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Risk Assessment for full opening- maintained schools

Government guidance states that all pupils, in all year groups, will return to school full-time from the beginning of the autumn term 2020. [Blue annotations indicate changes for reopening March 2021.](#) Schools should **not** put in place a rota. [Update in light of new guidance Sept 2021.](#) [Updates Jan 22.](#)

This risk assessment is to be used by both mainstream and alternative provision.

In addition to this schools are expected to also plan for the possibility of a local lockdown and how to ensure continuity of education.

The way the guidance will be implemented will be for schools to decide based on the school's individual circumstances. There are some essential public health requirements, these will be indicated by '**MUST**' do.

There is an expectation that schools work closely with parents, staff and unions when agreeing the best approaches for their circumstances.

Schools **must** comply with health and safety law, which requires them to assess risks and put in place proportionate control measures.

Schools should thoroughly review existing health and safety risk assessments.

<https://www.hse.gov.uk/coronavirus/working-safely/index.htm>

Risk Assessments and Plans		
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Schools must Review and update existing risk assessments to consider additional risks and control measures	<p>Review existing risk assessments:</p> <p>Ensure COSHH file contains RAs for all new cleaning products where needed.</p> <p>Review RAs/handling plans for individual pupils with SEND</p> <p>Review use of outside equipment RA</p> <p>Review swimming RA – Reviewed term 5</p> <p>Remain relevant – all actions complete due to wider school being used during latest lockdown.</p>	<p>LD – 01.09.20</p> <p>SW-M, SL – 01.09.20</p> <p>SS - 01.09.20</p> <p>KB – before swimming starts (do not</p>

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		<p>See box at bottom of RA for major review dates. Latest update Jan 22 Low</p>	<p>plan to start at outset of term). Swimming RA completed term 5.</p>
<p>Schools have a legal obligation to protect their employees and others from harm and should continue to assess health and safety risk and consider how to meet equality duties in the usual way</p>	<p>Employers have a legal duty to consult their employees on health and safety in good time. It also makes good sense to involve pupils (where applicable) and parents in discussions around health and safety decisions to help them understand the reasons for the measures being put in place.</p>	<p>Government guidance on full reopening has already been shared with all staff. This has been discussed at teaching staff meeting (Weds 8th July) and at support staff meeting (Thursday 7th July). Discussed with governors at FGB (Mon 13th July). Parents have had initial letter. Full risk assessment to be shared with all staff in writing. Summary actions to be displayed in public spaces (staff room, near photocopiers, offices). Letter to parents re full reopening and measures in place. Reminder letter to parents Remain relevant – all staff have been alerted to updates in RA 03.03.21 Update to staff Sept 2021: Teaching staff and admin 01.09.21, TAs 02.09.21, published on website for parents 02.09.21 Update letter to staff and parents 04.01.22 Low</p>	<p>Already completed</p> <p>SS – Before 22.7.20 SLT – 01.09.20</p> <p>SS – Before 22.7.20 SS – w/b 25.08.20</p>
<p>Action plan for an eventuality of a local lockdown/bubble closure, include how to ensure continuity of education</p>	<p>Refer to guidance.</p>	<p>Use Parentmail to inform parents and staff as quickly as possible after announcement of lockdown/bubble closure that school is closed.</p> <p>SLT to attend school following day to redirect any families who have not received message.</p>	<p>HT & Admin staff – when needed</p> <p>SLT – when needed</p>

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		<p>Staff allocated to Key Worker bubble in the event of this being needed again.</p> <p>Teachers to prepare an initial homework pack that can be issued quickly at the outset of any further lockdown – Purple Mash, Oak Academy, White Rose maths, topic based activities. low</p> <p>Homework pack to be issued through Purple Mash. Home deliveries to families that are shielding/not able to come to school. Print off for those families with no access.</p> <p>Home laptops issued by the LA/DfE to be distributed to identified vulnerable families to support home learning. Low</p> <p>Sept 2021 guidance indicates that bubbles will no longer be used. School to follow guidance from PHE should bubbles or partial closure be needed due to local circumstances.</p> <p>Jan 22 – Teachers aware that they will need to produce work packs within 24hrs of the announcement of any closures, either local or national.</p>	<p>All teachers 01.09.20</p> <p>Admin staff – when needed</p> <p>MF - By 22.07.20</p>
<p>Schools should share the results of their risk assessment with their workforce</p>	<p>If possible, they should consider publishing it on their website to provide transparency of approach to parents, carers and pupils (HSE would expect all employers with over 50 staff to do so).</p>	<p>Full risk assessment to be shared with staff via Parentmail.</p>	<p>SS - By 22.07.20</p> <p>SS – wb 25.08.20</p>

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		<p>Full risk assessment to be posted on website prior to children starting back in September/ March. Notify parents by Parentmail.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Updated RA published on school website Sept 2021. All staff to sign to say that they have read and understood in September reading pack.</p> <p>Jan 22 - Updated RA on school website</p>	<p>Completed wb. 22.02.21</p>
<p>It is important that employers know how effective their risk controls are.</p>	<p>They should monitor and review the preventive and protective measures regularly, to ensure the measures are working, and taking action to address any shortfalls.</p>	<p>SLT to review actions weekly and ensure that actions to address issues are actioned promptly.</p> <p>Continue to review in light of any changes to guidance or local information.</p> <p>Jan 22 – Continue to review in light of new information</p> <p>low</p>	<p>SLT – weekly from 01.09.20</p>
<p>Minimise contact with individuals who are unwell particularly those that are displaying symptoms of COVID -19 or who has someone in their household who does, by ensuring these people do not attend school This must be in place all of the time</p>		<p>Communicate clearly to staff and parents that anyone displaying symptoms should not come into school, but should self-isolate for 10 days or until a test result has come back negative. Isolate for 10 days of a positive test.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Include on summary sheet for staff - Include on initial parent letter and “reminder” letter to go out in August <p>Promptly send home children or staff if they start to display symptoms. Make it clear they should self-isolate for fourteen days or until a test result has come back negative.</p> <p>medium</p>	<p>SLT – before 01.09.20 SS – Before 22.07.20, w/b 25.08.20</p>

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		<p>Remind parents that in the case of one member of the family showing symptoms, the whole family should isolate until test results are known.</p> <p>Reminder sent again wb 22.02.21</p> <p>Reminder sent again term 5</p> <p>New guidance Sept 2021: If child or adult shows any symptoms (however mild) they must isolate and book a PCR test. They should isolate until the result is known. If this is negative, they may return to school if well enough. Should they test positive, they should follow the isolation period of 10 days from the onset of symptoms, or the test date if asymptomatic.</p> <p>If child a contacted by Track and Trace they will not need to isolate as they are under 18. Parents will need to book a PCR test as advised by Track and Trace. Staff members who have been fully vaccinated (at least 2 weeks previously) will follow the same procedure.</p> <p>Staff who have not been vaccinated or who have only received a single dose will need to isolate in line with Track and Trace guidance.</p> <p>Jan 22 – New guidance Jan 2022 shared with parents and staff.</p> <p>There are some changes to the isolation period for anyone who has tested positive for Covid-19. These</p>	<p>04.09.20</p>

