

Return to school risk assessment – Full Opening of Schools

School	St Nicholas CE Primary School	Assessment Date	8/06/2020	Completed by:	N.Smith
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THIS MODEL RISK ASSESSMENT NEEDS TO BE UPDATED REGUARLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT ADVICE.

IT SHOULD SUPPLEMENT ANY EXISTING RISK ASSESSMENTS IN EDUCATIONAL SETTINGS.

IT IS NOT A GENERIC RISK ASSESSMENT THAT JUST APPLIES TO EVERY SETTING. IT IS IMPORTANT THAT HEADTEACHERS/MANAGERS GO THROUGH AND ADAPT THE RISK ASSESSMENT FOR THEIR OWN SCHOOL OR EARLY YEARS SETTING.

IT IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED THAT YOU INVOLVE EMPLOYEES IN THE RISK ASSESSMENT PROCESS. ONCE COMPLETE SHARE THE FINDINGS AND PROVIDE ANY INSTRUCTION NEEDED TO IMPLEMENT MEASURES. LOCAL MONITORING MUST ALSO FOLLOW TO ENSURE MEASURES ARE IMPLEMENTED AND CONTROLLING THE RISKS.

In completing this risk assessment it needs to be recognised that neither myself, Nicola Smith, Headteacher, nor the Governors of our school have experience of viral transmission or of mitigating the risks. We are not able to eradicate the risks to staff or children but in carrying out the risk assessment and actions we hope to mitigate some of the risks to keep everyone safe.

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Incomplete H&S compliance checks	All attending school	 School has ensured all statutory compliance checks are up to date prior to reopening for the autumn term, all the usual pre-term building checks are undertaken to make the school safe, including legionella checks. Advice on this can be found in the guidance on Legionella risks during the coronavirus outbreak. 	 HSE's classroom checklist to be completed Additional advice on safely reoccupying buildings can be found in the Chartered Institute of Building Services Engineers' guidance 	S.	

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			on emerging from lockdown • Also refer to Refer to LCA document 'LCA Guidance for members on Reopening Buildings'		
Contracting Covid 19 virus	All attending school by contracting the virus through:	Following up to date Government guidance by — o minimising contact with individuals who are unwell by ensuring that those who have coronavirus symptoms, or who have someone in their household who does, do not attend childcare settings, schools or colleges o raise awareness of signs and symptoms cleaning hands more often than usual - wash hands thoroughly for 20 seconds with running water and soap and dry them thoroughly or use alcohol hand rub or sanitiser ensuring that all parts of the hands are covered Reviewing guidance on hand cleaning ensure that sufficient handwashing facilities are available. Where a sink is not nearby, provide hand sanitiser in classrooms and other	The following applies to all hazards listed - School to provide training, supervision, information. Some children and young people will need additional support to follow these measures (for example, routes round school marked in braille or with other meaningful symbols, and social stories to support them in understanding how to follow rules) School to issue regular reminders to both staff and pupils Posters to be displayed in line with Government advice	Schools as and when necessary	

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		learning environments clean hands on arrival at the setting, before and after eating, after sneezing or coughing, when returning from breaks, when changing rooms and after using the toilet encourage not to touch their mouth, eyes and nose	Regular and thorough hand cleaning is going to be needed for the foreseeable future. Points to consider and implement:		
	touching contaminated surfaces	 ensuring good respiratory hygiene by promoting the 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach Ensuring enough bins and tissues are available throughout school Assisting young pupils and those with complex needs maintain good respiratory hygiene minimising contact and mixing by altering, as much as possible, the environment (such as classroom layout) and timetables (such as staggered break times) Staff aware of access to testing arrangements follow the COVID-19: cleaning of non-healthcare settings guidance and further guidance issued by PHE SW http://thehub.bathnes.gov.uk/Servic es/4636 	 supervision of hand sanitiser use given risks around ingestion. Small children and pupils with complex needs should continue to be helped to clean their hands properly. Skin friendly skin cleaning wipes can be used as an alternative Hand sanitiser without alcohol to be used across school. building these routines into school culture, supported by behaviour expectations and helping ensure younger children and 		

