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Academy: Longford Primary Academy	Activity/Workplace: Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	Next Review Date:	19-04-25 or change
		in guidance	
	RA Number: 610	Residual Risk	Review Period
	Revision: 24	High, Medium & Low	1 Year
	INCVISION. 27	Low & Medium	2 Years
		Low Only	3 Years

Prepared By: Chris Leach Date: 19-04-2023	Made Specific By L Lawrence IOSH Managing Safely Trained Staff: LL/MD	Authorised By IOSH Managing Safely
Staff Member Agreement of Individual Risk Assessment Sign: NA Date: NA	Date: 25/04/22 Subject/activity Lead Staff: NA Date: NA	Trained Staff: LL/MD Date: 25/04/23
School Appointed Person (where applicable): NA	Contractor (where applicable): NA Contact Name (where applicable): NA	

Revision	Revised By	Details of change
24	Chris Leach	Amended in accordance with GOV.UK Coronavirus (COVID-19) England as of 19-04-2023

### Assessment Key = Severity x Likelihood

Y		1102/1222 (1)		LIKELIHOOD		
14		IMPROBABLE (1)	REMOTE (2)	OCCASIONAL (3)	PROBABLE (4)	FREQUENT (5)
R	NEGLIGIBLE (1)	1	2	3	4	5
E	MINOR (2)	2	4	6	8	10
<u> </u>	MAJOR (3)	3	6	9	12	15
E	SEVERE (4)	4	8	12	16	20
S	FATALITY (5)	5	10	15	20	25

### Risk Rating

#### 17-25 UNACCEPTABLE RISK, STOP ACTIVITY AND MAKE IMMEDIATE IMPROVEMENTS

10-16 HIGH TOLERABLE RISK, LOOK TO IMPROVE IF POSSIBLE WITHIN TIMESCALE. SEEK FURTHER ADVICE FROM MANAGER OR TRUST CRM

5-9 MEDIUM ADEQUATE RISK, IF RISK CANNOT BE LOWERED FURTHER CONSIDER RISK AGAINST BENEFIT, LOOK TO IMPROVE AT NEXT REVIEW

1-4 LOW ACCEPTABLE RISK, NO FURTHER ACTION REQUIRED, <u>BUT,</u> ENSURE CONTROL MEASURES ARE MAINTAINED

# **Calculate Using**

	THE SEVERITY	Х	THE LIKELIHOOD
1	NEGLIGIBLE (No Injury)	1	IMPROBABLE (Very Un-Likely)
2	MINOR (Needs First Aid)	2	REMOTE (Un-Likely)
3	MAJOR (Up to 3 Days Absence)	3	OCCASIONAL (Possible)
4	SEVERE (More Than 3 Days Absence)	4	PROBABLE (Likely)
5	FATALITY (Death)	5	FREQUENT (Very Likely)



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## How COVID-19 is spread

COVID-19 spreads very easily through close contact with people who have the virus.

When someone with COVID-19 breathes, speaks, coughs or sneezes, they release small droplets containing the virus. You can catch it by breathing in these droplets or touching surfaces covered in them.

You are more likely to catch it indoors and in crowded places.

You can still catch or spread COVID-19 if you:

- do not have symptoms
- · are fully vaccinated
- have had the virus before

Many people will no longer be infectious to others after 5 days, but you can be infectious for up to 10 days.

## **Symptoms of COVID-19**

COVID-19 symptoms can include:

- a high temperature or shivering (chills) a high temperature means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- a new, continuous cough this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste
- shortness of breath
- · feeling tired or exhausted
- an aching body
- a headache
- a sore throat
- a blocked or runny nose
- loss of appetite
- diarrhoea
- feeling sick or being sick

The symptoms are very similar to symptoms of other illnesses, such as colds and flu.

Most people feel better within a few days or weeks of their first COVID-19 symptoms and make a full recovery within 12 weeks. For some people, it can be a more serious illness and their symptoms can last longer.



