



## **Signs Of Radicalisation in a Teen**

Parents and family are best placed to notice any small changes taking place and so it's important to trust your instincts and if you're worried, reach out for advice.

**are they becoming increasingly isolated from family and friends?**

**do you feel like they are talking as if from a script?**

**are they unwilling to engage with you about their views?**

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**are they becoming increasingly angry about issues or events they feel are unfair or unjust?**

**are they being secretive about who they are meeting online or in person?**

In most cases these signs won't be linked to radicalisation and there will be other explanations for your child's behaviour. Talk to them to find out what could be causing them to react in this way.

Don't ignore behaviours you are concerned about

## **Acting Early Can Protect A Child From Extremism**

If you think it, tell someone. It's probably nothing, but it could be something. By acting early you can get your child the help and support they might need to choose a new pathway before it's too late.

### **Share A Concern**

Contact the Safeguarding Team at school or call the ACT Early Support Line on 0800 011 3764, in confidence, to share your concerns with specially trained officers. The Support Line is open 9:00am – 5:00pm every day



<https://actearly.uk/spot-the-signs-of-radicalisation/protecting-children-from-radicalisation>

The Safeguarding Team at Haven High offer pupils, parents and their family resources, advice, signposting and referrals that promote children's safety, safeguarding and wellbeing.

Our aim is that all the children at Haven High have the best possible outcomes.

Please get in touch if you are worried about a child or would like more information.

Email [safe@havenhigh.net](mailto:safe@havenhigh.net) or call the Year Hub on 01205 31979