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		 cleaning frequently touched surfaces often using standard products, such as detergents and bleach. clean surfaces that children and young people are touching, such as toys, books, desks, chairs, doors, sinks, toilets, light switches, bannisters, more regularly than normal discuss with cleaning contractors or staff the additional cleaning requirements and agree additional hours to allow for this 	needs understand the need to follow them Hand wash schedule is in place.		
		 prop doors open during the school day, where safe to do so (not fire doors), consider fire and safeguarding issues, to limit use of door handles and aid ventilation 			
		 cleaning hands more often than usual - wash hands thoroughly for 20 seconds with running water and soap and dry them thoroughly or use alcohol hand rub or sanitiser ensuring that all parts of the hands are covered. This should include when they arrive at school, when they return from breaks, when they change rooms before and after eating and after using the toilet 	Classrooms and play spaces set up to encourage social distancing with the younger		
		 if required, ensuring young pupils have help in cleaning hands thoroughly 	children. Desks to be separated and spaces to be divided.		

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		 engaging parents and children in education resources such as ebug and PHE schools resources Reduce the use of Shared resources such as books and games: can be used and shared within the bubble these will be cleaned regularly along with all frequently touched surfaces Pupils and teachers can take books and other shared resources home, although unnecessary sharing will be avoided, especially where this does not contribute to pupil education and development. Similar rules on hand cleaning, cleaning of the resources and rotation will apply to these resources. Individual and very frequently used equipment, such as pencils and pens, will not be shared. Staff and pupils will have their own prevent the sharing of stationery and other equipment where possible. Shared materials and surfaces will be cleaned and disinfected more frequently 	All sides in classrooms to be cleared for easy cleaning. Dining hall to be set up to seat maximum of 110 (half capacity)(max 4 per table apart from reception who will sit at tables of 6) 3 sittings. Classes spaced in bubbles –tables kept apart. Classes to leave together Cleaner to be employed from 11am every day. Classrooms to be vacated by 4pm every day. (after this time teachers must work at their own desks.) Teachers and teaching assistants are advised they should leave the school as soon as they are able. Schedule for handwashing and resource cleaning has been produced. Resources will be quarantined for 48 hours.		

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		 Resources that are shared between classes or bubbles, such as sports, art and science equipment will be cleaned frequently and meticulously and always between bubbles, or rotated to allow them to be left unused and out of reach for a period of 48 hours (72 hours for plastics) between use by different bubbles. pupils limit the amount of equipment they bring into school each day, to essentials such as lunch boxes, hats, coats, books, stationery and mobile phones. Bags are allowed 	Parents informed, books will be quarantined for 48 hours. • All doors to be closed in event of fire evacuation and at end of day • Play equipment given to each bubble		
		 school will keep a record of pupils and staff in each group, and any close contact that takes place between children and staff in different groups. 	Seating plan for each class Crossing of bubbles only as timetabled. HLTAs now allocated to bubbles with only teacher absences being a cause of cross bubble movements in extreme circumstances. One HLTA allocated to each bubble.		

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Infection	All attending school or		In the event of a local		
outbreak/cases	All attending school or in class/bubble	 Schools will take swift action when aware that someone who has attended has tested positive for coronavirus (COVID-19) School will ensure they understand the NHS Test and Trace process and how to contact their local Public Health England health protection team. School will engage with the NHS Test and Trace process https://www.gov.uk/guidance/nhs-test-and-trace-how-it-works#people-who-develop-symptoms-of-coronavirus https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-getting-tested manage confirmed cases amongst the school community contain any outbreak by following local 	outbreak, the PHE health protection team or local authority may advise a school or number of schools to close temporarily to help control transmission. Schools will also need a contingency plan for this eventuality. This may involve a return to remaining open only for vulnerable children and the children of critical workers, and providing remote education for all other pupils. Remote curriculum being planned for each week. All staff in now proficient in		
		health protection team advice as detailed in PHE SW HPT: Guidance for Childcare and Educational Settings in the management of Covid-19, Version 3, 05.06.2020 – http://thehub.bathnes.gov.uk/Services/4636	using Google classrooms. All teaching staff trained to use Google classrooms.		