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Hazard		Initial risk			Controls measures	Action plan					al
	/ho is affected nd how?	Likelihood	Consequence	Risk L/M/ H	What controls are already in place	Further action required	By whom	By when	Likelihood	Consequence	Risk L/M/ H
Novel Mi Coronavirus Re (COVID-19) Br As	<ul> <li>Staff</li> <li>Pupils</li> <li>Parents</li> <li>Visitors</li> <li>Contractors</li> </ul> <b>ffects</b> lild flu symptoms respiratory infection reathing difficulties sthma atality	3	4	HIGH	<ul> <li>Latest PHE Coronavirus (COVID-19) information posters displayed in staff areas/visitor areas, entrances, classrooms and toilets for guidance on vaccinations, hand hygiene, respiratory hygiene, surface cleaning and ventilation.</li> <li>Regular briefings of GOV.UK Coronavirus (COVID-19) latest information give to all staff.</li> <li>COVID-19 risk assessment and revisions communicated to staff.</li> <li>Pupils reminded regularly to tell a member of staff if they feel unwell.</li> <li>e-Bug resources used to teach pupils and parents about hygiene.</li> <li>Pupils with SEND provided with specific help in preparation for changes.</li> <li>Staff provided with increased control measure information when transmission rates are high.</li> <li>Guidance provided to visitors, parents and contractors before entry to the school building around persons with COVID-19 symptoms, COVID-19</li> </ul>	Review RA based on updated guidance  Communicate updates to staff and visitors	LL	April 2023	1	4	LOW



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Dil					positive persons, hand hygiene, respiratory hygiene.  • Additional COVID-19 control measure training given to school hosts.	Basicad		Arril 2000			
Pupil attendance	• Pupils  Effects Loss of learning Loss of social development Safeguarding concern Stress	4	3	HIGH	<ul> <li>Pupil attendance is mandatory for all pupils, unless they have tested positive for COVID-19 or are unwell and have a high temperature.</li> <li>Where a pupil is unable to attend because they are following clinical and/or public health advice, they are offered access to remote education immediately.</li> <li>Any concerns from staff, parents and pupils about being at school are discussed with the SLT and individuals.</li> <li>Pupils who are reluctant or anxious to attend school are identified and SLT develop plans to re-engage these pupils.</li> </ul>	Revised communicati on to be sent out to stakeholders /display RA on website  Attendance staff to remind parents through first contact calls	LL/MD/ GC/TM	April 2023 April 2023	1	1	TOW
Staff at higher risk of becoming seriously unwell from COVID-19	•Staff  Effects  Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	4	5	VERY HIGH	<ul> <li>Staff should attend school unless advised to shield by a medical professional.</li> <li>COVID-19 Individual Risk Assessment completed with staff.</li> <li>COVID-19 Individual Risk Assessment reviewed, action plan updated and agreed as guidance or health conditions change.</li> <li>Additional support provided for hand hygiene, surface cleaning and ventilation through increased communication, facilities and materials.</li> <li>Concerns discussed with SLT when shown by staff.</li> <li>Staff recommended not to:         <ul> <li>a. deliver first aid</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Review and update individual risk assessments	LL	April 2023	1	5	MEDIUM



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					<ul> <li>b. provide personal or intimate care to pupil's</li> <li>c. supervise pupil's showing COVID-19 symptoms or virus symptoms or high temperatures.</li> <li>SLT to encourage staff compliance with disclosed medical advice.</li> <li>Unvaccinated or partially vaccinated staff advised to take a more precautionary approach.</li> <li>Avoid close contact with staff and pupils showing who are unwell and have a high temperature.</li> <li>Pregnancy risk assessment for new and expectant mothers carried out and additional precautions to be taken considered.</li> <li>Pregnancy risk assessment to be reviewed when guidance or medical conditions change.</li> </ul>		Davida	As iil 2000			
Pupils at higher risk of becoming seriously unwell from COVID-19	●Pupils  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	4	5	VERY HIGH	<ul> <li>Pupils should attend school unless advised to shield by a medical professional.</li> <li>Pupil Care Plans reviewed and amended to reduce the risk of COVID-19 infection in accordance with the latest guidance or when medical conditions change.</li> <li>Additional support provided for hand hygiene, surface cleaning and ventilation through increased communication, facilities and materials.</li> <li>Concerns discussed with SLT when shown by pupils or parents.</li> </ul>	Parents to update school regarding medical conditions that may make pupils more vulnerable	Parents	April 2023	1	5	MEDINM



