

Activity/ Situation	COVID SECURE ARRANGEMENTS FROM 29 th NOVEMBER 2021			
Location	Trinity Academy Middleton Tyas (Years 1-6)			
Persons at Risk	Pupils <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Employees <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Visitors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Contractors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
HAZARD(S)	<p><i>Note: this list is not exhaustive and must be adapted for your own needs</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Contact Between Individuals ✗ Inadequate Cleaning/Sanitising ✗ Spread of Coronavirus to Staff, Pupils and Families, Visitors and Contractors ✗ Site User Becoming Unwell ✗ Site User Developing Symptoms ✗ Inadequate Hand Washing/Personal Hygiene ✗ Inadequate Personal Protection & PPE ✗ Visitors, Contractors & Spread of Coronavirus ✗ Inadequate Ventilation ✗ Arrangements for Boarding Schools During Pandemic 			
CONTROL MEASURES	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	YES	NO	N/A
<p><i>Note: you must amend and adapt this generic risk assessment to suit your own needs by selecting the controls from the examples provided (adding and amending others where necessary) and then evaluate the overall risk for the activity/situation.</i></p>				
<p>In considering all of the below risks and potential control measures, please be mindful of your duties under the Equality Act by ensuring that there is no adverse impact on any particular group of staff / pupils with protected characteristics</p>				
Contact Between Individuals				
It is no longer necessary to keep children in consistent groups ('bubbles')	As of Sep 2021, we are not using 'bubbles'. Note: Bubbles resumed during outbreak.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outbreak management plans cover the possibility that it may become necessary to reintroduce 'bubbles' for a temporary period, to reduce mixing between groups	Outbreak management plan in place, shared on Teams and in staffrooms. Advice will be taken on a case by case basis.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Assemblies have resumed	Daily collective worship is taking place in the hall again. Note: Online during outbreak.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pupils can mix at breaks and lunchtimes	Some year groups are mixing within phases as pre-Covid e.g. KS1 and KS2. Note: Reduced during outbreak.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<p>Given the likely gap in COVID-19 cancellation related insurance, schools considering booking a new educational visit, whether domestic or international, are advised to ensure that any new bookings have adequate financial protection in place</p>	<p>You should speak to either your commercial insurance provider, the Risk Protection Arrangement (RPA) or an outdoor education adviser to assess the protection available and make sure it provides suitable protection in the event of a COVID-19 related cancellation RPA will be contacted regarding all trips.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Schools can undertake educational day visits</p>	<p>Consideration given to NYCC Guidance for Activities in Schools - Autumn/Winter 2021 Visits will take place as logged on Evolve with RAs in place.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Schools can undertake domestic residential education visits</p>	<p>Consideration given to NYCC Guidance for Activities in Schools - Autumn/Winter 2021 Visits will take place as logged on Evolve with RAs in place.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>International educational visits that have previously been deferred or postponed can take place from September 2021 and new international visits for the future can be organised</p>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<p>School has resumed all before and after-school educational activities and wraparound childcare for pupils</p>	<p>More information on planning extra-curricular provision can be found in the guidance for providers who run community activities, holiday clubs, after-school clubs, tuition and other out-of-school provision for children All activities have resumed.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	Note: Reduced during outbreak and Wraparound social distancing year groups.			