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			school keep a record of pupils and staff in each group, and any close contact that takes places between children and staff in different groups	Paperpacks would be sent out with children at point of closure. Virtual learning would be timetabled to ensure there were no sibling clashes. Computers being lent to pupils who need them.		
Cleaning	Cleaners and all others attending school	•	Following PHE and PHE SW guidance having a cleaning schedule, correct cleaning materials, disposal clothes, colour coded clothes for different areas etc.	Cleaning schedule in place.		
Waste	All attending the school who may be in contact with it	•	Following PHE and PHE SW guidance adequate facilities for the disposal of waste and PPE and adequate storage procedures prior to collection.			
Class sizes and maintaining distances	All attending school by close contact with pupils/staff and being unable to keep a minimum of ideally 2 meters distance apart	•	Where possible, school to implement smaller groups the size of a full class keeping groups away from other groups where possible, to reduce transmission risk. If capacity allows, school will take steps to limit interaction, sharing of rooms and social spaces between groups as much as possible older children should be encouraged to keep their distance within groups For pre-school children in early years settings, the staff to child ratios within Early Years Foundation Stage continue to apply	Desks will be allocated in rooms – reception children will continue to free-flow. Bubbles will be; Reception+ year 1	N.Smith	Staff Brief meeting January 4th

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		 All teachers and other staff can operate across different classes and year groups in order to facilitate the delivery of the school timetable but will try to keep their distance from pupils and other staff as much as they can, ideally 2 metres from other adults Staff to reduce face to face contact and avoid close face to face contact, minimising time spent within 1 metre of anyone (this will not be possible when working with pupils who have complex needs or need close contact care) ensure that wherever possible children and young people use the same classroom or area of a setting throughout the day, with a thorough cleaning of the rooms at the end of the day. In schools and colleges, consider seating students at the same desk each day if they attend on consecutive days small adaptations to the classroom made to support distancing where possible, including seating pupils side by side and facing forwards, rather than face to face or side on refresh the timetable: decide which lessons or activities will be delivered consider which lessons or classroom activities could take place outdoors use the timetable and selection of classroom or other learning environment to reduce movement around the school or building 	year 2 Year 3 Year 4 Years 5 Years 6 Classrooms set up from year 3 upwards front facing in year 1 and 2 groups are kept to as small as possible Each year group has allocated play space. Virtual worship daily. No music lessons involving musical instruments. PE use of equipment to what can be easily anti bac wiped. Each bubble to have a set of balls to use within pod, cleaning schedule explains cleaning of these. Plan has been sent out to parents		

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		 stagger assembly groups stagger break times (including lunch), so that all children are not moving around the school at the same time plan parents' drop-off and pick-up protocols that minimise adult to adult contact in addition, childcare settings or early years 	Breaks are staggered and one way system in school. PE outside as much as possible. Hall can be used for socially distanced fitness.	N Smith	
		groups in school should: consider how to keep small groups of children together throughout the day and to avoid larger groups of children mixing consider how play equipment is used ensuring it is appropriately cleaned between groups of children using it, and that multiple groups do	All sides to be cleared. Staggered starts relayed to parents with gates to be used in newsletter • Some schools may keep children in their class groups for the		
		 not use it simultaneously remove unnecessary items from classrooms and other learning environments where there is space to store it elsewhere remove soft furnishings, soft toys and toys that are hard to clean (such as those with intricate parts) 	majority of the classroom time, but also allow mixing into wider groups for specialist teaching, wraparound care and transport. Siblings may also be in different		
		 use outside space for outdoor education, where possible, as this can limit transmission and more easily allow for distance between children and staff school keeps a record of pupils and staff in each group, and any close contact that takes 	groups. Endeavouring to keep these groups at least partially separate and minimising contacts between children will still offer public health		

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		places between children and staff in different	benefits		
		groups.	During lesson time pupils will be kept in class bubbles where teachers or HLTAs have to cross bubbles they should go to the class and keep 2 metres distance from the class.		
			Timetables are clear as to which teachers are teaching which classes when.		
			Additional risk assessment/procedure s required for pupils with complex needs/close contact care		
			actions for restraining and the use of PPE remain in place. Masks and gloves to be		

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			used if pupils require restraining.		
Pupils arriving/leaving school at start and end of day	All parents/carers/pupils being dropped off at school or arriving by school transport e.g. buses taxis	 School will consider how children and young people arrive at the education or childcare setting, avoiding peak times, and reduce any unnecessary travel on coaches, buses or public transport where possible. See Coronavirus (COVID-19): safer travel guidance for passengers for further details 	Schedule in place.		
		 stagger start/drop-off and end/collection times parents and pupils advised of their allocated drop off and collection times and the process for doing so, including protocols for minimising adult to adult contact (for example, which entrance to use) 	Pupils to enter via specific gates. No parents to enter school without an appointment. Schedule in place All parents to wear face masks on the carpark. SLT on duty will wear face masks.		

