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**Learner Safeguarding
Support Leaflet**

Support needed for:	The organisation or website:	Where can you find it:
Prevent	<p>Radicalisation is defined as: <i>'the process by which people come to support terrorism and extremism and, in some cases, to then participate in terrorist activity.'</i></p> <p>There is no obvious profile of a person likely to become involved in extremism or a single indicator of when a person might move to adopt violence in support of extremist ideas. The process of radicalisation is different for every individual and can take place over an extended period or within a very short time frame.</p> <p>Extremism is defined as: <i>'vocal or active opposition to fundamental British values, including democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect and tolerance for those with different faiths and beliefs. We also include in our definition of extremism calls for the death of members of our armed forces, whether in this country or overseas'.</i></p> <p>We live in a democratic country where the principles of tolerance and mutual respect for people of all faiths and beliefs are upheld by the rule of law. Those who hold extremist views and advocate violence go against these fundamental principles.</p>	<p>Police Anti-Terrorist Hotline – 0800 789321</p> <p>Cleveland</p> <p>Email- prevent.contest@cleveland.pnn.police.uk</p> <p>Phone- 01642 302028 or 101</p> <p><u>Northumbria</u></p> <p>Email- specialbranch@northumbria.pnn.police.uk</p> <p>Phone- 101 Ext 63854</p> <p><u>Durham</u></p> <p>Email- ctsa@durham.pnn.police.uk</p> <p>Phone- 0191 3752234 or 101</p>
Remploy	<p>Boost your emotional wellbeing with free support from Remploy.</p> <p>To receive support you need to be an apprentice and finding it difficult to attend or concentrate due to stress, anxiety, or depression.</p> <p>An expert from Remploy will be assigned to support with your wellbeing.</p>	<p>Tel: 0300 456 8210</p> <p>Email: apprentices@remploy.co.uk</p> <p>www.rempoy.co.uk/supportingapprentices</p>
Local support finder	<p>The site</p> <p>The local advice finder database contains more than 16,500 local, regional and national organisations who can offer you advice and information about anything</p>	<p>Website: www.thesite.org/community/localadvicefinder</p>

	that's concerning you. Just enter your town or postcode and select the type of information you're looking for to run a search.	
General	The Prince's Trust We're the UK's leading charity that helps young people (classed by the organisation as those between the ages of 14 – 30) overcome barriers and get their lives working.	Website: www.princes-trust.org.uk Telephone: 0800 842842
Bullying and child abuse	Kidscape – Young people Kidscape is committed to keeping children safe from abuse. Kidscape is the first charity in the UK established specifically to prevent bullying and child sexual abuse. Kidscape believes that protecting children from harm is key. Includes a keep safe code written in language that is easily accessible by young people.	Website: www.kidscape.org.uk/childrenteens/index.asp
Bullying	Bullying UK The UK's top anti-bullying charity website, offering information and advice to victims and their families.	Website: www.bullying.co.uk/ Email: help@bullying.co.uk
Child Rights	CRAE We provide free legal information and advice, raise awareness of children's human rights. We mobilise others, including children and young people to promote and protect children's human rights. Each year we publish a review of the state of children's rights in England.	Website: www.crae.org.uk

Recently bereaved	Cruse Bereavement Care Cruse is an extremely well known charity that focuses on helping those who have suffered a loss.	Website: www.cruse.org.uk Young Person's Free Helpline: 0808 808 1677 Email: Info@cruse.org.uk or helpline@cruse.org.uk
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Young people in care	A national Voice An organisation run by and for care experienced young people. Staff are also experienced. Our main aim is to create positive changes to the Care System in England and provide a national platform to hear the voices of approximately 60,000 children and young people who are looked after.	Website: www.anationalvoice.org
Young carers	The princess Royal Trust for Carers A website providing support to young people caring at home for family members or friends with disabilities and chronic illnesses. This trust is the largest provider of comprehensive Young Carers support services in the UK, providing quality information, advice and support services to over 20,000 young carers. They provide information through interactive websites, providing advice and access to support groups.	Website: www.youngcarers.net Email: youngcarers@careres.org
Drugs	National Drugs Helpline (FRANK) 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, FRANK is around to give FREE and confidential information on drugs.	Website: www.talktofrank.com Telephone: 0800 776600 (in 120 languages) TEXTPHONE: 0800 917 8765
Sexuality	Stonewall Works to achieve equality and justice for lesbians, gay men and bisexual people through: policy development, cultural and attitudinal change, lobbying for legal change, providing information, good practice design and advice.	Website: www.stonewall.org.uk

