

Whitstone School (544)

Risk Management - Assessment Report

Risk Area:	COVID-19
Assessment Framework:	19 July 2021 onwards Covid-19
Work Area or Activity:	Covid 19
Competent Person	Samantha Baker
Assisted by:	Devlina Main
Groups Affected:	Staff & students
Notes:	Facemasks now not required in all classrooms, updating Adding one way system

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Assessed on: 21/01/2022

To be Reviewed on:	13/02/2022	
What are the Hazards?	What is already being done?	Is this considered satisfactory?
Are you familiar with the contingency framework and how might the school use this?	Yes. Covid case numbers monitored by GL/SB/GS and any concerns raised with GS directly.	Yes
Explain your outbreak management plan should the reintroduction of bubbles be required	Outbreak Management Plan exists as a separate document; lessons and Aspire Groups currently in year groups so bubbles would be easy to implement.	Yes
How will good hygiene measures be supervised/reminded?	Staff continue to sanitise hands as students enter and leave classes and enter the dining room, and classrooms sprayed down with sanitiser in between.	Yes
How will good ventilation be maintained while ensuring thermal comfort?	Staff asked to keep rooms ventilated, doors open, have stock of CO2 monitors so we can see how ventilated our classrooms and communal areas are.	Yes
If you are planning a school trip, have you checked details with your insurer?	DM will check covid requirements as trips occur due to changing conditions.	Yes
Outline when PPE (as opposed to face coverings) may be required	As of 21.01.2022 all students and staff are wearing face masks in communal areas (i.e. corridors) but not in class; CV staff will ask students to wear masks in class and will have a supply to give out if needed. Students given masks in morning line up if required and can collect from YE throughout the day.	Yes
	PPE required for first aid responders when dealing with a student with suspected Covid-19 symptoms and waiting to be	

	collected, also when performing on site testing.	
Secondary students to be staggered at the start of term - outline the plan for full return	Spring term: on site testing Tuesday 4th January 2022 with all students returning Wednesday 5th January.	Yes
Staff to undertake twice weekly tests from home until end September (pending new guidance) how will this be communicated	All staff and students have been informed of twice weekly testing using lateral flow tests.	Yes
What curriculum specific additional cleaning/other measures might be maintained?	Classes continue to be sanitised in between lessons. Site team mist commonly touched surfaces with Steri 7.	Yes
What remote education plans will be in place should a student need to self-isolate?	Students can access work set in Google Classroom and on the school website if they cannot attend school, and staff can communicate with students via epraise.	Yes
While face coverings are no longer a legal requirement, outline when these may be required	Currently (Jan 2022) everyone is wearing a face covering inside. If the outbreak management plan is invoked students and staff will be asked to wear masks as they traverse the site. CV staff asking students to wear masks in lessons. When students are asked to wear masks they are given masks at line up if they haven't got one, or masks can be issued by YE on Student Reception.	Yes
You must continue with effective cleaning measures, what will these be?	Continue to sanitise in between lessons and toilets, commonly touched surfaces (banisters and door handles), prop doors open where possible	Yes
Isolation and PCR testing	Staff are aware of the new rules regarding PCR/LFT tests and changes to isolation period so can advise parents accordingly if they have any queries.	Yes
Visitors	Visitors must wear a face mask on site and sanitise.	Yes
Extra measures	We continue to use the one way system.	Yes

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Co-ordinator Signed Dated

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