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		 access rooms directly from outside where possible if pupil needs to be accompanied to the education or childcare setting, only one parent can attend made clear to parents that they cannot gather at entrance gates or doors, or enter the site (unless they have a pre-arranged appointment, which should be conducted safely) 	All rooms have outside doors – staff to be advised to use these. Parents advised Parents advised	N.Smith and Will Low	
		 If required, 2m markings by entrance to ensure social distancing and/or display guidance 	N.Smith and Will Low to police		
A pupil routinely attending more than one school	All staff and pupils	School will work through the system of controls collaboratively to address any risks identified allowing to deliver a broad and balanced curriculum for the child.	Not applicable		
Pupils/staff arriving at school wearing face masks	Pupils and staff due to possible contamination	 School has a process for removing face coverings which is communicate it clearly to everyone Pupils are instructed not to touch the front of their face covering during use or when removing them. They must wash their hands immediately on arrival (as is the case for all pupils), dispose of temporary face coverings in a covered bin or place reusable face coverings 	Every class to have nappy sacks to put disposable masks in – these bags to be tied and placed in bin. Disposal should be at the point of entry.		

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			 in a plastic bag they can take home with the and then wash their hands again before heading to their classroom Guidance on safe working in education, childcare and children's social care provides more advice. 			
peripa and/or staff w	teachers, tetic teachers to ther temporary who move en schools	All staff and pupils	 School will minimise the numbers of tempors staff entering the school premises Tell visitor not to enter the education or childcare setting if they are displaying any symptoms of coronavirus. Inform all visitors, suppliers, and contractors that only prearranged calls will be allowed on site Covid 19 posters displayed in reception area Risk assessment from the contractor is view by the school before appointment (sent electronically) Contractor will be expected to comply with the school's arrangements for managing and minimising risk A copy of this risk assessment is available to view or can be sent electronically before vision Physical distancing and hygiene is explained visitors on or before arrival. Contractors/school to ensure that they minimic contact and maintain as much distance as possible from other staff Record date, contact name and contact detay for visitor, and request they contact the school 	Specialists, therapists, clinicians and other support staff for pupils with SEND should provide interventions as usual. Their own risk assessments should be followed all visitors to the schools are advised of our visitors riak assessment and given a copy of our visitors procedure. All visitors will be expected to follow the schools COVID procedures. They will be given a leaflet explaining the expectations on arrival.		

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		they subsequently become symptomatic.			
Extra-curricular provision- including breakfast club and after school provision	Pupils and staff	 Schools will carefully consider how to make such provision work alongside the wider protective measures, including keeping children within their year groups or bubbles where possible. If it is not possible to maintain bubbles being used during the school day then schools will use small, consistent groups. As with physical activity during the school day, contact sports should not take place. 	Clubs are currently paused. Clubs will be limited and not involve mixed bubbles. No contact sports explained to staff. Private provider provides before and after school provision.		
Music Lessons	Pupils and staff There may be an additional risk of infection in environments where people are singing, chanting, playing wind or brass instruments or shouting. This applies even if individuals are at a distance	School to consider how to reduce the risk, particularly when pupils are playing instruments or singing in small groups such as in music lessons by, for example: physical distancing and playing outside wherever possible, positioning pupils back-to-back or side-to-side avoiding sharing of instruments ensuring good ventilation. Singing, wind and brass playing should not take place in larger groups such as school choirs and ensembles, or school assemblies.	more detailed DfE guidance will be published shortly. No whole school singing		
Physical activity		 Pupils will be kept in consistent groups, sports equipment will be thoroughly cleaned between each use by different individual 	All classes have allocated 2 PE slots outside each week.		