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<p>Internet safety</p>	<p>Think U Know Find the latest information on the sites you like to visit, mobiles and new technology. Find out what's good, what's not and what you can do about it. If you look after young people there's an area for you too – with resources you can use in the classroom, at home or just to get with it. Most importantly, there's also a place which anyone can use to report if they feel uncomfortable or worried about someone they are chatting to online. All the information here is brought to you</p>	<p>Websites: www.thinkuknow.co.uk Telephone: +44 (0)870 000 3344 Email: enquiries@ceop.gov.uk</p>

	be the team at the Child Exploitation and Online Protection (CEOP) Centre	
Internet safety	<p>Live Wires</p> <p>The Missing kit, developed by Live Wires Design Ltd, teaches children how to surf the internet safely. It includes a CD-ROM game for children, a parent/teacher guide, a video and a poster. This website has information on internet safety issues for parent, teachers and librarians.</p>	<p>Website:</p> <p>www.livewwwires.com</p>
Chat room danger	<p>Cha room danger</p> <p>A site all about the potential dangers on interactive online services like chat, IM, online games, email and on mobiles. TRUE STORIES and find out how to chat SAFELY...</p>	<p>Website:</p> <p>www.chatdanger.com</p>

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Adult survivors of sexual abuse	AEST 60+ support forums for survivors of abuse, multiple chat rooms and information for survivors of childhood and adult sexual abuse or rape; for both female and male sexual abuse survivors from the UK and around the world. Also related	Website: www.aest.org.uk

	subjects such as rape, male rape, panic attack, eating disorders, self-harm and inner child work.	
Bullying	Bullying UK The UK's top anti-bullying charity website, offering information and advice to victims and their families.	Website: www.bullying.co.uk/ Email: help@bullying.co.uk
Personal safety	Suzy Lamplugh Trust Promoting personal safety for all. They work for the benefit of everyone in society – irrespective of gender, age or background. Their mission is to raise awareness of the importance of personal safety and to provide solutions that effect change in order to help people to avoid violence and aggression and live safer, more confident lives.	Website: www.suzylamplugh.org Telephone: 0207091 0014 Email: info@suzylamplugh.org
Elder abuse	Action on Elder Abuse Action on Elder Abuse (AEA) works to protect and prevent the abuse of vulnerable older adults.	Website: www.elderabuse.org.uk
Domestic abuse	The National Centre for Domestic Violence Specialize in helping victims of domestic violence obtain non-molestation and other orders (injunctions) from court to protect them from further abuse.	Website: www.ncdv.org.uk/ Telephone: 0800 970 2070 Email: office@ncdv.org.uk

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Mental Health	Mind Mind is perhaps the most well-known mental health charity	Websites: www.mind.org.uk

	organisation throughout England and Wales who work to improve quality of life for those with mental health difficulties.	Telephone: 020 8519 2122 Or 0845 766 0163 Email: contact@mind.org.uk
Recently bereaved	Cruse Bereavement Care Cruse is an extremely well known charity that focuses on helping those who have suffered a loss.	Website: www.cruse.org.uk Helpline: 0844 477 9400 Email: info@cruse.org.uk or helpline@cruse.org.uk Young Person's Free Helpline: 0808 808 1677
Carers	The Princess Royal Trust for Carers A source of support for people caring at home for family members or friends with disabilities and chronic illness. This trust is the largest provider of comprehensive carers support services in the UK, providing quality information, advice and support services to almost 354,000 carers. There is information through interactive websites, advice and access to support groups.	Website: www.carers.org Email: info@carers.org
EASY READ Learning difficulties + crime / abuse	Respond Their website is available in an easy read format including pictures and scenarios created by people with learning disabilities. They support people with learning disabilities their families, carers and professionals affected by trauma and abuse. They provide their service victims and perpetrators who have learning disabilities of sexual abuse and those who have been affected by other trauma.	Website: www.respond.org.uk/easy_read.html Helpline: 0808 808 0700
Others	There are many resources out there specific to a particular vulnerability that someone may have. The internet is a good place to search for these sources of support. A few more examples have been given to the right.	Deafblind support: www.sense.org.uk National autistic society: www.nas.org.uk

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AOC	AOC The Association of Colleges (AoC) exists to represent and promote the interest of Colleges and provide members with professional support services.	Website: www.aoc.co.uk Telephone: 02070349900 Fax: 02070349950
Unions	Association of Teachers and Lecturers (ATL) The ATL is a teaching union affiliated to the TUC. Its	Website: www.atl.org.uk

	members include lecturers, teachers, head teachers and support staff.	
Unions	UNISON UNISON is the main union for support staff working in further education colleges	Website: www.unison.org.uk/education/further/index.asp
Unions	National Union of Teachers The NUT is both a professional association and a trade union. It offers members legal and professional services, and access to a wide range of benefits.	Website: www.teachers.org.uk
Unions	National Association of Head Teachers (NAHT) The NAHT is an independent trade union and professional association representing members holding leadership roles in primary, special, independent and secondary schools, and sixth form and FE colleges and other education settings.	Website: www.naht.org.uk
Unions	National Association of School Masters/Union of Women Teachers (NASUWT) NASUWT is the largest UK-wide union. It has members in all sectors of education and represents teachers in all roles, including heads and deputy heads.	Website: www.nasuwt.org.uk