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		<p>are in line with the national changes and have already been publicised. In brief, the 10 day self-isolation period for people who record a positive PCR test result for COVID-19 has been reduced to 7 days in most circumstances, unless you cannot test for any reason.</p> <p>Individuals may now take LFD tests on day 6 and day 7 of their self-isolation period. Those who receive two negative test results are no longer required to complete 10 full days of self-isolation. The first test must be taken no earlier than day 6 of the self-isolation period and tests must be taken 24 hours apart. This also applies to children under 5, with LFD testing at parental or guardian discretion. If both these test results are negative, and you do not have a high temperature, you may end your self-isolation after the second negative test result and return to your education setting from day 8.</p> <p>Anyone who is unable to take LFD tests will need to complete the full 10 day period of self-isolation. Further information is available in the stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection.</p> <p>Daily testing if a close contact - People who are fully vaccinated, or children and young people aged between 5 and 18 years and 6 months, identified as a close contact of someone with COVID-19, should take an LFD test every day for seven days and continue to attend their setting as normal, unless</p>	

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		<p>they have a positive test result or develop symptoms at any time.</p> <p>Children under 5 are not being advised to take part in daily testing of close contacts. If a child under 5 is a contact of a confirmed case, they are not required to self-isolate and should not start daily testing. If they live in the same household as someone with COVID-19 they should limit their contact with anyone who is at higher risk of severe illness if infected with COVID-19, and arrange to take a PCR test as soon as possible. They can continue to attend an education or childcare setting while waiting for the PCR result. If the test is positive, they should follow the stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection.</p>	
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Minimise COVID-19 risks

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Minimise contact between individuals and maintain social distancing where possible	Avoid contact between groups	<p>All classes to act as a bubble, maintaining a social distance to other bubbles. Use outdoor doors to classroom to move around site. The reception year group will act as one bubble due to mixing during induction process and also as they will be sharing a playground space.</p> <p>From Jan 2021 Reception classes to become a bubble each.</p>	Ongoing/all staff
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<p>For younger children the emphasis will be on separating groups and older children it will be on distancing. For children old enough they should also be supported to maintain distance and not touch staff where possible.</p>		<p>From May 17th 2021 Reception classes to act as one bubble when using the outside area</p> <p>Low</p> <p>From Sept 2021 bubbles are no longer in place. Contact between groups will be reduced through the gradual reintroduction of mixed playtimes and assemblies. See below for more details.</p> <p>Jan 22 – Classes are no longer acting as bubbles. Mixing between year groups indoors to be minimal. Mixing on the playground outside may happen. Two year groups may eat together in the hall if 2m space is given and good ventilation.</p>	
	<p>Avoid large groups, for example assemblies</p>	<p>All assemblies will be cancelled until guidance changes. Year groups may get together virtually over “Teams” for whole year group/phase assemblies.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Gradual reintroduction of assemblies. Each phase (Year 1 and 2, Year 3 and 4, Year 5 and 6) to have 2 assemblies weekly. 2m distance to be maintained between year groups.</p> <p>Jan 22 – Assemblies with more than one year group will not take place.</p>	
	<p>When timetabling groups should be kept apart, movement around the school site should be kept to a minimum, avoid creating busy corridors and exits</p>	<p>Classes to remain in their own classroom for all lessons. Hall timetable to be put in place for PE lessons in wet weather.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Classes to use external doors for moving around the school where appropriate. Supervised walking in corridors when using hall for dinners, assemblies, PE etc.</p>	

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Specialists, therapists, clinicians and other support staff for pupils with SEND should provide interventions as usual		
	Staggered break and lunch times if appropriate	
		<p>Low</p> <p>Additional system added for parents who have siblings in two directions so that they can pick up on one route. Year 3 to be picked up from the hall doors, Class 12 and 14 to be walked around to the outside of class 13. (04.09.20)</p> <p>From Jan 2021 all parents to wear face coverings whilst onsite.</p> <p>May 2021 – Year 5 and 6 given permission to walk to school alone and Year 6 allowed to walk home independently. Year 6 children walking independently to be released at 3.15pm (or after club).</p> <p>Sept 2021: No staggered start or finish to school day. Gates to be opened as children arrive at 8.45am and then at 3.10pm to minimise the time spent on site by parents and carers. Year 5 and 6 may arrive and walk home independently with parental permission.</p> <p>Jan 22 – as Sept 2021</p> <p>Timetable for three staggered breaks in place with allocated areas of the playground for each class. Lunchtime reduced to 40 minutes to make up for lost learning time at staggered start and end of day. 20 minute slots given to each class for lunchtime playtime, plus 20 minutes eating time.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Playtimes to be taken in phase to reintroduce children to busier playground.</p> <p>Jan 22 – Playtimes in phases, lunchtime will be slightly staggered (Year 5 and 6 at 12.15) and children may mix as less children on playground due to the fact that some are eating inside.</p>

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	<p>Additional time allowed to thoroughly clean in between lunch sittings</p>	
	<p>Staff rooms – set up and use to help staff distance from each other. Use of staff rooms should be minimised</p>	
	<p>Update communication to staff, pupils, parents and visitors</p>	

All children to eat in classrooms. MDSAs to deliver meals to classrooms to be served in the room (for children who do not bring a packed lunch). MDSAs to collect empty plates and return to kitchen. All tables and surfaces to be wiped down before and after eating.

Reception bubble now eating in the hall. Tables wiped down after use (15.10.20)

From Jan 2021 reception are two bubbles, so need to keep at least 2m distance between bubbles in the hall – seating to be separated.

Low

Sept 2021: Only Reception and Year 1 to eat in the hall initially, with a 2m gap between the year groups. Other year groups to eat in classrooms. All classes should have an hour for lunch.

Jan 22 – Same as Sept 2021

Staff room to remain “half sized” (annex to Snug) to discourage staff from gathering. Seating stacked. Resources room to be utilised as second small area for staff to make hot drinks.

Jan 21 – staff reminded to wipe down after use.

Low

Sept 2021: Staff room to be reinstated. Room to be ventilated appropriately.

Jan 22 – Staff room remains in use. Chairs removed from table so that only 2 staff can use at the same time. Staff encouraged to keep distance with those in a different year group.

Include information on staffing of classes to parents in newsletter, stating that some staff will work across classes (Mr Barnett) and that HLTAs will work across year groups.

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		<p>Include in staff briefing. Visitors to site will be given clear guidance on social distancing and acknowledge this on Inventory before entering the building. Low Sept 2021: Letter to parents Aug 2021 detailing new arrival and pick up arrangements. Full RA published on website Sept 2021. Jan 22 – Email to staff at beginning of Dec 21, letter to parents 04.01.22</p>	
	<p>Visitors to sites, including parents with appointment only</p>	<p>Where possible meetings to take place over video/telephone call. Hand sanitiser to be used by all visitors before entering the building. Where possible contractors to attend out of school hours. If not possible, contractors will be supervised while on site to ensure that they adhere to social distancing. Inform parents in newsletter. One way system in place. Parents asked to limit interaction on the way to and from school. From Jan 2021 – TAC and SEND meetings to move online Low Sept 2021: TAC and SEND meeting to be held in person where appropriate. Outside agencies to be included via Teams or in person. Jan 22 – Meetings with parents or external visitors to be held online where possible. Staff meetings to be appropriately socially distanced and ventilated.</p>	
	<p>Group children together in separate ‘bubbles’ and maintain distance between individuals,</p>	<p>Classes in Year 1 to 6 to act as one bubble. Reception Year group to be one bubble. Reception classes to act as one bubble each – Jan 2021</p>	