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		 groups contact sports avoided. Outdoor sports will be prioritised where possible large indoor spaces used where it is not, maximising distancing between pupils and paying scrupulous attention to cleaning and hygiene School will refer to and follow the following guidance guidance on the phased return of sport and recreation and guidance from Sport England for grassroot sport advice from organisations such as the Association for Physical Education and the Youth Sport Trust 	Move a mile in bubbles daily. Socially distanced fitness in the hall for individual work out when weather stops sport outside – to include Joe Wicks and Cosmic Yoga style fitness.		
Other visitors including parents/suppliers/contractors arriving at school	All staff, pupils and visitors/contractors	 Tell visitor not to enter the education or childcare setting if they are displaying any symptoms of coronavirus. Inform all visitors, suppliers, and contractors that only prearranged calls will be allowed on site Covid 19 posters displayed in reception area Inform any visitor, suppliers, contractors of any infection control procedures on site e.g. site guidance on physical distancing and hygiene is explained to visitors on or before arrival Deliveries arranged at quiet times or before or after school opening/closing. Agreement from Suppliers of their confirmation and understanding of the new arrangements should ideally be sought Record date, contact name and contact details 	 Staff toilets in hall to be used toilet & hand washing facilities for visitors and contractors. They will be advised to follow cleaning schedule in the toilets as all staff do. Provide visitor / supplier / contractor with a designated point of contact and phone number 	SBL to brief as appropriate. SBL/Office staff to produce visitor leaflet	As required By 17 th July

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		for visitor, and request they contact the school if they subsequently become symptomatic.	Unless an emergency ensure all contractors works are carried out 'outside of normal working hours'		
Entering and exiting school/classrooms	All staff, pupils, visitors/contractors	 avoid creating busy corridors, entrances and exits access rooms directly from outside where possible consider one-way circulation, or place a divider down the middle of the corridor to keep groups apart as they move through the setting where spaces are accessed by corridors staggering breaks to ensure that any corridors or circulation routes used have a limited number of pupils using them at any time staggering lunch breaks (see below) 	Staff need to be briefed; Circulation planned down the corridor up the outside, pinch point joining of the corridors. Pinch point - give way from narrow corridor main corridor to have priority from the right. Timetable and duty list completed As above		
Large gatherings in school hall/dining area/internal and external sports facilities	All staff, pupils, visitors, contractors	 Use room/space at half capacity staggering lunch breaks children and young people should clean their hands beforehand and enter in the groups they are already in, groups should be kept apart as much as possible and 	Playground to be split up, dining hall seats to be allocated to pupils in class groups Three sittings instead of two. R and Ks1 =bubble 1=111 pupils (half hall capacity) Year 3 and 4 +Midford = bubble 2 =95 max Year 5 and 6 = bubble 3 = 80		

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		 tables should be cleaned between each group. If such measures are not possible, children should be brought their lunch in their classrooms 	max Cleaning schedule in place. Timetabled Table cleaning schedule in place Play areas timetabled and staggered use. Staff should sit at allocated table in class bubbles. Children should be encouraged to cut up their own food. Only reception children should be having their food cut up and this must be done by their own staff.		
Using toilets	All staff, pupils, visitors, contractors	 ensuring that toilets do not become crowded by limiting the number using them. A 1 in 1 out system may be necessary pupils are encouraged to clean their hands thoroughly after using the toilet regular cleaning of area 	1 toilet 1 person Toilet cleaning instructions in staff toilets – taps etc wiped down after every use. Cleaner in rotating around toilets and basins, handles from 11am every day	N.Smith	Staff briefed 3 rd September
Pupil behaviour	All staff pupils, visitors, contractors	 Behaviour policy updated due to the need of pupils to behave differently when they return to school, this includes all new systems put in place due to Covid 19 Communicated changes to pupils, parents and staff. 	Statement appendix agreed.	N.Smith Governors agreed at FGB	

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Meeting in staff room and offices	All staff, visitors and contractors	Stagger use of rooms to limit occupancy and consider using other rooms to maintain social distancing	Outdoor space set aside for staff Hall to be used as meeting room. Staff room max 5 – Reception bubble Sheppey to be used as staff room Years 5 and 6 Library Years 3 and 4 Spare classroom years 1 and 2		September
Transporting pupils to school via school transport	Driver, guide escort and pupils	encouraging parents and children and young people to walk or cycle to their education setting where possible	Continues as already set up for lock down.		
		consider using 'walking buses'			
		 making sure schools, parents and young people follow the Coronavirus (COVID-19): safer travel guidance for passengers when planning their travel ensuring that transport arrangements cater for any changes to start and finish times 			
		 making sure transport providers do not work if they or a member of their household are displaying any symptoms of coronavirus 			
		 making sure transport providers, as far as possible, follow hygiene rules and try to keep distance from their passengers 			
		taking appropriate actions to reduce risk if hygiene rules and social distancing is not possible, for example when transporting children and young people with complex needs who need support to access the vehicle or fasten seatbelts			