Inadequate Cleaning/Sanitising				
A cleaning schedule that includes regular cleaning of areas and equipment (for example, twice per day), with a particular focus on frequently touched surfaces is in place	Cleaning of non-healthcare settings outside the home Cleaning regime agreed with NYCC Cleaners and staff will regularly wipe surfaces and door handles – Gloves, cloths and spray are provided.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Electronic entry systems and keypads are regularly sanitised particularly first thing in the morning and where possible after each use	Staff and visitors use antibacterial handgel before and after each use. Screens and keypads are regularly wiped throughout the day.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bins for tissues and other rubbish are emptied throughout the day	Bins are emptied daily by cleaners and tied off following lunchtime by a member of staff.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Stocks of cleaning chemicals, liquid soap, paper towels, tissues, toilet roll, bin bags etc. regularly checked and additional supplies requested as necessary	Everything in place and top ups regularly ordered.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Spread of Coronavirus to Staff, Pupils and Families, Visitors and Contractors				
Any suspected or confirmed close contacts of the Omicron variant will be asked to isolate for 10 days regardless of vaccination status or age.	These will be contacted directly and told to isolate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Close contacts will be identified via NHS Test and Trace	Education settings will no longer be expected to undertake contact tracing Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware. The school does keep parents updated re: cases.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>


Contacts from a school setting will only be traced by NHS Test and Trace where the positive case specifically identifies the individual as being a close contact	NHS Test and Trace will work with the positive case to identify close contacts Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Individuals are not required to self-isolate if they live in the same household as someone with COVID-19, or are a close contact of someone with COVID-19, and any of the following apply: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> they are fully vaccinated they are below the age of 18 years and 6 months they have taken part in or are currently part of an approved COVID-19 vaccine trial they are not able to get vaccinated for medical reasons Any suspected or confirmed close contacts of the Omicron variant will be asked to isolate for 10 days regardless of vaccination status or age	Instead, they will be contacted by NHS Test and Trace, informed they have been in close contact with a positive case and advised to take a PCR test . We would encourage all individuals to take a PCR test if advised to do so. Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Contact with individuals who are required to self-isolate is minimised by ensuring they do not attend the school	Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Anybody contacted by NHS Test and Trace or local health protection team and told to self-isolate because they have been a close contact of a positive case, has a legal obligation to do so	Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pupils, staff and other adults must not come into the school if they have symptoms, have had a positive test result or other reasons requiring them to stay at home due to the risk of them passing on COVID-19 (for example, they are required to quarantine)	Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Settings will continue to have a role in working with health protection teams in the case of a local outbreak. If there is a substantial increase in the number of positive cases in a setting or if central government offers the area an enhanced response package, a director of public health might advise a setting to temporarily reintroduce some control measures	Outbreak management plan in place. Advice will be taken on a case by case basis.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The Operational Guidance sets out the measures that all education settings should have in place to manage transmission of COVID-19 day to day. For most settings it will make sense to think about taking extra action if	For most education and childcare settings, whichever of these thresholds is reached first:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<p>the number of positive cases substantially increases. This is because it could indicate transmission is happening in the setting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 children, pupils, students or staff, who are likely to have mixed closely, test positive for COVID-19 within a 10-day period; or • 10% of children, pupils, students or staff who are likely to have mixed closely test positive for COVID-19 within a 10-day period. <p>For special schools, residential settings, and settings that operate with 20 or fewer children, pupils, students and staff at any one time:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 children, pupils, students and staff, who are likely to have mixed closely, test positive for COVID-19 within a 10-day period. <p>Outbreak management plan in place. Advice will be taken on a case by case basis.</p>			
<p>All settings should seek public health advice if a pupil, student, child or staff member is admitted to hospital with COVID-19. They can do this by phoning the DfE helpline (0800 046 8687, option 1), or in line with other local arrangements.</p>	<p>Hospitalisation could indicate increased severity of illness or a new variant of concern. Settings may be offered public health support in managing risk assessments and communicating with staff and parents. Staff aware</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>All CEV pupils should attend their school unless they are one of the very small number of pupils under paediatric or other specialist care and have been advised by their GP or clinician not to attend</p>	<p>Further information is available in the guidance on Supporting pupils with medical conditions at school</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<p>CEV colleagues currently undertaking amended duties to enable them to work fully from home can now consider with their manager a return to normal duties on a risk</p>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<p>assessment basis with specific factors to be taken into account including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ ensuring the working environment is as Covid-safe as possible, taking into account individual vaccination status and the risk of coming into contact with Covid cases as part of their role; ➤ they should not provide direct care to people who are known to have a current Covid infection, or symptoms suggestive of Covid; ➤ continuation of the current amended duties for the time being may be appropriate depending on the risk assessment ➤ arrangements to be reviewed again towards the end of September when it is anticipated the Covid risk should be reduced. <p>Pregnant Colleagues For pregnant colleagues at any gestational stage we have been following the same guidance as the for CEV colleagues so the approach outlined above should also be followed for these colleagues</p>	<p>Risk assessment in place</p>			
<p>All employers have a duty of care to their employees, and this extends to their mental health. Make sure you have explained to all staff the measures you are putting in place. Discuss with all staff any changes in place as part of these measures. Because some staff may be particularly anxious about returning, you may need extra systems in place to support staff wellbeing</p>	<p>Read about the: extra mental health support for pupils and teachers, Wellbeing for Education return programme Education Support provides a free helpline for school staff and targeted support for mental health and wellbeing Risk assessments and staff guidelines shared with all staff. Support services for all stakeholders, including staff, are highlighted on the school website Mental Health page.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Site User Becoming Unwell</p>				
<p>If anyone in school develops COVID-19 symptoms, however mild, they are sent home and told they should follow public health advice</p>	<p>Symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) Letters and information sent to</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	parents, and on the website, and staff aware.			