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		<p>May 2021 – reception to act as one bubble in outdoor learning area.</p> <p>low</p> <p>Sept 2021: No further bubbles.</p> <p>Jan 22 – As Sept 2021</p>	
	<p>Maintain consistent groups</p>	<p>Children in the Snug to act as part of the class bubble. When accessing the Snug for personal care/ physio or additional support, social distancing should take place within the Snug to maintain the integrity of the class bubble.</p> <p>Jan 2021 – children in Snug who do not have their “usual” adult to work in the Snug.</p> <p>Breakfast club to keep children from different year groups in their own space in the hall, alongside all their belongings.</p> <p>No after school clubs to take place during term 1. Review for term 2. No clubs in term 2.</p> <p>No clubs for term 3. No clubs for term 4.</p> <p>Classes to remain in class to eat lunch. Reception to eat in hall.</p> <p>Staff will be able to “cross bubbles” as necessary to deliver a full and balanced curriculum.</p> <p>From Jan 2021 – reduce staff working across bubbles as much as possible. Eg. Bubble staff to deliver classes to PE lessons rather than Mr B supervising changing.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: No further bubbles:</p> <p>Mr B will enter rooms for “changing”.</p> <p>Snug will no longer need to social distance whilst in the Snug.</p> <p>Clubs may have mixed year groups.</p>	

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		<p>Breakfast club to slowly reintroduce mixing. First two weeks – share table for eating (spaces between phases), keep year group mats for activities Jan 22 – As Sept 2021.</p>	
	<p>Groups are kept apart from each other</p>	<p>Playground to be sectioned off so that each class has its own space and keeps a 2m distance from other class bubbles. Playtimes and lunchtimes to be staggered to allow for enough slots on the playground. Only one class to use the hall at a time, wiping down touch points and equipment after use. Classes to use external classroom doors wherever possible so that movement around corridors can be kept to a minimum. Classes will eat in classrooms (except reception). Library to be taken out of general use. Boxes of new books will be taken to classes to refresh their book corners. Low Sept 2021: Gradual reintroduction to mixed playgrounds. Two year groups at a time for playtimes (Year 1 and 2 to remain separate for first 2 weeks). Limit use of hall so that 2m distance can be kept between any year groups. Library can be used. Clean touch points on exit. Rec and Year 1 to eat in hall – other year groups to eat in Year groups. Jan 22 – As Sept 2021</p>	
	<p>Older children are encouraged to keep their distance within groups</p>	<p>Clear messages given to older children about keeping social distance where possible (tables will be within 1m+ so not possible in classes). Low</p>	

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		<p>Sept 2021: No longer relevant Jan 22 – as Sept 2021</p>	
	<p>Where possible: limit interaction, sharing of rooms and social spaces</p>	<p>Whenever weather permits, all PE to be carried out outdoors. Mrs Beale’s intervention room to be wiped down between use of different class bubbles. Social distancing to be adhered to by all staff and children when using the Snug. Staff be cautious of sharing “quiet rooms” with members of adjoining class and to wipe down after use. Staff may take PPA time at home if this is possible. Low Sept 2021: See measures to reduce mixing between phases. Jan 22 – as Sept 2021</p>	
	<p>It is recommended that 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</p>	<p>Clear messages to parents and children about minimising the amount of things brought to school each day. PE kit to be brought in and then left in school until sent home. All stationery to be supplied by school – year 2 up in individual pencil cases. No mobile phones will be needed as all children will be escorted to school by an adult to support social distancing on the journey. May 2021 – year 6 now allowed to walk home alone, so permitted to bring in mobile phones. Low Sept 2021: No change except year 5 and 6 to be permitted phones if walking independently.</p>	

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		Jan 22 – No change
	<p>Arrange classrooms with forward facing desks</p>	<p>Year 2 up to arrange desks in a forward facing position. Year 1 and Rec to have a mix of desks and places for “continuous provision”.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Classrooms no longer need to be forward facing and table groups are permitted, as well as “carpet time”.</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p>
	<p>Seat children side by side facing forwards</p> <p>Move unnecessary furniture to make space if needed</p> <p>Clean classrooms between use if used by different groups</p>	<p>See previous point.</p> <p>Unnecessary furniture to be moved to resources room.</p> <p>Classrooms will only be used by one group, so will not need cleaning between groups.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Shared spaces, eg Library, to have touch pints wiped down on exit.</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p>
	<p>Staff will ideally keep their distance from pupils and staff as much as they can, ideally 2 metres from other adults and children.</p> <p>Staff will avoid close face to face contact and minimise time spent within 1 metre of anyone</p>	<p>Staff will continue to wear 2m reminders in lanyard. They will adhere to 2m distancing for those outside their class bubble. In bubble, staff to minimise close contact with children, face to face.</p> <p>Staff meetings to be held either over Microsoft Teams or in the school hall, where social distancing can be achieved.</p> <p>From Jan 2021 – all staff to wear face coverings when in public spaces – this includes the Snug.</p> <p>low</p> <p>Sept 2021: 2m distancing no longer required. Face coverings should not be worn in class (unless there</p>

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		<p>are exceptional circumstances) and will be optional in communal areas.</p> <p>Jan 22 – All staff to wear face coverings in communal areas. These can be removed to eat or drink as long as 2m distance is maintained.</p>	
	Contact should be minimised as much as possible	See above Low	
	Visits will be arranged outside of schools hours where appropriate	<p>Where possible contractors will work out of hours. Minimise tours to prospective parents and do these out of hours.</p> <p>Music providers to work online or in hall/library where social distance can be maintained.</p> <p>From Jan 2021 – music providers to not carry out face to face teaching.</p> <p>No onsite music provision in term 4 – review for term 5.</p> <p>From May 2021 – music tuition permitted on site</p> <p>Cancel visits from Swindon Town.</p> <p>From May 2021 – Swindon Town permitted on site</p> <p>Equipment stores to leave equipment by front door.</p> <p>Tamhs to maintain social distance. Move work to library to allow for more space and ventilation.</p> <p>No volunteer helpers for term 1, review for term 2.</p> <p>No volunteers term 4.</p> <p>From May 2021 – only accept volunteers who can give a substantial amount of time to the school. They should adhere to all guidance that staff do, including twice weekly lateral flow tests. Swimming volunteers will wait outside the building for the class to come out and will not enter the building.</p> <p>Low</p>	



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		<p>Sept 2021: Volunteers will be accepted to work in school, but should adhere to all RA measures. Jan 22 – No change</p>	
	<p>Guidance on physical distancing and hygiene is explained to visitors on or before arrival</p>	<p>Adapt opening screen of Inventory to ensure all visitors have read social distancing guidance. Sept 2021: Remove guidance from inventory. Jan 22 – All visitors expected to wear face coverings in school. Signage to relect this. Low</p>	<p>01.09.20/ML</p>
	<p>A record of all visitors is kept</p>	<p>All visitors to sign in using Invenry. Hand sanitiser to be used after touching screen Sept 2021: Remains in place. Jan 22 – no change Low</p>	<p>Ongoing/Admin team</p>
<p>Reducing risk of Covid 19 entering the school community</p>	<p>Twice weekly testing for members of staff</p>	<p>All staff (including cleaners and kitchen staff) to be offered lateral flow packs of tests for twice weekly home testing. All staff to report results of tests to the school office (and online). Sept 2021: All staff to continue testing twice weekly during term time – review end of September. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>Feb 2021</p>
	<p>Testing for families members and support/childcare bubbles</p>	<p>School to inform families that they can have access to lateral flow tests that can be completed at home. Sept 2021: Lateral flow tests still available to families. Jan 22 –no change</p>	<p>Parentmail 03.03.21</p>
Cleanliness/handwashing/cleaning			
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<p>Clean hands thoroughly more often than usual - children</p>	<p>Process, availability of hygiene stations, resources including skin friendly wipes, supervision for younger children in regard to ingestion and assistance, built into behaviour standards, routines and assisting those children with complex needs understand the need to follow handwashing instructions etc.</p> <p>On arrival: (safe removal, storage and disposal of face coverings if used and cleaning of hands, pupils must be instructed not to touch the front of their face covering during use of wens removing them. They must wash their hands immediately on arrival, dispose of temporary face coverings in a covered bin or place reusable face coverings in a plastic bag they can take home with them, and then wash their hands again before heading to the classroom)</p> <p>On return from breaks:</p> <p>On a change of room:</p> <p>Before and after eating:</p> <p>Other:</p>	<p>Each classroom already has a sink with handwashing facilities.</p> <p>All children will wash their hands:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - On arrival at school - Before Break - Before lunch - Before going home <p>All children will use hand sanitiser:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - On return from break time - On return from lunch time <p>Teachers may choose to replace the use of hand sanitiser with handwashing.</p> <p>Children to be given explicit instruction on expected handwashing routine. Children will be supervised when washing hands/ sanitising to ensure that they are thorough.</p> <p>Children to also wash hands when they have been to the toilet or if they have sneezed into their hands.</p> <p>Children who arrive at school wearing a mask will be asked to hand it to their parent to take home again as they enter the building. Parents can return at pick up time with a clean mask if they wish.</p> <p>low Sept 2021: All handwashing measures to remain in place. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>Ongoing/all staff</p>

