

N.B.: The Client is responsible for ensuring the accuracy of comments made in this risk assessment.

Column 4 KEY:	HIGH	High risk of serious injury possibly life threatening or permanent. Do not progress until controls implemented	MEDIUM	Medium risk of moderate injury. Maximum effort must be made to reduce risk further to enable LOW / GREEN ranking	LOW	Nominal risk of slight injury. Continue to monitor
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Activity	Hazard (something with the potential to cause harm)	Persons at risk / who may be harmed?	Actions to Control Risk	Is the risk still high, medium or low?	What extra controls need to be put in place?
1. Control Measures	Risk of infection / spreading virus	Adults and chn	<p>Control measures in place</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Ensure good hygiene for everyone 2) Maintain appropriate cleaning regimes 3) Keep occupied spaces well ventilated - classroom doors remain open where practical <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of CO2 monitors to measure air quality 4) Follow public health advice on testing, self-isolation and managing confirmed cases of COVID-19 <p>Pupil gate open from 8.40-8.55am for ease of dropping off children with limited parents on site, especially in the mornings from term 4.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff continue to wear masks or visors if they wish to • All surfaces cleaned by cleaner at the end of the day. Hot spots such as main entrances, toilet doors and handles etc...) will be cleaned regularly by school staff. • Regular reminders of need for safe interaction • Staff clean as appropriate approach • Classroom bins wiped when surfaces wiped • Clothing kept on individuals or on pegs and not left loose in the classroom. • Children continue to wear PE kit on PE days • Face to face meetings to remain online where possible • Gradual return to face to face meetings and visits <p>Frequent and thorough hand cleaning is regular practice. Continue to ensure that pupils clean their hands regularly with soap and water or hand sanitiser.</p> <p>The catch it kill it bin it approach continues to be very important.</p>	Low	SLT to monitor confirmed cases / risk of spread and amend RA / liaise with PHE / DFE helpline when necessary Confirm additional measures needed in case of an outbreak

2. Testing – LFD and PCR	Identification of virus known	Staff, volunteers, regular contractors (eg cleaners, caterers)	<p>Government has removed the guidance for staff and students in most education and childcare settings to undertake twice-weekly asymptomatic testing.</p> <p>Risk of severe illness from COVID-19 in most children and most fully vaccinated adults are very low, and our successful vaccination programme has achieved a high rate of take-up, we can remove this advice, bringing education into line with wider society.</p>	Low	
3. Symptoms of COVID 19	Risk of infection spreading	Adults and children	<p>Symptoms – a high temperature (you feel hot to touch on your chest or back), loss of taste or smell or you have a cough. NB other symptoms may occur with different variants.</p> <p>From Thursday 24 February, the Government will remove the legal requirement to self isolate following a positive test. Adults and children who test positive will continue to be advised to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for at least 5 full days, and then continue to follow the guidance until they have received 2 negative test results on consecutive days.</p> <p>Fully vaccinated close contacts and those aged under 18 no longer required to test daily for 7 days. The legal requirement for close contacts who are not fully vaccinated to self-isolate is no longer in place.</p>	Low	SLT/FLO to monitor absence of pupils and staff and continue to keep a record of Covid related absence

			<p>Contacts will no longer be required to self-isolate or advised to take daily tests. Staff, children and young people should attend their education settings as usual. This includes staff who have been in close contact within their household.</p> <p>End the legal obligation for individuals to tell their employers when they are required to self isolate</p>		
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After consultation with all staff and completing actions to reduce risk we find that this risk assessment has a maximum risk of medium (3) with an overall low risk (2)

LIKELIHOOD	LIKELY (3)	MEDIUM RISK (3)	HIGH RISK (6)	EXTREME RISK (9)
	UNLIKELY (2)	LOW RISK (2)	MEDIUM RISK (4)	HIGH RISK (6)
	HIGHLY UNLIKELY (1)	TRIVIAL RISK (1)	LOW RISK (2)	MEDIUM RISK (3)
		SLIGHTLY HARMFUL (1)	HARMFUL (2)	EXTREMELY HARMFUL (3)
SEVERITY				