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Unvaccinated members of staff	•Staff  Effects Mild flu symptoms				<ul> <li>Pupils encouraged by staff to follow good hand and respiratory hygiene practises.</li> <li>Staff to encourage pupil compliance with disclosed medical advice.</li> <li>All eligible staff are upon request provided with information for NHS vaccine guidance.</li> <li>Staff eligible for vaccination are allowed</li> </ul>	Unvaccinate d staff to share information	All staff	April 2023			
Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	4	5	VERY HIGH	to attend booked appointments.  The vaccination status of staff should be shared with the School Principal so consideration can be given where needed to protect staff and pupils.  Any communications produced by the school regarding vaccination are retained, in line with the Data Protection Policy.  Staff who are not fully vaccinated should pay particular attention to the school's existing COVID -19 controls around ventilation, hand washing, cleaning of surfaces etc.  School Principal to consider additional measures to protect staff who are not fully vaccinated case-by-case.  In all cases, the school does not discriminate against any member of staff who has not being fully vaccinated for any reason, and adheres to its duties under the Equality Act 2010.  The NHS website provides information about available vaccines and when to have them.	with principal			1	4	LOW



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Staff confirmed COVID-19 positive or showing symptoms  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	Staff Pupils Parents Visitors Contractors  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	5	4	VERY HIGH	<ul> <li>Staff with mild symptoms such as a runny nose, sore throat, or mild cough, who are otherwise well, can continue to attend work.</li> <li>Staff who are unwell and have a high temperature should avoid contact with other persons and remain at home when possible until they feel well enough to attend and their temperature has returned to normal.</li> <li>Staff who are unwell and have a high temperature who choose to take a COVID-19 test and test positive should avoid contact with others and try to stay at home for 5 days after the day of the initial positive test result.</li> <li>Staff who have tested positive for COVID-19 who then test negative within the 5 day stay at home period may return to work.</li> <li>Staff who become unwell and have a high temperature whilst at school should inform a member of SLT and return home. Unwell staff should wear a well-fitting face covering made with multiple layers or a surgical face mask whilst on the school premises.</li> <li>COVID-19 positive staff should avoid contact with higher risk persons regardless of vaccination status for 10 days after the day the positive test result.</li> <li>Where required relevant parents and staff are informed of confirmed COVID-19 cases; however, the name of the individual is not shared.</li> </ul>	Reinforce requirements where staff confirm positive test or symptoms  Staff updates/share RA	LL	April 2023	2	4	MEDIUM



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Pupils confirmed COVID-19 positive or showing symptoms  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	•Staff •Pupils •Parents •Visitors •Contractors  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	5	4	VERY HIGH	<ul> <li>Pupils with mild symptoms such as a runny nose, sore throat, or mild cough, who are otherwise well, can continue to attend school.</li> <li>Pupils who are unwell and have a high temperature should avoid contact with other persons and remain at home when possible until they feel well enough to attend and their temperature has returned to normal.</li> <li>Pupils who are unwell and have a high temperature who choose to take a COVID-19 test and test positive should avoid contact with others and try to stay at home for 3 days after the day of the initial positive test result.</li> <li>Pupils who become unwell and have a high temperature whilst at school should be placed in an isolated location and parents contacted to collect the pupil.</li> <li>Careful consideration given to refuse a pupils access to school who are unwell and have a high temperature. Decisions made using latest PHE guidance.</li> <li>Where required relevant parents and staff are informed of confirmed COVID-19 cases; however, the name of the individual is not shared.</li> <li>Supply of disposable tissues, a foot</li> </ul>	Share updates and reiterate guidance to parents where case confirmed Display RA on website	LL/MD/ GC	April 2023  April 2023	2	4	MEDICM
at school  Transmission /	Casualty Pupils Parents Visitors	5	4	VERY	operated bin with bin bag, anti-bacterial wipes, sink with liquid soap and disposable hand towels or hand sanitiser 60% alcohol, face masks with an FFP2	emergency stock of PPE Ensure parent/carer	GC/MD	April 2023	2	4	



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two metres staff to wear:							
a. FFP2, FFP3 tight-fitting face mask							
where available or fluid resistant surgical							
face mask.							
<b>b.</b> face visor or goggles to be worn if the							
isolated person is coughing, sneezing,			isolated person is coughing, sneezing,				
vomiting or spitting.							
c. latex free gloves and disposable			<ul><li>c. latex free gloves and disposable</li></ul>				
apron if physical contact is necessary.			apron if physical contact is necessary.				
Staff to receive training on the correct			<ul> <li>Staff to receive training on the correct</li> </ul>				
method required to put on and remove							
PPE.							
Once vacated places of isolation, toilets			Once vacated places of isolation, toilets				
and other locations such as classrooms							
or offices used by the symptomatic			or offices used by the symptomatic				
person will be cleaned and disinfected in							