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Ensure good respiratory hygiene by promoting ‘catch it, bin it, kill it’	Description, resources, etc.	<p>All classrooms have a lidded bin to support binning tissue safely. Signs to promote “catch it, kill it, bin it” will be sited near the bins.</p> <p>All classrooms have “blue towel” available for the children to use freely.</p> <p>Sept 2021: Remain in place</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p> <p>Low</p>	Ongoing/Class teachers
Some children with complex needs will struggle to maintain good respiratory hygiene, for example those who spit uncontrollably or use saliva as a sensory stimulant. This should be considered in risk assessments in order to support these pupils and the staff working with them, and is not a reason to deny these pupils a face to face education	Individual risk assessments and support plans updated	<p>In conjunction with our Senco, children with complex needs will have an individual risk assessments written.</p> <p>Sept 2021: Remain in place where needed</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p> <p>Medium</p>	01.09.20 and ongoing/Class teacher/Senco

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		<p>in any place outside of the bubble. Staff may choose to wear face covering in class.</p> <p>Sept 2021: Face coverings should not be worn in classrooms, but staff may choose to in communal areas. PPE to remain available in each year group to be used if a child exhibits symptoms.</p> <p>Jan 22 – All staff and visitors to wear masks in communal areas.</p> <p>Medium</p>	Ongoing/SL
<p>Enhanced cleaning arrangements (there is no need to allocate different groups their own toilet blocks, but more frequent cleaning will be necessary)</p> <p>COVID -19 :cleaning of non-health care settings guidance (will be revised by the end of the summer term)</p> <p>COVID-19: cleaning of non-healthcare settings guidance</p>	<p>Limit the number of children in the toilet at one time.</p>	<p>Classroom staff to clean touchpoints (surfaces, tables, sinks, taps) at breaktimes and lunchtimes. Classroom staff to be responsible for wiping down shared equipment/resources. Additional cleaner to wipe down touch points in circulation areas and toilets at lunchtimes.</p> <p>Children to use the toilets allocated to their own phase. Class 14 and 12 will use the toilets in the mobile to reduce the numbers of children using each block.</p> <p>Number of children in each set of toilets to be limited to the number of cubicles in that block.</p> <p>Children waiting for the toilet will wait outside the room.</p> <p>Review revised cleaning guidance when it is issued and implement changes as required.</p> <p>Sept 2021: Toilets limited to use by one phase only. Children may use any cubicle within their toilet block.</p> <p>Touch pints to be included on extra cleaning rota.</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p> <p>Low</p>	Ongoing/SL

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	<p>Other combined use areas:</p>	<p>Snug: All children in the Snug to have their own socially isolated workstation to be used when they need it (the majority of the day should be in class). All staff and children to wash hands on entry to and exit from the Snug. Staff to maintain 2m distancing where possible within the Snug, apart from where two to one support is needed for hoisting, manual handling or toileting. At these times, masks may be worn. Masks should be disposed of carefully in lidded bin to avoid contamination of surfaces.</p> <p>Jan 2021 – face coverings to be worn by adults in the Snug for all activities</p> <p>Sept 2021: Snug no longer need to social distance while in the room.</p> <p>Jan 22 – Snug is a communal area and as such staff should wear face coverings</p> <p>Breakfast club: see below</p> <p>Office: Minor first aid to remain in classrooms. Main office capacity to be limited to four people at a time. All visitors to the office to knock and ask permission before entering.</p> <p>Sept 2021: Minor first aid to remain in classrooms Staff to be reminded to be aware of CEV staff.</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p> <p>low</p>	
Response to any infection			
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<p>Must actively engage with NHS test and trace and understand the process to contact the local Public Health England team</p>		<p>Senior leaders all have a copy of the Public Health England flow chart with contact numbers. This is also displayed prominently in the school office. Staff and parents will be informed that they must actively engage with test and trace.</p> <p>Low Sept 2021: New version of flowchart displayed in office. Jan 22 – Updated version of flowchart displayed in office</p>	<p>HT/SLT – if case confirmed</p>
<p>Must Manage confirmed cases of COVID-19 amongst the school community</p>		<p>DfE 0800 0468687 will be contacted immediately there is a confirmed case in the school community. All advice will be followed.</p> <p>Also need to contact covidresponse@swindon.gov.uk and cie@swindon.gov.uk</p> <p>Medium Sept 2021: School to inform covidresponse@swindon.gov.uk for every notified case. Follow advice from local Public Health. Jan 22 – Modified form in use to inform covidresponse@swindon.gov.uk and CIE@swindon.gov.uk</p>	<p>HT/SLT – if case confirmed</p>
<p>Must Contain any outbreak by following local health protection team advice. Schools have the responsibility to report suspected /confirmed cases to the local HPT</p>	<p>School could place this information in prominent positions around the school to raise awareness to staff.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  Educational and Childcare Settings F </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  COVID_Educational _Settings_infection_ </div> </div>	<p>Posters are displayed in school office and SLT have copies. All advice given by the health protection team to be followed.</p> <p>Updated DfE number added to poster</p> <p>Medium Sept 2021: All staff updated on new procedures for isolation. Jan 22 – All staff informed of new procedures – see above</p>	<p>HT/SLT – if case confirmed</p>

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<p>School should communicate to staff, parents and carers that they need to understand and will need to be ready and willing to:</p> <p>Schools should not request evidence of negative test results or other medical evidence before admitting children or welcoming them back after a period of isolation</p>	<p>Book a test if they are displaying symptoms</p>	<p>Information will be communicated to staff and parents in letter confirming arrangements for September. This will also be included in the reminder letter w/b 25/8/20 Reminder wb 22/02/21 Low Sept 2021: New guidance communicated to school community August 2021. Those with symptoms should isolate, book a test and may return on receipt of a clear test. They should isolate in line with Track and Trace guidance if positive. Jan 22 – Letter sent 04.01.22</p>	<p>23.07.20/SS</p>
	<p>Provide details of anyone they been in close contact with if they were to test positive for COVID-19 or if asked by NHS Test and Trace</p>	<p>As above Low Sept 2021: No longer applicable to schools unless exceptional circumstances. Jan 22 – No change. Will issue “warn and inform” letters when instructed to. Staff will be informed if a positive case has been in their class within the infectious period (48 hrs before symptoms or positive test)</p>	
	<p>Self-isolate if they have been in close contact with someone who develops COVID-19 symptoms or someone who tests positive for COVID-19</p>	<p>As above Low Sept 2021: Double vaccinated adults and children under 18 do not need to isolate. Adults who have only had one vaccination or none should isolate when told to by Track and Trace. Jan 22 – There are some changes to the isolation period for anyone who has tested positive for Covid-19. These are in line with the national changes and have already been publicised. In brief, the 10 day self-</p>	

