# WEBSITE PRIVACY POLICY



#### Introduction

We respect your privacy and are committed to protecting your personal data. This privacy policy will inform you as to how we look after your personal data when you visit our webapp and/or our website (regardless of where you visit it from) and tell you about your privacy rights and how the law protects you.

# 1. Important information and who we are

## Purpose of this privacy policy

This privacy policy aims to give you information on how BL Adventure Limited collects and processes your personal data through your use of this website and/or the webapp, including any data you may provide through this website and/or the webapp.

The website and webapp are not intended for children under the age of 16 and we do not knowingly collect data relating to children. It is important that you read this privacy policy together with any other privacy policy or fair processing policy we may provide on specific occasions when we are collecting or processing personal data about you so that you are fully aware of how and why we are using your data. This privacy policy supplements other notices and privacy policies and is not intended to override them.

## Controller

BL Adventure Limited is the controller and responsible for your personal data (collectively referred to as "BL Adventure", "we", "us" or "our" in this privacy policy).

We have appointed an Information Governance Lead who is responsible for overseeing questions in relation to this privacy policy. If you have any questions about this privacy policy, including any requests to exercise your legal rights, please contact the Information Governance Lead using the details set out below.

## **Contact details**

If you have any questions about this privacy policy or our privacy practices, please contact our Information Governance Lead in the following ways:

Full name of legal entity: BL Adventure Limited
Email address: david.holmes@peak15support.co.uk

Postal address: 21 Gatwick Metro Centre, Horley, Surrey, England, RH6 9GA

You have the right to make a complaint at any time to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO), the UK regulator for data protection issues (www.ico.org.uk). We would, however, appreciate the chance to deal with your concerns before you approach the ICO so please contact us in the first instance.

# Changes to the privacy policy and your duty to inform us of changes

We keep our privacy policy under regular review.

It is important that the personal data we hold about you is accurate and current. Please keep us informed if your personal data changes during your relationship with us.

## **Third-party links**

The website and webapp may include links to third-party websites, plug-ins and applications. Clicking on those links or enabling those connections may allow third parties to collect or share data about you. We do not control these third-party websites and are not responsible for their privacy statements. When you leave our website or webapp, we encourage you to read the privacy policy of every website you visit.



## 2. The data we collect about you

Personal data, or personal information, means any information about an individual from which that person can be identified. It does not include data where the identity has been removed (anonymous data). We may collect, use, store and transfer different kinds of personal data about you which we have grouped together as follows:

- Identity Data may include first name, maiden name, last name, your age, username or similar identifier and title.
- Contact Data may include address, email address and telephone numbers.
- Financial Data includes bank account and payment card details.
- Transaction Data includes details about payments to and from you and other details of products and services you have purchased from us.
- Technical Data may include internet protocol (IP) address, your login data, browser type and version, time zone setting and location, browser plug-in types and versions, operating system and platform, and other technology on the devices you use to access the website or webapp.
- Profile Data includes your username and password, purchases made by you, your interests, preferences, feedback and survey responses.
- · Usage Data includes information about how you use our website, webapp, products and services.
- Marketing and Communications Data includes your preferences in receiving marketing from us and our third parties and your communication preferences.

We also collect, use and share Aggregated Data such as statistical or demographic data for any purpose. Aggregated Data could be derived from your personal data but is not considered personal data in law as this data will not directly or indirectly reveal your identity. For example, we may aggregate your Usage Data to calculate the percentage of users accessing a specific website or webapp feature. However, if we combine or connect Aggregated Data with your personal data so that it can directly or indirectly identify you, we treat the combined data as personal data which will be used in accordance with this privacy policy.

## We may collect Special Categories of Personal Data about you

With your consent, we may collect information about your disability (only ever provided by you) to help us better tailor our products and services to your needs. We may also use aggregated data to generate statistics, insights, or percentages for research and learning purposes. This information may be shared with trusted partners or organisations to help inform and improve social care and related services. When you submit sensitive information through our website, it is sent securely to our servers using a private and protected connection. The information is stored in a secure database that only authorised team members can access. Whilst we take strong precautions to protect your data during transmission and storage, please note that it is not encrypted when stored. We do not collect any information about criminal convictions and offences. We may need to collect and use additional data (for example biometric data) as part of any age verification check. By signing-up to Big Life Adventure you consent to us collecting and using that special category data.