If a pupil is awaiting collection, they should be left in a room on their own if possible and safe to do so. A window should be opened for fresh air ventilation if possible	A plastic chair is available in the front entrance. If weather permits the child will sit outdoors supervised by the administrator at a safe distance.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If the pupil needs to go to the toilet while waiting to be collected, they should use a separate toilet if possible. The toilet should be cleaned and disinfected using standard cleaning products before being used by anyone else	There is a separate toilet available, near the main office, which can be cleaned after use.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PPE should be worn by staff caring for the pupil while they await collection if close contact is necessary	PPE available in the main office.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The room used by the pupil awaiting collection should be cleaned after they have left	The area will be cleaned after use.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Everyone displaying coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms should avoid using public transport and, wherever possible, be collected by a member of their family or household	Staff aware	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In exceptional circumstances, if parents or carers cannot arrange to have their child collected, if age-appropriate and safe to do so the child should walk, cycle or scoot home	We will avoid this at all costs.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In an emergency, call 999 if the pupil is seriously ill or injured or their life is at risk.	Anyone with coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms should not visit the GP, pharmacy, urgent care centre or a hospital Staff aware	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Site User Developing Symptoms				
Schools must ensure that staff members and parents/carers understand that they will need to be ready and willing to book a test if they are displaying symptoms. The main symptoms are a high temperature, a new continuous cough and/or a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste. Staff and pupils must not come into the school if they have symptoms, and must be sent home to self-isolate if they develop them in school. All children can be tested if they have symptoms, including children under 5, but children aged 11 and under will need to be helped by their parents or carers if using a home testing kit	The advice service (or PHE local health protection team if escalated) will provide definitive advice on who must be sent home. A template letter will be provided to schools, on the advice of the health protection team, to send to parents and staff if needed Letters and information sent to	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	parents, and on the website, and staff aware.			
Staff in all settings should undertake twice weekly home tests	Clear guidance shared with Staff including the LFD RA.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Primary age pupils (those in year 6 and below) do not need to test	We have never asked our primary children to test regularly.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Staff and pupils with a positive LFD test result should self-isolate in line with the stay at home guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection . They will also need to get a free PCR test to check if they have COVID-19 .	Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If the PCR test is taken within 2 days of the positive lateral flow test, and is negative, it overrides the self-test LFD test and the pupil can return to school, as long as the individual doesn't have COVID-19 symptoms	Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Whilst awaiting the confirmatory PCR result, the individual should continue to self-isolate	Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Those with symptoms are expected to order a test online or visit a test site to take a lab-based polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test to check if they have the virus	Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pupils, staff and other adults should follow public health advice on when to self-isolate and what to do	When to self-isolate and what to do - Coronavirus (COVID-19) Letters and information sent to parents, and on the website, and staff aware.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Inadequate Hand Washing/Personal Hygiene				
Staff/pupils/cleaners/contractors etc. will be reminded to clean their hands regularly, including; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> when they arrive at the school when they return from breaks when they change rooms before and after eating 	Ensure that staff have sufficient time to wash their hands regularly, as frequently as pupils Clear guidance shared in Staff Guidelines and on posters around the school.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consideration given to how often pupils and staff will need to wash their hands and	Staff have timetabled handwashing at key	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

incorporated time for this is in timetables or lesson plans	points during the day.			