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		<p>isolation period for people who record a positive PCR test result for COVID-19 has been reduced to 7 days in most circumstances, unless you cannot test for any reason.</p> <p>Individuals may now take LFD tests on day 6 and day 7 of their self-isolation period. Those who receive two negative test results are no longer required to complete 10 full days of self-isolation. The first test must be taken no earlier than day 6 of the self-isolation period and tests must be taken 24 hours apart. This also applies to children under 5, with LFD testing at parental or guardian discretion. If both these test results are negative, and you do not have a high temperature, you may end your self-isolation after the second negative test result and return to your education setting from day 8.</p> <p>Anyone who is unable to take LFD tests will need to complete the full 10 day period of self-isolation. Further information is available in the stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection.</p> <p>Daily testing if a close contact - People who are fully vaccinated, or children and young people aged between 5 and 18 years and 6 months, identified as a close contact of someone with COVID-19, should take an LFD test every day for seven days and continue to attend their setting as normal, unless they have a positive test result or develop symptoms at any time.</p>

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		<p>Children under 5 are not being advised to take part in daily testing of close contacts. If a child under 5 is a contact of a confirmed case, they are not required to self-isolate and should not start daily testing. If they live in the same household as someone with COVID-19 they should limit their contact with anyone who is at higher risk of severe illness if infected with COVID-19, and arrange to take a PCR test as soon as possible. They can continue to attend an education or childcare setting while waiting for the PCR result. If the test is positive, they should follow the stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection</p>	
	<p>Staff and parents should be asked to inform school immediately of the results of a tests: Actions if someone tests positive or negative</p>	<p>As above Low Sept 2021: Parents and staff should still inform school if there is a positive case and this will be recorded by the school. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>23.07.20/SS</p>
<p>Ensure that pupils, staff and other adults do not come into the school if they have COVID -19 symptoms or have tested positive in the last 7 days, and ensuring anyone developing symptoms during the day is sent home</p>		<p>As above Low Sept 2021: No change – isolation is 10 days. Jan 22 – See above for new guidance around isolation.</p>	<p>23.07.20/SS</p>
<p>Ensure first –Aid Practices meet with HSE COVID 19 guidance; https://www.hse.gov.uk/coronavirus/first-aid-and-medicals/first-aid-certificate-coronavirus.htm</p>		<p>Link has been sent to all first aiders in school. Minor first aid to take place in classrooms and records kept there. Basic first aid kit in all classrooms. Low Sept 2021: Minor first aid t stay in classrooms Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>17.07/20/SS</p>

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<p>If anyone in the school becomes unwell with COVID 19 symptoms they must be sent home and follow the current guidance relating to testing and isolation.</p>	<p>Children that are unwell should always be collected by a parent or carer or named adult.</p>	<p>In case of a child reporting high temperature, new persistent cough or change to taste or smell, child will be isolated and parents contacted immediately to collect the child.</p> <p>We have a thermometer gun in the office. This may be used to take the temperature of any child reporting symptoms.</p> <p>Child will only return to school if they have self-isolated for 10 days or have had a negative result to a test. Positive test, 10 days.</p> <p>Medium</p> <p>Sept 2021: No change</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change to procedure for sending child home. See above for new guidance on isolation.</p>	<p>Ongoing/admin team</p>
<p>If a child is awaiting collection they should be moved, where possible to a room where they can be isolated behind a closed door, depending on age and needs of the child, with appropriate adult supervision if required,</p> <p>Ideally a window should be opened.</p> <p>If not possible to isolate them, move to an area within is at least 2 metres away from other people.</p> <p>This room must be cleaned thoroughly after they have left to reduce onward transmission of the infection (members of staff who have helped someone with symptoms and any pupils who have been in close contact with them do not need to go home to</p>		<p>While awaiting collection any child with symptoms of COVID-19 will be isolated in the Sapphire Room (old Senco room). Where possible, staff will observe child through glass panel in door. If child is distressed or too young to be left, staff should don full PPE – mask, gloves apron, face shield. A stock of PPE is stored in the Sapphire room. The room will be thoroughly cleaned after all incidents of isolation.</p> <p>medium</p> <p>Sept 2021: No change</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>When needed/all staff</p>

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self-isolate unless they develop symptoms themselves)		
PPE must be worn by staff caring for the child while they await collection if a distance of two metres cannot be maintained (members of staff who have helped someone with symptoms and any pupils who have been in close contact with them do not need to go home to self-isolate unless they develop symptoms themselves)		See above Medium Sept 2021: No change Jan 22 – No change
If the child needs to use the bathroom while waiting to be collected a separate bathroom should be used if possible. The bathroom must be cleaned and disinfected using standard cleaning products before being used by anyone else.		If child or adult needs the toilet during this time, they should use the disabled toilet nearest to class 9 This will have to be thoroughly cleaned before being used by anyone else. Medium Sept 2021: No change Jan 22 – No change
Everyone must wash their hands thoroughly after any contact with someone who is unwell		All PPE used should be double bagged and taken to the office for disposal in a lidded bin. Any member of staff involved in supporting child should ensure that they thoroughly wash their hands before returning to their usual work. Lidded bin for PPE now in entrance hall. Emptied Monday morning so that items are isolated for 48hrs before touching. medium Sept 2021: No change Jan 22 – No change
Wider considerations		

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<p>Child attending more than one setting. Alternative Provision schools should consider pacing pupils in smaller sized groups. Smaller AP's may wish to adopt whole school bubbles as part of their control system in order to best meet the needs of their students</p>	<p>Description of process, numbers of children and AP involved, risk assessments stored appropriately etc. Schools should work through the system of controls collaboratively enabling them to address any risks identified and allowing them to jointly deliver a broad and balanced curriculum</p>	<p>Currently we have no children accessing an AP setting. Should AP be required for any child, Senco to work with setting to write an individual risk assessment. Low Sept 2021: AP now in use. Senco to write individual risk assessments. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>As required - Senco</p>
<p>Shared equipment Pupils and teachers can take books and other shared resources home, although unnecessary sharing should be avoided, especially where this does not contribute to pupil education and development Shared equipment</p>	<p>Shared books and games within the bubble, regular cleaning</p>	<p>Sharing equipment or books to be kept to a minimum. Children in Year 2 and above to have individual pencil cases to reduce sharing. Classroom staff to be responsible for wiping down any shared equipment where needed. Books returned to the library to be “quarantined” for 48 hours before putting back on the shelves. Low Sept 2021: Individual pencil cases for Year 2 upwards. Library to reopened. Books no longer need to be quarantined. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>Ongoing/Class teachers</p>
	<p>Resources shared between bubbles, for example sports, art and science equipment. Cleaned frequently and meticulously and always cleaned between bubbles that use them, or rotated to be left unused and out of reach for 48 hours (72 for plastics)</p>	<p>All equipment, including iPads, laptops, instruments, art equipment to be wiped down thoroughly before being returned to central store. If not possible, items should be “quarantined” for the appropriate time before return. Any item in “quarantine” should be labelled as such stating time and date quarantine started. Low</p>	<p>Ongoing/ class teachers</p>