## If you fail to provide personal data

Where we need to collect personal data by law, or under the terms of a contract we have with you, and you fail to provide that data when requested, we may not be able to perform the contract we have or are trying to enter into with you. In this case, we may have to cancel a product or service you have with us but we will notify you if this is the case at the time. We may exclude you from the platform or any part of it if you do not provide information we reasonably require for the purposes of verifying your age.













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## 3. How is your personal data collected?

We use different methods to collect data from and about you including through:

- Direct interactions. You may give us your personal data by filling in forms or by corresponding with us by post, phone, email or otherwise. This includes personal data you provide when you:
- use our website and/or webapp;
- · apply for our products or services;
- create an account on our website or webapp;
- · subscribe to our service or publications;
- request marketing to be sent to you;
- enter a competition, promotion or survey; or
- give us feedback or contact us.
- Automated technologies or interactions. As you interact with our website and/or webapp, we will
  automatically collect Technical Data about your equipment, browsing actions and patterns. We may
  collect this personal data by using cookies, server logs and other similar technologies. Please see our
  cookie notice (available on our website and webapp) for further details.
- Third parties or publicly available sources. We will receive personal data about you from various third parties as set out below:
- Technical Data from analytics providers such as Google based outside the UK;
- Contact, Financial and Transaction Data from providers of technical, payment and delivery services.

# 4. How we use your personal data

We will only use your personal data when the law allows us to. Most commonly, we will use your personal data in the following circumstances:

- Where we need to perform the contract we are about to enter into or have entered into with you.
- Where it is necessary for our legitimate interests (or those of a third party) and your interests and fundamental rights do not override those interests.
- In order to enhance our website and/or webapp.
- Where we need to comply with a legal obligation.
- In order to verify your age
- In order to minimise the risk of your being exposed to potentially harmful content

Generally, we do not rely on consent as a legal basis for processing your personal data although we will get your consent before sending third party direct marketing communications to you via email or text message. You have the right to withdraw consent to marketing at any time by contacting us.

Purposes for which we will use your personal data

We have set out below, in a table format, a description of all the ways we plan to use your personal data, and which of the legal bases we rely on to do so. We have also identified what our legitimate interests are where appropriate.

Note that we may process your personal data for more than one lawful ground depending on the specific purpose for which we are using your data. Please contact us if you need details about the specific legal ground we are relying on to process your personal data where more than one ground has been set out in the following table.













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Purpose/Activity	Type of data	Lawful basis for processing including basis of legitimate interest
To register you	(a) Identity (b) Contact	Performance of a contract with you
To collect special category data	(a) Age (b) Disabilities	(a) To meet our obligations under the Online Safety Act 2023 and (b) Help us better tailor the product for people with disabilities
To process and deliver our services to you including: (a) Manage payments, fees and charges (b) Collect and recover money owed to us	(a) Identity (b) Contact (c) Financial (d) Transaction (e) Marketing and Communications	(a) Performance of a contract with you (b) Necessary for our legitimate interests (to recover debts due to us)
To manage our relationship with you which will include:  (a) Notifying you about changes to our terms or privacy policy  (b) Asking you to leave a review or take a survey	(a) Identity (b) Contact (c) Profile (d) Marketing and Communications	(a) Performance of a contract with you (b) Necessary to comply with a legal obligation (c) Necessary for our legitimate interests (to keep our records updated and to study how our customers use our products/services)
To enable you to partake in a prize draw, competition or complete a survey	(a) Identity (b) Contact (c) Profile (d) Usage (e) Marketing and Communications	(a) Performance of a contract with you (b) Necessary for our legitimate interests (to study how customers use our products/services and to develop and improve them)
To administer and protect our business and the website and webapp (including troubleshooting, data analysis, testing, system maintenance, support, reporting and hosting of data)	(a) Identity (b) Contact (c) Technical	(a) Necessary for our legitimate interests (for running our business, provision of administration and IT services, network security, to prevent fraud and in the context of a business reorganisation or group restructuring exercise)  (b) Necessary to comply with a legal obligation
To deliver relevant website, webapp and advertising content to you and measure or understand the effectiveness of the advertising we serve to you	(a) Identity (b) Contact (c) Profile (d) Usage (e) Marketing and Communications (f) Technical	Necessary for our legitimate interests (to study how customers use our products/services, to develop them, and to inform our marketing strategy)
To use data analytics to improve our website and webapp, products/services, marketing, customer relationships and experiences	(a) Technical (b) Usage	Necessary for our legitimate interests (to define types of customers for our products and services, to keep our website and webapp updated and relevant, to develop our business and to inform our marketing strategy)
To make suggestions and recommendations to you about products or services that may be of interest to you	(a) Identity (b) Contact (c) Technical (d) Usage (e) Profile (f) Marketing and Communications	Necessary for our legitimate interests (to develop our products/services)



#### Promotional offers from us

We may use your Identity, Contact, Technical, Usage and Profile Data to form a view on what we think you may want or need, or what may be of interest to you. This is how we decide which products, services and offers may be relevant for you (we call this marketing).