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					accordance with PHE "Decontamination in non-healthcare settings guidance" using standard cleaning products.  • Staff should wear as a minimum disposable gloves and apron. Additional PPE (FFP2, FFP3 tight-fitting face mask if available or fluid resistant surgical face mask and face visor or goggles worn when a risk assessment indicates a higher level of virus may be present.  • All waste that has been in contact with the symptomatic person, including used tissues and PPE, all PPE worn by staff in close contact with the person and all cloths and mop heads used to disinfect areas are put in a plastic rubbish bag						
Hand hygiene Transmission / Spread of	Staff Pupils Parents Visitors			H <sub>D</sub>	Waste put in a secure safe place and marked for storage for at least 72 hours before putting into usual external household waste bin.  •Staff to wash their hands thoroughly for 20 seconds with soap and running water or use hand sanitiser following cleaning of or areas, removal of PPE and after any contact with someone who is unwell.  •Adequate handwashing (soap and running water) and hand sanitising facilities provided.  •Skin-friendly sanitising wipes used for	Maintain adequate stock of soap/sanitise r etc	MD/MD	April 2023			<b>A</b>
Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	•Contractors  Effects  Mild flu symptoms  Respiratory infection	3	4	HIG	pupils who may ingest hand sanitiser.  •Hand dryers or disposable paper towels provided for drying hands.	Complete COSHH for new products	GC	April 2023	1	4	LOW



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	Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality				<ul> <li>Waste bins with remote/foot operated lids and lined with a bin bag provided for paper towels disposal.</li> <li>Visual aids displayed reminding pupils, staff, and visitors, parents to wash or sanitise their hands regularly.</li> <li>Pupils using hand sanitiser are appropriately supervised to avoid ingestion.</li> <li>Younger pupils and those with complex needs are supported to practice good hand cleaning.</li> <li>Hand sanitiser COSHH Assessment communicated to staff.</li> </ul>						
Respiratory hygiene  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	Staff Pupils Parents Visitors Contractors  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	3	4	HIGH	<ul> <li>Adequate amounts of tissues provided in occupied areas.</li> <li>Waste bins with remote/foot operated lids and lined with a bin bag provided for used tissue and face coverings disposal.</li> <li>Visual aids displayed reminding pupils staff, visitors, parents to follow the 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach.</li> <li>Younger pupils and those with complex needs supported to practice good respiratory hygiene.</li> <li>Individual risk assessments conducted for pupils with complex needs who struggle to maintain good respiratory hygiene.</li> </ul>	Monitor and maintain adequate stock  Pupils reminded through educational resources	All staff	April 2023 April 2023	1	4	LOW
Cleaning Rooms Shared spaces Materials Equipment Transmission /	•Staff •Pupils •Parents •Visitors •Contractors  Effects	3	4	HIGH	<ul> <li>Deep clean using fogging equipment and disinfectant solution at School Principal or SBMAT CLT request.</li> <li>A cleaning schedule maintained for frequent cleaning of rooms, equipment and materials using standard cleaning</li> </ul>	Inform cleaners of additional cleaning requirements Ensure COSHH	LL GC	April 2023 April 2023	1	4	LOW



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Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality  Effects of using hazardous cleaning substances Irritation of skin and respiratory system, damage to eyes and internal organs				products, detergents or anti-bacterial products.  • Anti-bacterial wipes/sprays available and securely stored to prevent pupil access.  • Waste bins emptied frequently to suit usage.  • Staff wear latex free gloves when cleaning and handling waste such as used tissues and PPE and wash hands after use.  • Staff read and follow cleaning products COSHH Assessments.  • Cleaning contractors asked to provide copies of their risk assessment for managing exposure to COVID-19.  • School information sharing with contracted cleaning services to reduce exposure to COVID-19.  • GermDefence website used to identify ways to protect against COVID-19.	assessments are up to date				
Ventilation  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	•Staff •Pupils •Parents •Visitors •Contractors  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection	3	4	HIGH	<ul> <li>Use of outside space wherever possible and appropriate.</li> <li>Ventilation increased and adequate room size when hosting events.</li> <li>Annual inspections of ventilation systems in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations to confirm fully operational.</li> </ul>	NFA		1	4	LOW