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	<p>Outdoor equipment should be cleaned more frequently, also applies if indoor or outdoor equipment is used by wraparound care providers</p>	<p>Sept 2021: IT equipment to be wiped down between classes. Other equipment does not need to be quarantined Jan 22 – No change</p> <p>Outdoor play equipment to remain out of use until further notice as it is not easily cleaned. Breakfast club to ensure that they wipe down mats and any equipment used before the rest of the school uses the hall (see previously). PE lessons to focus on skills that need little equipment. This should be wiped down between bubbles. Each bubble to have its own box of outdoor equipment for playtime that should not be handled by anyone from another bubble. Low Sept 2021: Rota in place for use of outdoor play equipment – one year group at a time. PE to remain outdoors where possible. If hall is used, ensure appropriate ventilation. No longer need bubble boxes of equipment for the playground. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>Ongoing/breakfast club staff/teachers/DB</p>
<p>Transport Dedicated transport The two or one metre plus social distancing will not apply on dedicated school transport from the autumn term. The majority of arrangements and protective measures will be managed by the transport provider, for example additional cleaning of vehicles</p>	<p>You may want to consider supportive actions: Hand sanitiser use before boarding/disembarking – discuss with transport provider Assisting with organisation of queueing and boarding Sufficient distancing between vehicles on your site</p>	<p>Children from the SRP will continue to use the SEN transport. Where possible, children from the same year group share transport (TG-W and FP, AS-O and GG). Staff on transport wear face masks. Low Sept 2021: Measures remain in place Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>From 01.09.20/SL</p>

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	Assisting with compliance for use of face coverings where appropriate and needed (children over the age of 11, 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)		
<p>Wider public transport Use of public transport by pupils, particularly at peak times, should be kept to an absolute minimum</p>	<p>Schools should work with partners to consider staggered start times to enable more journeys to take place outside of peak hours. (whilst recognising this option will be more feasible in some circumstances than others) Encourage parents, staff and pupils to walk or cycle to school Consider adopting/using walking buses</p>	<p>We currently have very few children who travel on public transport. Parents to be encouraged to walk to school, observing social distancing. All children to be escorted to school to support them with social distancing on the journey.</p> <p>Low Letter sent out to remind parents of the risks of car sharing. (29.08.20) Year 6 now allowed to walk to school on their own. From May 2021 – Year 5 and 6 allowed to walk on their own, year 6 allowed to walk home independently. Sept 2021: Year 5 and 6 can walk to and from school independently with permission from parents. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>22.07.20/SS and ongoing</p>
<p>Attendance School attendance will be mandatory from the beginning of the autumn term, usual rules on attendance apply.</p> <p>Where children are unable to attend as parents are following clinical or public health advice absence will not be penalised</p>	<p>Communicate clear and consistent expectations to families and any other professionals who work with the family where appropriate throughout the summer and ahead of the new school year, requirements of attendance and that measures will be taken to support families to ensure their child returns to school at the earliest opportunity and where necessary sanctions will include fines recommending.</p>	<p>Attendance expectations to be made clear in newsletter to parents. Registers to be completed as normal. Comply with any additional requests from LA or central government for any additional attendance data. School to contact parents of any child who is not in school and the parents have not informed us of the reason. Full register analysis to take place termly as usual.</p>	<p>22.07.20/SS/SLT Ongoing/admin team</p>

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	<p>Ensure registers are maintained as usual CME policy is applied if children are not seen Continue to notify the child's social worker, if they have one, of non-attendance. Ensure the school leaver process is followed by completing the normal on-line form should the school be informed any parent/carer would like to Electively Home Educate their child.</p>	<p>HT/SLT to have conversations with parents of any child who is not returning to school to evaluate reasons and identify any support needed. Work with EWO team where needed to support child back into school. Follow normal leaver/joiner process. Inform the LA of any families considering home schooling. low Sept 2021: Letter to parents Aug 2021 clarifying new isolation rules for double vaccinated adults and children under 18 years 6 months. Jan 22 – Letter to parents regarding new isolation rules (see above)</p>	
<p>Shielded community The majority of pupils will be able to return to school: Keep up to date with current advice on shielding https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-on-shielding-and-protecting-extremely-vulnerable-persons-from-covid-19/guidance-on-shielding-and-protecting-extremely-vulnerable-persons-from-covid-19 https://www.rcpch.ac.uk/resources/covid-19-shielding-guidance-children-young-people#children-who-should-be-advised-to-shield</p>	<p>Should a pupil be unable to attend school because they are complying with clinical and/or public health advice schools should immediately offer them access to remote education Schools should monitor engagement with this activity</p>	<p>All teachers to be prepared to supply homework pack to any child who is shielding, in quarantine, or isolating. This will include Purple Mash, Oak Academy, White Rose Maths and some topic based activities. Low Sept 2021: Shielding has ceased. Teachers will be prepared to reinstated home learning if shielding is reintroduced. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>Teachers – when required.</p>
<p>Pupils/families who are anxious about returning to school</p>	<p>Schools should put in place the right support to address concerns of children, parents and households about children returning to</p>	<p>HT/SLT to have conversations with parents of any child who is not returning to school to evaluate reasons and identify any support needed.</p>	<p>SLT – when required</p>

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	<p>school and provide reassurance of the measures in place:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pupils who have been shielding Living in households where someone is clinically vulnerable Concerns regarding those from BAME backgrounds Concerns relating to certain conditions for example diabetes and obesity 	<p>low</p> <p>Sept 2021: All children to return to school. Support for families who are nervous to be put in place.</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p>	
<p>Identify pupils who are reluctant or anxious about returning or who are risk of disengagement</p>	<p>Develop plans for re-engaging them</p> <p>This could include disadvantaged and vulnerable children</p> <p>Children who were persistently absent prior to the pandemic</p> <p>Children who have not engaged with school regularly during the pandemic</p> <p>Continue to notify the child's social worker, if they have one, of non-attendance</p>	<p>HT/SLT to have conversations with parents of any child who is not returning to school to evaluate reasons and identify any support needed.</p> <p>Within school identify any individuals that may need more support. Deliver this in a graduated response, starting with support from class TA moving onto to working with the Senco to identify whether ELSA, Tahms or the Trailblazer could offer the right support.</p> <p>Work with other agencies to support families where appropriate – social workers, EWO etc</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Continue</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>When needed - SLT</p>
<p>Workforce</p> <p>The government expects that most staff will attend school</p> <p>Generally the advice is that those who can work from home should do so.</p> <p>Recognising that this will not be applicable to most school staff, but where a role may be conducive to home working for example, some</p>	<p>Consider those for whom home working will continue to be relevant</p> <p>Clinically vulnerable or extremely clinically vulnerable</p> <p>Those that received a shielding letter are now advised they can return to work as long as they maintain social distancing</p> <p>School leaders should be flexible in how those members of staff are deployed to</p>	<p>This will be dealt with on a case by case basis by the line manager of the member of staff.</p> <p>Almost all roles in the school are child facing and therefore cannot be completed from home.</p> <p>An individual risk assessment will be completed for the members of staff who are clinically extremely vulnerable.</p> <p>low</p>	<p>By 01.09.20 – line managers</p>