You will receive marketing communications from us if you have requested information from us or purchased products or services from us and you have not opted out of receiving that marketing.

## Third-party marketing and opting out

We will get your express opt-in consent before we share your personal data with any third party for marketing purposes.

You can ask us or third parties to stop sending you marketing messages at any time by following the opt-out links on any marketing message sent to you or by contacting us at any time.

Where you opt out of receiving these marketing messages, this will not apply to personal data provided to us as a result of a product/service purchase, a product/service experience or other transactions.

#### Cookies

You can set your browser to refuse all or some browser cookies, or to alert you when websites set or access cookies. If you disable or refuse cookies, please note that some parts of the website or webapp may become inaccessible or not function properly. For more information about the cookies we use, please see our cookie notice (available on our website and webapp).

# Change of purpose

We will only use your personal data for the purposes for which we collected it, unless we reasonably consider that we need to use it for another reason and that reason is compatible with the original purpose. If you wish to get an explanation as to how the processing for the new purpose is compatible with the original purpose, please contact us.

If we need to use your personal data for an unrelated purpose, we will notify you and we will explain the legal basis which allows us to do so.

Please note that we may process your personal data without your knowledge or consent, in compliance with the above rules, where this is required or permitted by law.

# 5. Disclosures of your personal data

We may share your personal data with the parties set out below for the purposes set out in the table (Purposes for which we will use your personal data) above.

- External third party analytics providers.
- Third parties to whom we may choose to sell, transfer or merge parts of our business or our assets.

  Alternatively, we may seek to acquire other businesses or merge with them. If a change happens to our business, then the new owners may use your personal data in the same way as set out in this privacy policy.

We require all third parties to respect the security of your personal data and to treat it in accordance with the law. We do not allow our third-party service providers to use your personal data for their own purposes and only permit them to process your personal data for specified purposes and in accordance with our instructions.















#### 6. International transfers

Whenever we transfer your personal data out of the UK, we ensure a similar degree of protection is afforded to it by ensuring at least one of the following safeguards is implemented:

- We will only transfer your personal data to countries that have been deemed to provide an adequate level of protection for personal data.
- Where we use certain service providers, we may use specific contracts approved for use in the UK which give personal data the same protection it has in the UK.

Please contact us if you want further information on the specific mechanism used by us when transferring your personal data out of the UK.

## 7. Data security

We have put in place appropriate security measures to prevent your personal data from being accidentally lost, used or accessed in an unauthorised way, altered or disclosed. In addition, we limit access to your personal data to those employees, agents, contractors and other third parties who have a business need to know. They will only process your personal data on our instructions and they are subject to a duty of confidentiality. We have put in place procedures to deal with any suspected personal data breach and will notify you and any applicable regulator of a breach where we are legally required to do so.

## 8. Data retention

We will only retain your personal data for as long as reasonably necessary to fulfil the purposes we collected it for, including for the purposes of satisfying any legal, regulatory, tax, accounting or reporting requirements. We may retain your personal data for a longer period in the event of a complaint or if we reasonably believe there is a prospect of litigation in respect to our relationship with you. To determine the appropriate retention period for personal data, we consider the amount, nature and sensitivity of the personal data, the potential risk of harm from unauthorised use or disclosure of your personal data, the purposes for which we process your personal data and whether we can achieve those purposes through other means, and the applicable legal, regulatory, tax, accounting or other requirements.

In some circumstances we will anonymise your personal data (so that it can no longer be associated with you) for research or statistical purposes, in which case we may use this information indefinitely without further notice to you.

# 9. Your legal rights

Under certain circumstances, you have rights under data protection laws in relation to your personal data. You have the right to:

Request access to your personal data (commonly known as a "data subject access request"). This enables you to receive a copy of the personal data we hold about you and to check that we are lawfully processing it.

Request correction of the personal data that we hold about you. This enables you to have any incomplete or inaccurate data we hold about you corrected, though we may need to verify the accuracy of the new data you provide to us.















