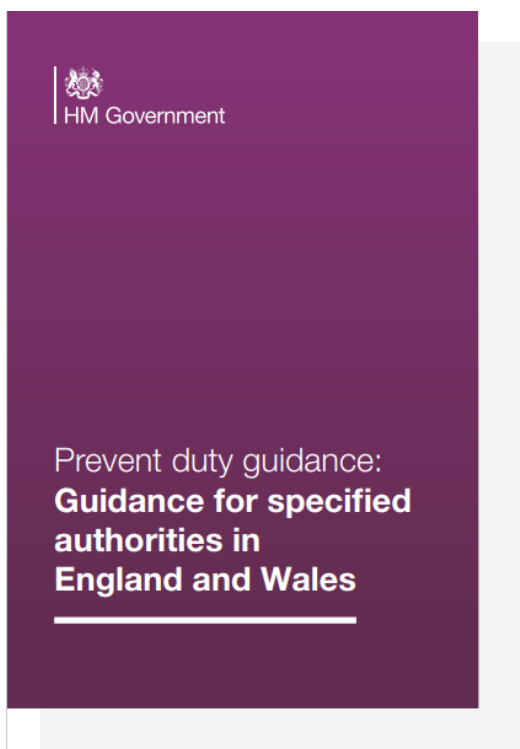


The Prevent duty: updated guidance for education settings



[Prevent duty guidance: England and Wales \(2023\) - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/government/guidance/prevent-duty-guidance-2023)

This is statutory guidance for England and Wales, issued on 7 September 2023 under [Section 29 of the Counter-Terrorism and Security Act 2015](#). It came into force on 31 December 2023, replacing the 2015 guidance which came into force in July 2015. Although the updated guidance places **no new legal requirements or additional responsibilities on education settings**, there are changes that the education sector should be aware of.

What's in this stakeholder pack?

This pack brings together all the supporting launch materials from the Department for Education and the Home Office, including videos, briefing notes and other new content. You can use these materials at your own discretion when engaging with those working in education settings.

Content and supporting materials

Education Hub blog post

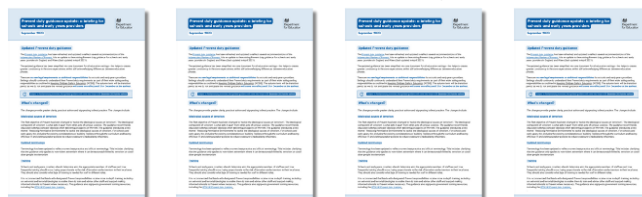
[This blog post](#) is a short, shareable summary of why the guidance has been updated. It also contains links to other supporting materials, so if you're looking to share one link with your audiences rather than many, this blog can help you declutter your communications.



Briefing notes for each phase of education

These notes provide more detail on specific changes and how they relate to each phase of education. They also cover some frequently asked questions. There are briefing notes for:

- ♦ [early years and schools further](#)
- ♦ [education and skills higher](#)
- ♦ [education providers](#)
- ♦ [local authority children's services teams](#)

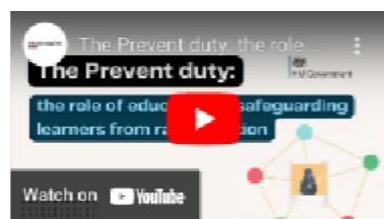


New Prevent video animations

These new short animations can be embedded in training, communications and any other scenario where you need to quickly explain the purpose of Prevent to an audience. One is designed for anyone with a Prevent duty, the other is specific to education settings.



[Prevent duty animation - public sector staff working together to stop radicalisation](#)



[The Prevent duty: the role of education in protecting learners from radicalisation](#)

New risk assessment templates

New [templates for each phase of education](#) to help those without risk assessments track how well they manage and mitigate risk in their setting. Use of the template **isn't** mandatory.



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Updated GOV.UK content

We've updated existing guidance to reflect the changes in the Prevent duty guidance, including our [safeguarding learners vulnerable to radicalisation guidance](#)

Context and supporting materials

More links and information

The [Prevent duty guidance](#) has been refreshed and updated to reflect several recommendations of the [Independent Review of Prevent](#). This includes several changes to the guidance for education settings.

There are no new legal requirements or additional responsibilities for education settings, and changes aren't anticipated to come into effect until 31st December 2023 at the earliest.

You can [read more about what the key changes are, how they affect different phases of education](#) and what support is available by reading the 'how we're safeguarding learners from radicalisation' blog post from the Department for Education.

Educate Against Hate

The Department for Education's dedicated Prevent website - [Educate Against Hate](#) - offers a range of resources, tools and practical advice from early years through to KS5. Popular resources include:

- [Let's Discuss](#): teaching packs containing videos, lesson plans, teacher guidance and presentations covering Islamist extremism, extreme right-wing, fundamental British values and left-wing, single issue and anarchist extremism
- [Going Too Far?](#): interactive teaching resource helping you explore what online behaviours might be dangerous or illegal
- [Educate Against Hate Calendar \(23/24\)](#): a calendar covering the academic year and highlighting key awareness dates, anniversaries and other opportunities to discuss the issues of radicalisation and extremism with students. We'll let you know the best resources available to plan around these dates

You can [sign-up to the Educate Against Hate newsletter](#).

DfE Regional Prevent co-ordinators

The [DfE Regional Prevent Co-ordinators](#) run regional networks for further and higher education leads. They also share information via [regional newsletters](#).