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<p>administrative roles, school leaders should consider what is feasible and appropriate People who live with those who are clinically extremely vulnerable or clinically vulnerable can attend the workplace</p>	<p>enable them to work remotely where possible or in roles in school here it is possible to maintain social distancing</p>	<p>Sept 2021: CEV no longer in place. Appropriate adaptations will be made on a case by case basis for staff. Jan 22 – No change</p>	
<p>Staff who are pregnant Pregnant woman are in the clinically vulnerable category and are advised to follow the relevant guidance https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/staying-alert-and-safe-social-distancing#clinically-vulnerable-people</p>	<p>Consider who this effects on your staff team</p>	<p>This will be dealt with on a case by case basis by the line manager of the member of staff.</p> <p>Where possible, pregnant staff will be supported to maintain social distancing within the school. For example, this could involve working with older children who are more able to social distance or to change duties away from a child who has SEND needs that make social distancing more difficult. Individual risk assessment written with member of staff – 26/02/21 Low Sept 2021: Individual risk assessments will continue to be put into place Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>When needed/line managers</p>
<p>Staff who may otherwise be at increased risk from COVID -19</p> <p>Some people with particular characteristics may be at comparatively increased risk from COVID-19</p> <p>People who live with those who have comparatively increased risk for COVID-19 can attend the workplace</p>	<p>If people with significant risk factors are concerned schools should discuss their concerns and explain the measures the school is putting in place to reduce risks. School leaders should try as far as practically possible to accommodate additional measures where appropriate Consider who this may effect and demonstrate planning</p>	<p>This will be dealt with on a case by case basis by the line manager of the member of staff. Where necessary, advice will be sought from the HR team at SBC. Low Sept 2021: See above Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>When needed/line managers</p>

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<p>Supporting staff Governing Bodies and school leaders should have regard to staff (including head teachers) work-life balance. <i>Employers have a duty of care to their employees and this extend to their mental health</i> <i>Information about the extra mental health support for pupils and teachers can be found here</i> https://www.gov.uk/government/news/extra-mental-health-support-for-pupils-and-teachers</p> <p>free helpline from the Education Support Partnerships https://www.educationsupport.org.uk/</p>	<p>Schools should communicate to all staff the measures they are proposing putting in place and involve staff in that process.</p>	<p>This risk assessment will be shared in full with all members of staff. Posters for Care First counselling service have been placed in all toilets. All to be aware of the extra time needed in class for handwashing and cleaning and be mindful of this in setting expectations of what can be achieved and consider this during monitoring activities. All to be mindful that all staff will be spending more time with their bubble (no assemblies, supervision during breaks).</p> <p>low Sept 2021: Staggered start has been removed, so lunchtimes are back to an hour. Rotas in place to cover breaktimes, shared between phase staff. Lunchtimes covered by MDSAs – no longer need for teachers to cover lunches. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>Ongoing/SLT</p>
<p>Staff taking leave Staff will be taking leave over the summer period which may involve travelling abroad. Some countries require a quarantine on return. Latest guidance should be checked on the Gov website</p>	<p>It is recommended that school leaders discuss leave arrangements with staff before the end of the summer term to inform planning for the autumn term. Where it is not possible to avoid a staff member having quarantine during term time, school leaders should consider if it is possible to temporarily amend working arrangements to enable them to work from home.</p>	<p>Send letter from HR to all staff by Parentmail to clarify quarantine arrangements. Low Sept 2021: Remind staff to stay updated on most recent quarantine rules if they plan to travel. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>22.07.20 /DJ</p>
<p>Consider whether the school may have children visiting countries required to quarantine</p>	<p>Ensure remote education is available on their return</p>	<p>Include information about quarantine in full opening newsletter to parents.</p>	<p>22.07.20/SS</p>

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		<p>Send homework packs to any child affected by quarantine.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Remind parents to ensure they are using the latest guidance on quarantine if they plan to travel.</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p>	
<p>Staff deployment</p> <p>Schools may need to alter the way in which they deploy their staff more flexibly to welcome back all pupils at the start of the autumn term</p> <p>It is important that planning builds in the need to avoid increases in unnecessary and unmanageable workload burdens.</p> <p>DfE workload reduction toolkit https://www.gov.uk/guidance/school-workload-reduction-toolkit</p>	<p>Managers should discuss and agree any changes to staff roles with individuals</p> <p>If all immediate options have been pursued and you still have concerns about your staff capacity talk to your LA or Trust.</p>	<p>Currently, there are no concerns about staffing the school in September. There is additional capacity to cover classes with 2 teachers that are not class based and an HLTA based in each year group.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: No concerns currently and almost all adults are double vaccinated which should minimise absence. HLTAs and teaching staff who do not have a direct classroom responsibility will be able to offer cover if needed.</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>When needed/line managers</p>
<p>Deploying support staff and accommodating visiting specialists</p> <p>Schools should ensure that appropriate support is made available for pupils with SEND, for example by deploying teaching assistance and enabling specialist staff from both within and outside the school to work with pupils in different classes or year groups.</p>	<p>Consider:</p> <p>Support staff capacity</p> <p>Using support to catch up provision or targeted groups</p> <p>Teaching assistants may be deployed to lead groups or cover lessons, under direction and supervision of a qualified, or nominated, teacher</p>	<p>Piano lessons to take place over Zoom (piano out of school hours).</p> <p>Wider ops, violin and guitar teacher to be briefed appropriately and act in line with school policy.</p> <p>Work with only one class. For the remainder of term 4, no music teachers in school. Teaching remotely where possible.</p> <p>From May 2021 – music tuition permitted within school</p> <p>HLTAs within year groups to cover classes where needed (this is usual practice in the school).</p>	<p>Ongoing/CB/M F/DB</p>

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<p>Any redeployments should not be at the expense of supporting pupils with SEND.</p> <p>Education endowment Foundation guidance on making the best use of teaching assistants https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/tools/guidance-reports/making-best-use-of-teaching-assistants/</p>	<p>Teachers to evaluate the needs of the children in their class and deploy TA support as needed. Physio, OT and other specialists to work in the therapy room in the Snug. Room to be cleaned after use and any PPE used disposed of appropriately. Mr Barnett to deliver PE across the school. Maintain social distance when teaching, where possible all lessons take place outside (weather dependant).</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Staff will be able to work across the school where needed and peripatetic teachers will work face to face.</p> <p>Jan 22 – Music tutors continue face to face in school, but follow school guidance around use of face coverings in communal areas.</p>		
	<p>The Headteacher should be satisfied that the person has the appropriate skills, expertise and experience to carry out the work and discuss and agree proposed changes in role or responsibility with the member of staff</p>	<p>TAs may cover classes for short periods of time to release the class teacher or cover short term absence in order to keep the integrity of the bubble. This will be evaluated on a case by case basis by SLT to ensure that the member of staff has the skills required.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: ongoing</p> <p>Jan 22 – no change</p>	Ongoing/HT
	<p>Safe ratios must be met Specific training undertaken</p>	<p>Breakfast club will ensure that ratios are kept to a one adult to eight children at the most. All children must book in advance to ensure ratios can be adhered to. Any child who has not been booked in will be turned away.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: ongoing</p> <p>Jan 22 – No change</p>	Ongoing/PW/H B

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<p>Volunteers</p> <p>Volunteers should be properly supported and given appropriate roles Checks and risk assessments should continue as set out in KCSiE Part 3 Under no circumstance should volunteers who have not been checked work in regulated activity Mixing of volunteers across groups should be kept to a minimum Volunteers should remain 2 metres from pupils and staff where possible</p>	<p>No volunteers will be used during term 1 in order to minimise the number of people the children come into contact with. This will be reviewed termly. When we start to use volunteers, all normal checks will be carried out and volunteers will be allocated to a bubble. Term 2 – no volunteers until Christmas Term 3 – no volunteers Term 4 – no volunteers From May 2021 – only volunteers who are able to offer the school a substantial amount of time will be accepted. They will follow the risk assessment, including twice weekly lateral flow testing. Swimming volunteers will wait outside the building for the class to come out and will not enter the building.</p> <p>Low Sept 2021: Volunteers may be used in class as long as they follow the school’s risk assessment. Jan 22 – No change</p>	<p>Review end of term 1/SS</p>
<p>Deploying staff appropriate checks See part 3 KCSiE (2020 version for use in September also in this link) This includes volunteers https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/keeping-children-safe-in-education--2</p>	<p>Headteachers should ensure only those with appropriate checks are allowed to engage in regulated activity</p>	<p>Ongoing/DJ</p>
<p>Recruitment Recruitment should continue as usual. DfE blog provides information on the experience of implementing interviews remotely and advice that</p>	<p>Recruit remotely over the summer period</p>	<p>When required/SS</p>