Request erasure of your personal data. This enables you to ask us to delete or remove personal data where there is no good reason for us continuing to process it. You also have the right to ask us to delete or remove your personal data where you have successfully exercised your right to object to processing (see below), where we may have processed your information unlawfully or where we are required to erase your personal data to comply with local law. Note, however, that we may not always be able to comply with your request of erasure for specific legal reasons which will be notified to you, if applicable, at the time of your request.

Object to processing of your personal data where we are relying on a legitimate interest (or those of a third party) and there is something about your particular situation which makes you want to object to processing on this ground as you feel it impacts on your fundamental rights and freedoms. You also have the right to object where we are processing your personal

data for direct marketing purposes. In some cases, we may demonstrate that we have compelling legitimate grounds to process your information which override your rights and freedoms.

Request restriction of processing of your personal data. This enables you to ask us to suspend the processing of your personal data in the following scenarios:

- If you want us to establish the data's accuracy.
- Where our use of the data is unlawful but you do not want us to erase it.
- Where you need us to hold the data even if we no longer require it as you need it to establish, exercise or defend legal claims.
- You have objected to our use of your data but we need to verify whether we have overriding legitimate grounds to use it.

Request the transfer of your personal data to you or to a third party. We will provide to you, or a third party you have chosen, your personal data in a structured, commonly used, machine-readable format. Note that this right only applies to automated information which you initially provided consent for us to use or where we used the information to perform a contract with you.

Withdraw consent at any time where we are relying on consent to process your personal data. However, this will not affect the lawfulness of any processing carried out before you withdraw your consent. If you withdraw your consent, we may not be able to provide certain products or services to you. We will advise you if this is the case at the time you withdraw your consent.

If you wish to exercise any of the rights set out above, please contact us using the contact details set out above.

## No fee usually required

You will not have to pay a fee to access your personal data (or to exercise any of the other rights). However, we may charge a reasonable fee if your request is clearly unfounded, repetitive or excessive. Alternatively, we could refuse to comply with your request in these circumstances.

















## What we may need from you

We may need to request specific information from you to help us confirm your identity and ensure your right to access your personal data (or to exercise any of your other rights). This is a security measure to ensure that personal data is not disclosed to any person who has no right to receive it. We may also contact you to ask you for further information in relation to your request to speed up our response.

## Time limit to respond

We try to respond to all legitimate requests within one month. Occasionally it could take us longer than a month if your request is particularly complex or you have made a number of requests. In this case, we will notify you and keep you updated.

## 10. Artificial Intelligence (AI)

## Overview

This section sets out how we protect your personal data in our use of the Al Tools (i.e. software applications that incorporate Al technology).

Our AI Tools are licensed from Microsoft Azure, a service owned by Microsoft. However, none of the personal data that the AI Tools process is used to improve Microsoft Azure products. For more information on data privacy and security of the Microsoft Azure service that we use to access the AI Tools please visit the following Microsoft link: Data, privacy, and security for AI Content Safety - Azure AI services | Microsoft Learn.

Identity Data (i.e. your name) may be uploaded to our AI Tools. We are a data controller of your personal data when it is processed while using our AI Tools and Microsoft is a data processor. We have agreed terms in place with Microsoft to ensure that your personal data is protected. Users of the AI Tools within our organisation know how to process personal data in accordance with applicable data protection law and our various data protection policies and procedures. They also adhere to confidentiality obligations as set out in their agreements with us.

Microsoft is unable to access the data that is processed by our AI Tools (which allow for the processing of personal data). This means that your personal data is secure and can only be accessed by us.

# How do we collect your personal data in the context of the use of AI?

We will collect your personal data directly from you.

# Why do we process personal data in the context of the use of AI?

We process your personal data in order to monitor the content you post and/or the information you provide on our webapp so that we can aim to adequately safeguard vulnerable individuals accessing our webapp and our services.















# What type of personal data do we process in the context of the use of AI?

We will process your name.

## What lawful basis do we rely upon in the context of the use of AI?

We rely on our legitimate interest in using the Al Tools. This legitimate interest is to safeguard vulnerable individuals accessing our webapp and our services and to improve the delivery of our services to you.

## How do we use personal data in the context of the use of AI?

Personal data (your name) may be uploaded to the AI Tools where a post you make or information you provide whilst using the webapp is flagged by the AI Tools as being inappropriate content or a risk.

# Who do we disclose personal data to in the context of the use of AI?

Microsoft is the data processor in this context. However, Microsoft is unable to access any of your personal data entered into the Al Tools. We have terms in place with Microsoft to ensure that your personal data is protected.

# 11. Monitoring the platform

We monitor your use of the platform, the content you create or upload or share, and your contacts on the platform in order to help protect you from harmful content

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