

# **HYPER SELF- HELP RESOURCES**

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# **HOOOLIGANISM**

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# TIPS ABOUT RADICALISATION

## IT'S A PROCESS

It is a process through which a person comes to support or be involved in extremist ideologies. It can result in a person becoming drawn into terrorism and is in itself a form of harm.

Source: NSPCC LEARNING Website: <https://learning.nspcc.org.uk/safeguarding-child-protection/radicalisation/>

## IT HAPPENS GRADUALLY

So children and young people who are affected may not realise what it is that they are being drawn to.

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## IT CAN HAPPEN TO ANYONE

Thinking that something like this will never happen to you makes you vulnerable, since it may make it difficult for you to realize you are recruited.

# RED FLAGS OF RADICALIZATION

Behaviours and actions that signal that either you or  
a person close to you is being absorbed into a  
Hooligan Mentality

## Intrigued and Excited by violent acts and Destructive behaviours

Feeling an attraction and interest in acts of aggression against police or between different sets of fans



**Ask yourself: What do such acts have to do with sports and your passion for a team?**

# Believing that violent groups of Fans are the true protectors of the team

Becoming convinced that violent fans are the soul of the team and that their fighting and brutal acts add to the glory and history of the team



**Try to distinguish between passion and thuggish behaviours. Being an enthusiastic and loyal supporter of a team does not mean that you should be aggressive towards others**

Considering other fans and the police as enemies you have to fight with and subdue

Developing a mindset which considers sports as a combat zone where you fellow supporters must attack and dominate others



**Being a fan should be understood as a form of a passionate and vocal support for the team through thick and thin. It should not be confused with anti-social, thuggish behaviour that involve attacks towards others and riots**

# Become associated with violent groups of fans

Taking steps to emulate the stance and style of violent fans trying to follow their approach in order to get recognition and join them



**Ask yourself: do these groups really have anything to do with sports and your team or are they just using them as an excuse to express their violent tendencies. Do you really stand to gain anything by hurting an opponent or a fellow human being? Shouldn't violence be where you draw the line?**

# DON'T LET ANYONE CONTROL YOU

## HYPER

How Young People are Engaged by Radicals



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