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Breathing difficulties	Ventilation systems remain in use in
Asthma	normal operating mode.
Fatality	Mechanical ventilation re-circulatory
Tatality	systems adjusted to full fresh air.
	Windows and trickle vents in windows
	open when rooms are occupied.
	Classrooms rearranged to minimise the
	discomfort caused by draughts from
	open windows, e.g. by moving desks
	and chairs.
	◆High level windows opened in
	preference to low level windows, to
	reduce draughts.
	Ventilation increased while the space is
	unoccupied, e.g. during break and
	lunchtimes.
	Staff and pupils allowed to wear
	additional indoor clothing in cooler
	temperatures.
	Heating used as necessary to ensure
	comfort levels are maintained in
	occupied spaces
	CO2 monitors used in accordance with
	the manufacturers operating instructions
	to assess ventilation levels.
	Where the CO2 monitor reading
	exceeds 800ppm, ventilation is
	increased in the necessary spaces.
	•School Principal considers the use of air
	cleaning units where consistently high
	CO2 readings of 1,500 particles per
	million (ppm) or higher for at least one
	week while the room is occupied and
	where increasing ventilation such as
	opening of windows and doors is not
	possible.



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Catering Missed meals  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	•Staff •Pupils  Effects Hunger Depression Poor nutrition Chronic illness Poor performance Delayed physical and mental development  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	4	4	HBH	<ul> <li>FSM or food parcels are provided for eligible pupils who are not attending school during term time where they: <ul> <li>Are self-isolating.</li> <li>Have COVID-19 symptoms or a positive test result.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Catering contractors asked to provide copies of their risk assessment for managing exposure to COVID-19.</li> <li>School information sharing with contracted catering services to reduce exposure to COVID-19.</li> <li>Plates and cutlery thoroughly washed at 70°C between each use.</li> <li>Tables regularly cleaned / disinfected by staff.</li> <li>Staff wash hands for at least 20 seconds with soap and water before serving food and before/after cleaning down.</li> </ul>	Maintain record of pupils absent and isolating & liaise with Chartwells	MD	April 2023	1	4	LOW
Remote learning  Pupils following clinical or government guidance to avoid contact with others.	Pupils      Effects     Loss of learning     Loss of social     development	4	3	HIGH	<ul> <li>Pupils given access to remote education as soon as reasonably practicable.</li> <li>School provision of remote education equipment and learning resources in accordance with Department of Education guidance.</li> </ul>	Ascertain access to resources and technology & resource appropriately	Teachin g staff	April 2023	1	1	LOW



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Pupils who are COVID-19 positive or are unwell and have a high temperature.												
Providing personal or intimate care to pupils  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	Staff Pupils  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	4	4	HIGH	<ul> <li>Staff at higher risk of becoming seriously unwell from COVID-19 advised not to provide close contact personal or intimate care.</li> <li>PPE provided for staff use including disposable latex free gloves, disposable apron, fluid resistant surgical face mask, face visor or safety goggles.</li> <li>Staff instructed on the safe "donning and doffing" of PPE.</li> <li>Review of Care Plans for pupils who spit uncontrollably or use saliva as a sensory stimulant to be carried out to determine PPE requirements based on individual circumstances.</li> <li>Hand washing or sanitising by staff and pupils receiving support before and after care is provided.</li> </ul>	Additional PPE to be provided to EYFS  Monitor and maintain stock levels of PPE	MD  EYFS staff/MD	April 2023 April 2023		2	4	MEDIUM
Providing first aid  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel	•Staff •Casualty  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties	4	4	HIGH	<ul> <li>Staff at higher risk of becoming seriously unwell from COVID-19 advised not to provide first aid.</li> <li>If the casualty is capable, first aider to instruct casualty to self administer treatment.</li> </ul>	Monitor and maintain stock levels of PPE	GC/MD	April 2023	,	2	4	MEDIUM



