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STAY SAFE: BRITISH VALUES

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**Attacks in the UK and abroad remind us
all of the terrorist threat we face.**





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National Counter Terrorism policing is providing advice to the public on the steps they can take to keep themselves safe in the rare event of a firearms or weapons attack.





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'Stay Safe Film'

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4jxOXbpTmnk>





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The film advises those who get caught up in an incident to 'run, hide and tell' – guidance which can be applied to any place. We know that from case studies the real life testimony based on the experiences of people who have survived attacks the advice given in the film has saved lives.



RUN



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- **Escape if you can**
- **Consider the safest options**
- **Is there a safe route? RUN if not HIDE**
- **Can you get there without exposing yourself to greater danger?**
- **Insist others leave with you**
- **Leave belongings behind**



HIDE



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- If you cannot RUN, HIDE
- Find cover from gunfire
- If you can see the attacker, they may be able to see you
- Cover view does not mean you are safe, bullets go through glass, brick, wood and metal
- Find cover from gunfire e.g. substantial brickwork/heavy reinforced walls
- Be aware of your exits
- Try not to get trapped
- Be quiet, silence your phone and turn off vibrate
- Lock/barricade yourself in
- Move away from the door



TELL



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Call 999 – what do the police need to know? If you cannot speak or make a noise listen to the instructions given to you by the call taker

- Location – where are the suspects?
- Direction – where did you last see the suspects?
- Descriptions – describe the attacker, numbers, features, clothing, weapons, etc.
- Further information-casualties, type of injury, building information, entrances, exits, hostages, etc.
- Stop other people entering the building if it is safe to do so



ARMED POLICE RESPONSE



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- **Follow officers' instructions**
- **Remain calm**
- **Can you move to a safer area?**
- **Avoid sudden movements that may be considered a threat**
- **Keep your hands in view**



OFFICERS MAY



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- Point guns at you
- Treat you firmly
- Question you
- Be unable to distinguish you from the attacker
- Officers will evacuate you when it is safe to do so





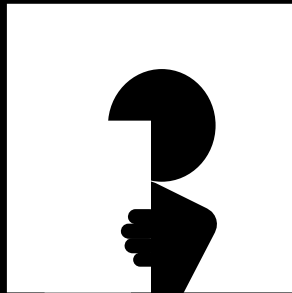
**COUNTER
TERRORISM
POLICING**

ACT

**ACTION
COUNTERS
TERRORISM**

IN THE RARE EVENT OF
a firearms or weapons attack

RUN HIDE TELL



RUN to a place of safety. This is a far better option than to surrender or negotiate. If there's nowhere to go, then...

HIDE It's better to hide than to confront. Remember to turn your phone to silent and turn off vibrate. Barricade yourself in if you can. Then finally and only when it is safe to do so...

TELL the police by calling 999.

RUN HIDE TELL



At the moment, the issue of terrorist attacks is regularly in the news. But it's been on our agenda for much longer.

The police and security service have been working constantly to foil terrorist attacks for years, not months.

But we are not complacent about keeping you safe.

Due to events in the UK and abroad, people are understandably concerned about a firearms or weapons attack. These attacks are very rare but in the event of such an attack, it helps to be prepared.

Remember, attacks of this nature are still very rare in the UK.

So stay safe, and just remember the words:

RUN. HIDE. TELL.

To watch the film, visit [gov.uk/ACT](https://www.gov.uk/ACT)

Information is vital. If you see or hear something that could be terrorist related, trust your instincts and call the confidential Anti-Terrorist hotline on **0800 789 321**.

Our specially trained officers will take it from there.

Your call could save lives.

Always in an emergency, call **999**.