Staff working with pupils who spit uncontrollably may want more opportunities to wash their hands than other staff		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Pupils who use saliva as a sensory stimulant or who struggle with 'catch it, bin it, kill it' may also need more opportunities to wash their hands and this has been considered	Support in place as required, especially with Year 1.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Help given to pupils with complex needs to clean their hands properly	Support in place as required.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Risk assessments for pupils with complex needs that may struggle to maintain as good respiratory hygiene as their peers, for example those who spit uncontrollably or use saliva as a sensory stimulant, have been updated in order to support these pupils and the staff working with them		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Hands are washed with liquid soap & water for a minimum of 20 seconds	Clear guidance shared in Staff Guidelines and on posters.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The school has considered whether they have enough hand washing or hand sanitiser 'stations' available so that all pupils and staff can clean their hands regularly	All classrooms have their own sinks, plus additional facilities available in toilets.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Alcohol based hand cleansers/gels can only be used if soap and water are not available, but is not a substitute for hand washing. Such gels MUST ONLY BE USED UNDER CLOSE SUPERVISION. In normal circumstances pupils should not be using alcohol based hand cleansers because of the risk of ingestion	Skin friendly cleaning wipes can be used as an alternative All classrooms have their own sinks, plus additional facilities available in toilets.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
School has embedded hand washing routines into school culture, supported by behaviour expectations to help ensure younger pupils and those with complex needs understand the need to follow them	As above, staff have timetabled handwashing at key points during the day.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach is very important and is promoted	Clear guidance shared in Staff Guidelines.  The posters include the following text: CATCH IT Germs spread easily. Always carry tissues and use them to catch your cough or sneeze. BIN IT Germs can live for several hours on floors. Dispose of your tissue as soon as possible. KILL IT Hands can transfer germs to every surface you touch. Clean your hands as soon as you can. NHS logo is at the bottom.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disposable tissues are available in each room for both staff and pupil use	Available in every room.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bins (ideally lidded pedal bins) for tissues are available in each room	Available in every room, tied off at	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	lunchtime and emptied daily.			
School has embedded the 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach to ensure younger pupils and those with complex needs get this right, and that all pupils understand that this is now part of how the school operates	Staff ensure children use this approach – posters in place. The e-bug website contains free resources for schools, including materials to encourage good hand and respiratory hygiene	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Inadequate Personal Protection & PPE				
Face coverings are worn in communal areas in all settings by staff and visitors unless they are exempt	Guidelines shared with staff. Staff and visitors are wearing face coverings in line with this advice.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In case of an outbreak in school, a director of public health might advise that face coverings should temporarily be worn in communal areas or classrooms (by pupils, staff and visitors, unless exempt)	This is covered in the Outbreak Management Plan. Advice will be taken on a case by case basis.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In the above circumstances, transparent face coverings, which may assist communication with someone who relies on lip reading, clear sound or facial expression to communicate, can also be worn		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Face coverings (whether transparent or cloth) should fit securely around the face to cover the nose and mouth and be made with a breathable material capable of filtering airborne particles	Guidelines shared with staff.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Face visors or shields can be worn by those exempt from wearing a face covering but they are not an equivalent alternative in terms of source control of virus transmission	Visors may protect against droplet spread in specific circumstances but are unlikely to be effective in preventing aerosol transmission, and therefore in a school environment are unlikely to offer appropriate protection to the wearer. Visors should only be used by those exempt from wearing a face covering after	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	carrying out a risk assessment for the specific situation and should always be cleaned appropriately Guidelines shared with staff.			