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		local authorities or transport providers could consider the following:			
		 guidance or training for school transport colleagues 			
		 substituting smaller vehicles with larger ones, or running 2 vehicles rather than one, where possible, to reduce the number of passengers per vehicle and increase the amount of space between passengers 			
		 cordoning off seats and eliminating face-to-face seating, where vehicle capacity allows, to help passengers spread out 			
		communicating revised travel plans clearly to contractors, local authorities and parents where appropriate (for instance, to agree pick-up and drop-off times)			
		Consideration is also given to:			
		how pupils are grouped together on transport, where possible this should reflect the bubbles that are adopted within school			
		use of hand sanitiser upon boarding and/or disembarking			
		additional cleaning of vehicles			
		organised queuing and boarding where possible			
		distancing within vehicles wherever possible			
		the use of face coverings for children over the			

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		age of 11, where appropriate, for example, if they are likely to come into very close contact with people outside of their group or who they do not normally meet			
Use of public transport	Staff/pupils	Advised to keep use to an absolute minimum, particularly during peak times	Further advice to be issued by LA's		
		 the use of face coverings for children over the age of 11 			
		School encourages parents, staff and pupils to walk or cycle to school if at all possible.			
		consider using 'walking buses'			
		parents drive to children to school			
Use of play equipment including outdoor playground equipment	Staff/Pupils from contaminated surfaces	 Equipment is appropriately cleaned more frequently. This includes resources used inside and outside by wraparound care providers Equipment is cleaned appropriately between each group use multiple groups do not use it simultaneously 	Cleaning schedule completed		
Poor mental health and pupil wellbeing and support	Staff/pupils due to concerns over Covid 19 and changes being made in schools	 Talk to staff about the plans (for example, safety measures, timetable changes and staggered arrival and departure times), including discussing whether training would be helpful Keep staff and pupils informed about changes 	School counsellor, MHST, therapists and family intervention manager all in place. Jigsaw scheme has been taught during PSHE lessons.		
		 School will consider the provision of pastoral and extra-curricular 			

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		 activities to all pupils designed to: support the rebuilding of friendships and social engagement address and equip pupils to respond to issues linked to COVID-19 support pupils with approaches to improving their physical and mental wellbeing 			
		School and school nurses will need to work together to ensure delivery of the healthy child programme (which includes immunisation), identifying health and wellbeing needs which will underpin priorities for service delivery.			
		 Situations to be monitored and appropriate actions taken in line with school wellbeing policies for staff and pupils Systems in place to deal with bereavements Referring staff and pupils to information about the extra mental health support for pupils and teachers provided by the DfE 			
Pupils and families wh are anxious about return to school	Pupils including those who: • have been shielding previously but have been advised that this is no longer necessary.	 School will identify those who are concerned and put the right support in place to address this School to discuss their concerns and provide reassurance of the measures being put in place to reduce the risk in school. 	Attendance policy is reinstated and follow daily follow up re absence is followed.		

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	 those living in households where someone is clinically vulnerable, or 				
	 those concerned about the comparatively increased risk from coronavirus (COVID-19), including those from Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) backgrounds or who have certain conditions such as obesity and diabetes. 				
Staff returning form holidays (including travel abroad)	All staff and pupils	 School will advise staff to follow government requirements for people returning from some countries to quarantine for 14 days on 	Staff advised June 2020		

