

Prevent Update - October 2018

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Anne Frank Trust - working with Portsmouth Schools March 2019 to March 2020

Portsmouth and Southampton councils are currently putting in a bid for Police & Crime Commissioner's grant funding to secure the work of the Anne Frank Trust. For participating schools it will be the opportunity to opt for either:

Schools and Ambassador programme:

The core programme includes a series of hour long workshops, exploring such issues as *Identity and Diversity, Understanding Prejudice, Responsibility and Resistance, and Human Rights.*

Switch Off Prejudice programme:

An in-depth, day long workshop, designed to help young people understand the dangers of prejudice and discrimination, particularly online. The programme covers these dangers both from a historical perspective and in the modern world, encouraging young people to question and challenge what they see online, an environment in which they are being increasingly exposed to hate speech, and to also keep themselves safe online.

Both programmes starts with the pop-up exhibition *Anne Frank: A History for Today* into your school for a period of two weeks. AFT will then train a group of students to be guides at the exhibition; these Peer Guides go on to take groups of their fellow students around the exhibition, using the strength of peer education to teach about Anne Frank and the wider context of her life and times.

Following on from both programmes, Peer Guides get the opportunity to build on the skills that they have developed as guides, by applying to become an Anne Frank Ambassador.

If you would like your school to work with the Anne Frank Trust, **please contact either myself or Freida M'Cormack, Community Coordinator as soon as possible.** Attached is further information and endorsements from Bedfordshire schools, who have participated in similar programmes with the Anne Frank Trust.

Safer Portsmouth Partnership

If you have a Twitter account, please follow SPP for further Prevent updates and communication.

Young people anxious about terror attacks

A report released recently suggests that media coverage of events is leaving young people more anxious about the threat of terrorism, however it also suggests that young people have a skewed view of the risk. <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/education-45784642>

ChildLine has some useful support and guidance for young people under the heading *Worries about the World.*

<https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/your-feelings/anxiety-stress-panic/worries-about-the-world/>

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