Those who rely on visual signals for communication, or communicate with or provide support to such individuals, are exempt from any requirement to wear face coverings in schools or in public places	Guidelines shared with staff. Parents who are exempt inform staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clear instructions are provided to staff on how to put on, remove, store and dispose of face coverings, to avoid inadvertently increasing the risks of transmission	Discussed during staff meetings.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Safe wearing of face coverings requires cleaning of hands before and after touching – including to remove or put them on – and the safe storage of them in individual, sealable plastic bags between use	Staff aware	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Where a face covering becomes damp, it should not be worn and the face covering should be replaced carefully	Staff aware	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PPE for coronavirus (COVID-19) is required when performing aerosol generating procedures (AGPs)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
When working with children and young people who cough, spit or vomit but do not have coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms, only any PPE that would be routinely worn, is worn	Risk assessments/ intimate care/ medical guidance in place as usual.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Visitors, Contractors & Spread of Coronavirus				
Key contractors are made aware of the school's control measures and ways of working	In place – Information at main office	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
School ensures site guidance on is explained to visitors and contractors on or before arrival	In place – Information at main office	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Contractors to provide updated risk assessment prior to visit which includes their own controls round infection spread prevention	All contractors already expected to provide RAs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
As normal, school engages with their local immunisation providers to provide immunisation programmes on site, ensuring these are delivered in keeping with the school's control measures	In place These programmes are essential for children's health and wellbeing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Inadequate Ventilation				
Occupied spaces must always be well ventilated and a comfortable teaching environment maintained	Windows will be kept open and doors if safe to do so - Clear	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	<p>guidance shared in Staff Guidelines. Any fans will be left on during the day. This can be achieved by a variety of measures including:</p> <p>mechanical ventilation systems – these should be adjusted to increase the ventilation rate wherever possible, and checked to confirm that normal operation meets current guidance (if possible, systems should be adjusted to full fresh air or, if not, then systems should be operated as normal as long as they are within a single room and supplemented by an outdoor air supply)</p>			
Ventilate spaces with outdoor air	<p>Windows will be kept open and doors if safe to do so - Clear guidance shared in Staff Guidelines.</p> <p>Natural ventilation – if necessary external opening doors may also be used provided this doesn't compromise safeguarding measures</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Where possible, occupied room windows should be open	<p>Windows will be kept open if safe to do so - Clear guidance shared in Staff Guidelines.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Switch air handling units with recirculation to 100% outdoor air where this is not possible, systems are operated as normal	<p>Further advice on this can be found in Health and Safety Executive guidance on air conditioning and ventilation during the coronavirus outbreak and CIBSE coronavirus (COVID-19) advice.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Prop doors open, where safe to do so (bearing in mind fire safety and safeguarding), to limit use of door handles and assist with creating a throughput of air	Doors are propped open where possible. Fire doors must not be propped open unless they have a self-closing hold open device fitted	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In cold weather where the school heating system is activated, windows are open to provide trickle ventilation rather than being fully open	Windows will be kept open - Discussed with staff. natural ventilation – opening windows (in cooler weather windows should be opened just enough to provide constant background ventilation, and opened more fully during breaks to purge the air in the space)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consideration given to opening high level windows in preference to low level to reduce draughts	Windows will be kept open if safe to do so - Discussed with staff.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consideration given to only opening every other window instead of all windows when the heating is activated	Windows will be kept open if safe to do so – Discussed with staff.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If school needs to use additional heaters they only use sealed, oil filled electric heaters	We avoid using additional heaters in classrooms. Electric fan heaters used sparingly due to increased fire and electrical risk	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Arrangements for Boarding Schools During Pandemic – N/A				
Have you consulted with the people/representatives undertaking the activity as part of the preparation of this risk assessment	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No <input type="checkbox"/>	
What is the level of risk for this activity/situation with existing control measures	High <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Med <input type="checkbox"/>	Low <input type="checkbox"/>	
Is the risk adequately controlled with existing control measures	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Have you identified any further control measures needed to control the risk and recorded them in the action plan	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No <input type="checkbox"/>	
ACTION PLAN (insert additional rows if required)	To be actioned by			
Further control measures to reduce risks <i>so far as is reasonably practicable</i>	Name		Date	
Ensure antibac wipes are available in the staffroom, by the photocopier and toilets.			In place	

Ensure Milton sterilising fluid is available for equipment that children put in their mouths, including water bottles and resources in Year 1.		In place	
Currently in outbreak, so reduced crowding - Collective worship and staff meetings all on Teams and clubs cancelled until after Christmas.		In place	
State overall risk level assigned to the task AFTER implementation of control and action plan measures taken as a result of this risk assessment	High <input type="checkbox"/>	Med <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Low <input type="checkbox"/>
Is such a risk level deemed to be as low as reasonably practical?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Is activity still acceptable with this level of risk?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
If no, has this been escalated to senior leadership team?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Assessor(s): Position(s):	Mrs K. Williamson Executive Headteacher	Signature(s):	<i>KWilliamson</i>
Date:	29.11.2021	Review Date:	06.12.2021 Weekly review in staff briefings
Distribution: ALL STAFF, VISITORS AND STAKEHOLDERS			

Risk rating	Action
HIGH	Urgently review/add controls & monitor, notify H&S Team (if Likely or Highly Likely – stop work, seek competent advice)
MEDIUM	Review/add controls (as far as reasonably practicable) & monitor
LOW	Monitor control measures