Support needed for:	The organisation or website:	Where can you find it:
Unions	<p>University and college Union (UCU) The UCU is the largest trade union and professional association for academics, lecturers, trainers, researchers and academic-related staff working in FE and HE throughout the UK.</p>	
Unions	<p>Voice Voice is an independent trade union representing education and childcare professionals in the public and private sector, including teachers, head teachers, FE and HE lecturers, teaching assistants, administrators and support staff, nurses and Early Years specialists.</p>	
General	<p>Teacher net Covering the following: Teaching & learning, whole-school issues, Management, Professional development, Research, Education overview, Useful sites.</p>	

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Need to talk	The Samaritans	Website:

	The Samaritans are a charity available 24 hours a day offering confidential advice and support to anyone in distress. They also work to raise awareness of issues related to mind disorders such as suicide and depression.	www.samaritans.org Telephone: 020 8394 8300 Email: jo@samaritans.org UK Helpline: 08457 909090
Seeking counselling	Your GP Remember that your personal GP or Health centre is a good place to find out what NHS funded services you may be able to access with a GP referral.	Local GP Finder: www.nhs.uk/service directories/pages/service search.aspx
Seeking counselling	British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy The BACP is a large organisation that many counsellors around the UK are registered with. The website has a search function allowing you to find the therapist in your local area and view their specialist interests.	Website: www.bacp.co.uk Email: bacp@bacp.co.uk
Adult survivors of sexual abuse	AEST 60+ support forums for survivors of abuse, multiple chat rooms and information for survivors of childhood and adult sexual abuse or rape; for both female and male sexual abuse survivors from the UK and around the world. Also related subjects such as date rape, male rape, panic attacks, eating disorders, self-harm, and inner child work.	Website: www.aest.org.uk
Worried about a young person	NSPCC The national Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to children (NSPCC) aim is to protect children from cruelty, support vulnerable families, campaign for changes to the law raise awareness about abuse.	Website: www.nspcc.org.uk Telephone: 0808 800 5000 TEXTPHONE: 0800 056 0566 Email: help@nspcc.org.uk
Worried about a young person	Child Line – 0800 1111 Whatever your worry, its better out than in. Call ChildLine for help.	Website: www.ChildLine.org.uk ChildLine: 0800 1111

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Worried about a young person being	Kidscape Kidscape is committed to keeping children safe from abuse. Kidscape is the first charity in the UK established specifically to prevent bullying	Website: www.kidscape.org.uk Help Line: 08451 205 204

bullied or abused	and child sexual abuse. Helpline is for the use of parents, guardians or concerned relatives and friends of bullied children. If you are a child and are experiencing bullying problems, then please visit or ring ChildLine 0800 1111	
Worried about a vulnerable adult	Voice UK A national charity supporting people with learning disabilities and other vulnerable people who have experienced crime or abuse. We also support their families, carers and professional workers.	Website: www.voiceuk.org.uk Telephone: 08451228695
Local support finder	The site This local advice finder database contains more than 16,500 local, regional and national organisations who can offer you advice and information about anything that's concerning you. Just enter your town or postcode and select the type of information you're looking for to run a search.	Website: www.thesite.org/community/localadvicefinder
Personal safety	Suzy Lamplugh Trust Prompting personal safety for all. They work for the benefit of everyone in society – irrespective of gender, age or background. Their mission is to raise awareness of the importance of personal safety and to provide solutions that effect change in order to help people to avoid violence and aggression and live safer, more confident lives.	Website: www.suzylamplugh.org Email: info@suzylamplugh.org Telephone: 020 7091 0014
Adult learning	Adult learning and skills Direct.gov Information and advice on many different aspects of adult learning including financial advice	Website: www.direct.gov.uk/en/EducationAndLearning/AdultLearning/index.htm

