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RESPONSIBLE RETAILER AGREEMENT



This agreement is part of the commitment of Lancashire Trading Standards, Police & Crime Commissioner and Lancashire Constabulary to reduce and prevent knife crime across Lancashire.

The purpose of the agreement is to promote the responsible retailing of knives and to prevent people under the age of 18 from acquiring them.

We commit to being a responsible seller of knives and to comply with the following:

- ☐ To store and display knives safely and securely to prevent theft and use against staff or another person.
- ☐ Any customer attempting to buy knives or other bladed items who appears to be under 25 years old will be required to provide valid photographic identification as proof of age.
- ☐ Display Check 25 posters (this makes it easier for staff to check proof of age).
- ☐ All staff are fully trained in checking proof of age using the ASSESS CHALLENGE-CHECK process. Online training; [Knives – Responsible retailer scheme - Lancashire County Council](#)
- ☐ Refuse a sale to anyone if I am concerned that the knife will be misused, or if they appear to be drunk, agitated or aggressive.

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