

## A multiagency workshop

# Promoting Fundamental British Values

## Preparing learners for life in modern Britain

### What is this training about?

Successfully implementing the Prevent Duty involves schools and colleges actively promoting fundamental British values. This will be evaluated under the 2015 Ofsted inspection framework, which also has a much greater focus on preparing learners to become responsible citizens, contributing to wider society and life in Britain. Outstanding schools and colleges are expected to place the active promotion of fundamental British values 'at the heart' of their work.

### Why should staff attend?

But what if staff feel uncomfortable with the term 'Fundamental British Values (FBV)'? How can we take a positive approach and avoid alienating different communities and increasing tensions between groups of students and staff? How do we increase the resilience of students to challenge views that appose FBV in a way that promotes an ethos of respect? How can we support staff to encourage diverse views to be heard and challenged in a way that values freedom of speech and freedom from harm? How can we use this agenda to engage and empower learners, and enrich the learning experience?

### When and where will the workshop take place?

16<sup>th</sup> March 2016, at District Council House, Frog Ln, Lichfield, Staffordshire WS13 6YY

### Who should attend?

Senior leaders, managers and staff in schools and colleges. Although the workshop is tailored to the practical implications of promoting fundamental British values in schools and colleges, the workshop will also be of interest to local partners, elected members and the voluntary and community sector.

### What are the benefits of attending?

Attending this workshop will help you to:

- Secure a **whole-school or whole college commitment** to promoting fundamental British Values
- **Maximise** the benefits of promoting fundamental British values, making certain that this impacts positively on your **inspection outcomes**
- Establish a **culture where there is shared commitment** to value diversity and respect difference.



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#### What will delegates learn?

##### Objectives of the workshop are to:

- Understand Ofsted expectations for promoting fundamental British Values (FBV), appreciating context, issues, opportunities and the need for a whole-school or whole-college approach
- Recognise the links between promoting fundamental British values, implementing the Prevent duty, safeguarding, and integrating equality and diversity
- Consider how inspection requirements to promote learners' Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural (SMSC) development ties in with promoting FBV
- Explore practical implications for promoting FBV, for example in teaching and learning, tutorials and learner voice activities
- Consider the practice of outstanding schools and colleges, examine sector issues, challenges and case studies of best practice, and evaluate your own practice
- Appreciate the benefits of promoting FBV and take learning back to implement the approaches provided

#### What are the start and finish times for the workshop??

The morning workshop starts at 9.30am and finishes at 12.30pm (with a refreshment break at 11.00am)

The afternoon workshop (which is a repeat of the morning workshop) starts at 1.00pm and finishes at 4.00pm (with a refreshment break at 2.30m)

#### How much does it cost to attend?

This workshop is free

#### Who can I contact for further information?

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#### Who is facilitating the workshop?

##### Dr Christine Rose

Christine brings up-to-date knowledge of how fully integrate and promote equality, diversity, inclusion and British values.

Nationally recognised as an expert, she has worked with over 250 providers, supporting a significant number to achieve outstanding

status for E&D at inspection.

She has helped thousands of staff improve their practice.

She uniquely combines an ability to inspire with extensive experience and an in-depth knowledge of best practice. Her training events are engaging, interactive and highly practical.