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		their return. The latest guidance on quarantine can be accessed at coronavirus (COVID-19): how to self-isolate when you travel to the UK.			
Clinically extremely vulnerable pupils and staff	Staff/pupils	 Parents and staff to follow medical advice if in this category Read the current advice on shielding & COVID-19 - 'shielding' guidance for children and young people. 	Separate conversation with SBL regarding risk and assessment of how they should work.		
Clinically vulnerable individuals (including pregnant staff)	Staff/pupils	 Parents and staff to follow medical advice if in this category Read the clinically-vulnerable people & COVID-19 - 'shielding' guidance for children and young people. 	SBL to speak to these staff and discuss concerns they have. All have been advised that they may wear face coverings and that they should maintain 2 metres distance from pupils.		
Safeguarding	Pupils	 Schools should consider revising their child protection policy to reflect the return of more pupils. 			
Changes to building use being safe for pupils & staff– e.g. storage, one way systems, floor tape	Staff/pupils by being unfamiliar with new layout of school	 The Fire Risk assessment must be updated if changes are made to the use of rooms or escape routes eg through measures to provide segregation of routes. Specifically revise Fire evacuation routes and drill 	New fire drills New first aid guidance Covid symptoms report Covid symptoms action sheet		Fire drill complete d 20.10.20
		Ensure fire, first aid and other Health & Safety needs are met and that all risk assessments have been updated			

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Member of a class becoming unwell with COVID19	Staff/pupils by possible contamination	 Guidance from PHE and PHE SW being followed If a child is awaiting collection, they will be moved to a room where they can be isolated behind a closed door, depending on the age of the child and with appropriate adult supervision if required. Ideally, a window should be opened for ventilation. If it is not possible to isolate them, move them to an area which is at least 2 metres away from other people. PPE must be worn by staff caring for the child while they await collection if a distance of 2 metres cannot be maintained (such as for a very young child or a child with complex needs). More information on PPE use can be found in the safe working in education, childcare and children's social care settings, including the use of personal protective equipment (PPE) guidance. 	Moved to 'The Brook' Isolation unit N.Smith, W Low or S.Hooke (to wear mask, gloves,aprons and follow guidance) to look after isolated child Cleaning to be carried out immediately PHE flow charts are followed.		
		• if direct personal care is required, a fluid- resistant surgical face mask should be worn by the supervising adult if a distance of 2 metres cannot be maintained. If contact with the child or young person is necessary, then disposable gloves, a disposable apron and a fluid-resistant surgical face mask should be worn by the supervising adult. If a risk assessment determines that there is a risk of splashing to the eyes, for example from coughing, spitting, or vomiting, then eye protection should also be			

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		 Area to be cleaned in accordance with government guidelines COVID-19: cleaning of non-healthcare settings guidance If toilet needed whilst waiting for collection, a separate toilet will be used if possible. It will be cleaned and disinfected using standard cleaning products before being used by anyone else. 			
PPE	Staff/pupil by incorrect use or no appropriate PPE available	 Staff appropriately trained in correct use Adequate supplies maintained Guidance from B&NES Public Health being followed Guidance on safe working in education, childcare and children's social care is followed 	Staff asked to watch youtube video https://www.hse.gov.uk/m vr/resources/videos/video9 .htm	N.Smith	
Legionella	All staff/pupils/visitors/cont ractors due to legionella bacteria	Regular temperature checks and flushing of the hot and cold water systems 'little used outlets' is being undertaken in accordance with legionella written scheme and risk assessment.	All Completed as usual		
Lack of qualified first aiders	All staff/pupils due to limited access to appropriately qualified staff	A first aid risk assessment has been completed to confirm the number of first aiders required on site at one time For early years, in addition to the above, at least one paediatric qualified first aider is available on site at all times or if this not possible, it is currently acceptable to have a fully qualified first aider (3 day course) or an emergency paediatric first aider (6 hour	12 in place and qualifications up to date.		

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		course) • Expiry date of qualifications have been checked and evidence available to confirm that arrangements were in place to update any qualification that was due to expire during lock down.			
Educational visits	Staff and pupils	School will not be participating in domestic (UK) overnight and overseas educational visits at this stage see coronavirus: travel guidance for educational settings	All visits continue to be on hold 4.1.21. Residential for year 6 has been moved to July 2021.		
		 non-overnight domestic educational visits may commence from the Autumn term. This will be done in line with protective measures, such as keeping children within their consistent group, and the COVID-secure measures in place at the destination schools will undertake full and thorough risk assessments in relation to all educational visits to ensure they can be done safely. As part of this risk assessment, schools will need to consider what control measures need to be used and ensure they are aware 			
		of wider advice on visiting indoor and outdoor venues. Schools should consult the health and safety guidance on educational visits when considering visits including advice from the OEAP			

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Catering facilities	es	If meals are being produced at the school an additional risk assessment will be required to ensure safe practices are being observed. School must comply with the guidance for food businesses on coronavirus (COVID-19). This is being complied with.					
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