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Coronavirus (COVID-19)	Asthma Fatality				<ul> <li>First aiders to wash/sanitise hands before and after treating a casualty.</li> <li>Disposable gloves, disposable apron, fluid resistant surgical mask worn when administering first aid to a COVID-19 symptomatic person.</li> <li>Safety goggles or face visor worn where there is a risk of respiratory droplets splashing into eyes due to repeated coughing or vomiting.</li> <li>First aiders instructed on the safe "donning and doffing" of PPE.</li> <li>When performing CPR phone an ambulance and use compression only CPR until the ambulance arrives.</li> <li>Use a resuscitation face shield whilst performing mouth to mouth resuscitation.</li> <li>In an emergency call 999 and inform the emergency services if the injured person is showing COVID-19 symptoms.</li> <li>Assessment of First Aid requirements reviewed as COVID-19 guidance changes.</li> </ul>					
Staff administration of medicines or supervision of pupils who self- administer.  Transmission /	•Staff •Pupils  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	4	4	H9IH	Staff to wash/sanitise hands before and after administering medication to each pupil.	NFA		2	4	MEDICM



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Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	•Staff				Alcohol-based hand sanitiser containing	Monitor and	MD/MD	April 2023			
equipment and PPE  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	●Pupils  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	4	4	H9IH	at least 60% alcohol available where hand wash sinks are not available such as isolation rooms, first aid rooms, shared spaces, entrance and exit points.  • Latex free gloves available in classrooms and isolation locations and first aid rooms.  • Face masks with an FFP2 or FFP3 rating if available or fluid resistant surgical mask in isolation rooms.  • Fluid resistant surgical mask available in first aid rooms and classrooms.  • Face visors or safety goggles available in isolation locations and first aid rooms.  • Disposable aprons available in isolation locations and first aid rooms.  • Replenishment of stocks of hand sanitising gel, liquid soaps and PPE.	maintain adequate levels of PPE			2	4	MEDIUM
Educational visits  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	•Staff •Pupils •Volunteers  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	3	4	H9IH	A full and thorough risk assessment including the spread or transmission of COVID-19 is made in relation to all educational visits to ensure they can be undertaken safely, and all trips are conducted in line with their risk assessment.	Be prepared to alter planning in the event that guidance changes	All staff	April 2023	1	4	FOW



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Stress  Symptoms Anxiety Excessive drinking Overeating Sleeping poorly Shaking, chills or hot flushes A tingling sensation in your arms or legs Headaches Muscle tension Dizziness High blood pressure Indigestion Constipation or diarrhea Shallow breathing or hyperventilating  Effects Poor emotional and physical wellbeing  Stress  Symptoms  Anxiety Excessive drinking Overeating Sleeping poorly Shaking, chills or hot flushes A tingling sensation in your arms or legs Headaches Muscle tension Dizziness High blood pressure Indigestion Constipation or diarrhea Shallow breathing or hyperventilating  Effects Poor emotional and physical wellbeing  Stress Policy communicated to all staff.  Awareness about all types of stress and its causes raised through discussions, literature and training.  Changes to work-related practices to reduce the factors which may lead to stress in the workplace.  Opportunities for staff and employees to maintain and promote their health and well-being.  A culture of open communication throughout the organisation.  Good management and team building practices for those with management and supervisory responsibilities.  Supportive environment in which issues and concerns can be raised and dealt with appropriately.  Guidance for managers to assist in the sensitive management of staff likely to encounter stressful situations.  Appropriate training interventions to hel alleviate the stress.  Assist and advise staff suffering from work-related stress issues.  Access to a free helpline for school staf and targeted support for mental health and wellbeing available at The	expectations and current guidance regularly communicate with staff  Open policy of discussion with SLT and referrals to support services where necessary	LL	April 2023	2	3	MOCEN	
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					Education Support Partnership and Wellbeing for Education Return programme.						
Contingency planning  Transmission / Spread of Germs and Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)	•Staff •Pupils •Parents •Visitors •Contractors  Effects Mild flu symptoms Respiratory infection Breathing difficulties Asthma Fatality	4	4	HIGH	The school has a Coronavirus (COVID- 19): Contingency Plan that can be implemented if restrictions need to be stepped up due to coronavirus, including the reintroduction of face coverings.	Liaison with break out team/health services	LL	April 2023	2	4	MEDIUM



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## **Risk Assessment Register of Communication**

By completing the register I am confirming that I have read, had the opportunity to seek clarification, understood the contents and agree to follow the risk control measures of risk assessment title Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Revision 24

Date of Communication	Name	el Coronavirus (COVID-19) Revision 24 Signature	
Communication			