

Safeguarding

Martyn's Law- Prepare and protect



In December 2022 the Government announced details of Martyn's Law' in tribute of Martyn Hett, who was killed alongside 21 others in the 2017 Manchester Arena terrorist attack.

Martyn's Law will keep people safe, enhancing our national security and risk to the public from terrorism by the protection of public venues including education and early years settings. The legislation will ensure those responsible for certain locations are prepared, ready to respond and know what to do in the event of a terrorist attack.

The DFE is working with the Home Office on the development of legislation to clarify what this will mean for the early years sector but in the meantime a useful fact sheet, expert advice, training and guidance has been provided for you to explore and begin to embed into practice.

- [Martyn's Law Factsheet – Home Office in the media](#)
- [Martyn's Law | ProtectUK.](#)
- <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/martyns-law-for-education-settings/how-martyns-law-will-affect-education-settings>