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Local Safeguarding children	Local Safeguarding Children Boards – Every Child Matters Children can only be safeguarded properly if the key agencies work effectively together. Local safeguarding children boards (LSCBs) are	Website: www.everychildmatters.gov.uk/lscb

boards	designed to help ensure that this happens. They out the former area child protection committees (ACPCs) on a statutory footing. The core membership of LSCBs is set out in the Children Act 2004, and includes local authorities, health bodies, the police and others. The objective of LSCBs is to coordinate and to ensure the effectiveness of their member agencies in safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.	
Safeguarding learners with learning difficulties	The Ann Craft Trust A UK based organisation working with staff in the statutory, independent and voluntary sectors to safeguard children and adults with learning disabilities who may be at risk from abuse. We also provide advice and information to parents and carers who may have concerns about someone that they are supporting.	Website: http://.anncrafttrust.org Telephone: 0115 951 5400 Email: ann-craft-trust@nottingham.ac.uk
Safeguarding young people	NSPCC The National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (NSPCC) aim is to protect children from cruelty, support vulnerable families, campaign for change to the law and raise awareness about abuse.	Website: www.nspcc.org.uk Telephone: 0800 800 5000 TEXTPHONE: 0800 056 0566 Email: help@nspcc.org.uk
Whistle-blowing	Public concern at work This site offers information on all aspects of whistle blowing including practical guidance, help for individuals, services for organisations, legislation (the Public Interest Disclosure Act), policy and publications. Also here is access to the helpline, real cases of whistle blowing and statistics.	Website: www.pcaw.co.uk Telephone: 020 7404 6609

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Internet safety	Child Exploitation & Online Protection Centre – internet safety – CEOP The Child Exploitation and Online Protection (CEOP) Centre is part of the UK police and is dedicated to protecting children from sexual	Website: www.ceop.gov.uk

	<p>abuse wherever they may be. That means building intelligence around the risks, tracking and bringing offenders to account either directly or with local and international forces and working with children and parents to deliver our unique Thinkuknow educational programme.</p>	
PAVA	<p>PAVA Strives through collaboration with practitioners in the statutory, voluntary and private sector to develop practice- based interventions and generate positive outcomes in working with the abuse of vulnerable adults. This is being achieved by developing inter-agency working, encouraging local networks, promoting problem-solving on key issues and dilemmas in practice and lobbying at both national and local government levels.</p>	<p>Website: www.pavauk.org.uk</p>
Safeguarding Adults Good Practice database	<p>Safeguarding Adults Good Practice database The project is aimed at the wider community of practitioners and others with a stake in Safeguarding adults from a variety of angles. The project aims to provide practical methods of identifying and disseminating good practice from around the country. This good practice could come from local authorities, service providers, advocates, service users etc. It is hoped that this website will enable people to browse examples of things that are working well, and use the information to make changes and improve services and outcomes for vulnerable adults.</p>	<p>Website: http://www.elderabuse.org.uk/Mainpage/Elder%20Abuse.mht Email: roseannathurlow@elderabuse.org.uk Telephone: 0208 765 7000</p>

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Adult Learning	NIACE Promoting adult learning. NIACE is a nongovernmental organisation working for more and different learners	Website: www.niace.org.uk
Cyber-bullying	BECTA Government agency promoting the use of information and communications technology; news, projects and resources on lifelong and special education. Possessing the expertise and knowledge to help the sector with quality and improvement, Leadership and vision and Partnership and collaboration.	Website: http://www.becta.org.uk
No Secrets	No Secrets Legislation and practices being subject to ministerial review and repost during 2008. Advisory Group includes Trustees and Members of PAVAUK.	Weblink: www.doh.gov.uk/scg.nosecrets.htm
Vetting and barring – up till October 2009	Criminal Records Bureau Safer recruitment protecting the vulnerable. The CRB's aim is to help organisations in the public, private and voluntary sectors by identifying candidates who may be unsuitable to work with children or other vulnerable members of society.	Website: http://www.crb.gov.uk/ Registration Information Line: 0870 9090822

Support needed for:	The organisation or website:	Where can you find it:
Vetting and barring – October 2009 onwards	<p>Independent Safeguarding Authority</p> <p>The independent Safeguarding Authority (ISA) has been created to help prevent unsuitable people from working with children and vulnerable adults.</p> <p>We will do this by working in partnership with the Criminal Records Bureau (CRB), which will gather relevant information on every person who wants to work or volunteer with vulnerable people.</p>	<p>Website: http://www.isa.gov.org.uk/ Telephone: 03001231111 Email scheme.info@homeoffice.gsi.gov.uk</p>
Safeguarding Adults with Learning Disabilities – Information for Partnership Boards	<p>The aim of this information pack is to help people who are member of partnership boards to better protect adults with learning disabilities in the communities in which they live. The ideas and suggestions contained in this information pack reflect the views and experiences of many different people and organisations. These people were either experts in terms of long-standing knowledge and practise or experts as a result of their own personal experiences. We hope that these</p>	<p>Weblink http://www.valuingpeople.gov.uk/dynamic/valuingpeople2.jsp</p>

	informed suggestions will serve to complement, reflect and develop existing work in your particular area.	
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