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<p>can be sent to candidates on how to prepare for remote interviews https://teaching.blog.gov.uk/2020/05/29/recruiting-during-lockdown-how-we-did-it/ https://teaching.blog.gov.uk/2020/06/12/attending-your-first-remote-interview/</p> <p>safeguarding checks can be carried out remotely as set out in COVID 19 safeguarding in schools https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-safeguarding-in-schools-colleges-and-other-providers from the autumn term checks will revert to being carried out in person</p>	<p>Schools must adhere to the legal requirement regarding pre-appointment checks</p> <p>Consider NQT's starting in the autumn term</p>	<p>All usual checks remain in place. This is normal policy and procedure and no changes are anticipated.</p> <p>Low Sept 2021: no change Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>When needed/DJ</p>
<p>Supply teachers and other temporary or peripatetic teachers Advice includes supply staff, peripatetic teachers, sports coaches and those engaged to deliver before and after school clubs. Schools can continue to engage supply teachers and other supply staff during this period <i>Supply staff and other temporary workers can move between schools, but school leaders will want to</i></p>	<p>Supply staff, visitors and peripatetic teachers will be expected to comply with the school's arrangements for managing and minimising the risks Particular care to maintain distance from other staff and pupils Minimise the number of temporary staff entering the schools premises</p>	<p>We use very few supply teachers. Absence is covered internally by existing staff. Should we need a supply teacher, they will be given clear guidance on the procedures in place Peripatetic music teachers will be teaching remotely over term 1 and this will be reviewed termly. Ukuele teaching for year 4 happening in the hall, socially distanced. Jan 2021 – no onsite music tuition Term 4 – no onsite music tuition From May 2021 – onsite music tuition allowed low Sept 2021: Onsite music tuition still allowed</p>	<p>If needed/SS/Admin team</p>

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<i>consider how to minimise the number of visitors where possible</i>		Jan 22 – Music tutors continue face to face in school, but follow school guidance around use of face coverings in communal areas.	
Safeguarding KCSiE from September https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/keeping-children-safe-in-education--2 COVID-19 –Safeguarding in schools, colleges and other providers https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-safeguarding-in-schools-colleges-and-other-providers	Revisit the child protection/safeguarding policy to reflect the return of all pupils	All staff to read relevant parts of KCSiE in September and sign relevant checklist to say that they have read and understand. All staff to undertake Hays training. DSL to update safeguarding policy in light of changes to KCSiE and share with all staff. Low Sept 2021: no change Jan 22 – no change	30.09.20/DSL
Designated Safeguarding Leads	DSL's should be provided with more time especially in the first few weeks of term Agencies and services should prepare to work together to actively look for signs of harm	DSL and DDSL are not class based, so will be able to use time flexibly where needed. School has a good track record of working with outside agencies and this will continue. Low Sept 2021: no change. Jan 22 – no change	01.09.20/HT/DSL
School nursing	Communicating with school nurses is important for safeguarding and supporting wellbeing	Annual training by the school nursing service is already booked for early September (2 sessions – one for the Snug and one for the mainstream).	As needed/ SL/ Admin team

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	Schools and school nurses need to work together to ensure delivery of the healthy child programme (which includes immunisation currently provided by Virgin Care), identifying health and wellbeing needs which will underpin priorities for service delivery.	Office to contact school nurse for any other needs. Training complete – took place over Teams. Low Sept 2021: SRP training 01.09.21, mainstream 07.09.21. Jan 22 – no change	
Catering School kitchens are expected to be fully open from the start of the autumn term and normal legal requirements will apply about provision of food to all pupils who want it, including those eligible for benefits related free school meals or universal infant free school meals https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-food-businesses/guidance-for-food-businesses-on-coronavirus-covid-19	School kitchens can continue to operate but must comply with the guidance for food businesses on COVID-19 <hr/> Consider whether there is sufficient resources for all children to return to school	Kitchen to cook an adapted menu that can be delivered to and eaten in classrooms (no peas, no gravy). MDSAs to deliver to classrooms. Bubble staff to serve and supervise. MDSAs to collect empty plates and return to the kitchen for washing. Reception to now eat in the hall (15.10.20) low Sept 2021: Rec and Year 1 to eat in ventilated hall, with 2m gap between year groups. Lunches for the rest of the school to stay in classrooms. Jan 22 – no change	Ongoing/DJ/Coombs
Estates There is not an expectation for schools to make significant adaptations to their site to enable them to welcome all children back to school. It is not expected that schools will need to deliver any of their education on other sites (such as community centres/village halls) Review guidance https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/managing-school-premises-	Usual checks completed, consider fire drills	No extra buildings will be needed to open. Caretaker to carry out usual checks as detailed in the weekly/monthly check folder (paths, doors, fire escapes etc) Firedrill to take place once all children are in. New “dots” for lining up have been placed at 3m intervals to keep lines socially isolated School does not currently have any “lettings” to accommodate. Low Sept 2021: no change Jan 22 – no change	Ongoing/RP

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<p>during-the-coronavirus-outbreak/managing-school-premises-which-are-partially-open-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak</p>		
<p>Usual pre-term checks are undertaken to make the school safe If buildings have been closed or reduced occupancy water system stagnation can occur due to lack of use, increasing the risk of Legionnaires disease. See guidance above and links below: https://www.hse.gov.uk/coronavirus/legionella-risks-during-coronavirus-outbreak.htm</p> <p>Additional advice from the Chartered Institute of Building services Engineers guidance on emerging from lockdown https://www.cibse.org/coronavirus-covid-19/emerging-from-lockdown</p>	<p>In classrooms it will be important that schools improve ventilation (for example by opening windows)</p>	<p>Wb 25.08.20 and ongoing /RP/ class teachers</p>

School has been in use since the start of lockdown, with normal flushing of little used outlets.
 Caretaker to carry out usual pre-opening checks in w/b 25/8/20.

Class teachers to ensure that each room has at least one open window.

Low
 Sept 2021: Normal checks still in place. All staff reminded of the importance of good ventilation. Implement DfE CO2 monitors as directed when they arrive.

Jan 22 – All classrooms now have a CO2 monitor. All rooms to keep at least one window open and to ventilate more fully when the children are not in the room by opening doors and additional windows. Classroom staff to monitor CO2 monitors and take action to ventilate the room further should the air quality become “poor”.

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<p>Once the school is in operation it is important to ensure good ventilation https://www.hse.gov.uk/coronavirus/equipment-and-machinery/air-conditioning-and-ventilation.htm</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/managing-school-premises-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak/managing-school-premises-which-are-partially-open-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak</p>	<p>Schools will need to consider what control measure need to be used to ensure they are aware of wider advice on visiting indoor and outdoor venues.</p>	<p>Class teachers to ensure that each room has at least one open window. Outdoor PE to take place, weather permitting. No school trips will take place during term 1. This will be reviewed termly. No school trips for term 2, although visitors may come in to deliver curriculum as long as they are able to adhere to social distancing rules. Jan 2021 – no trips Term 4 – no trips From May 2021 – swimming to start for year 3, groups may attend Covid safe sports events. Children form only one year group at a time may attend. Low Sept 2021: Visits may resume. Teachers reminded to ensure that they follow the Covid RA for any venue and that face masks are required on school transport for adults. Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>Ongoing/ class teachers</p>
<p>Educational Visits Government advice is against domestic (UK) overnight and overseas educational visits at this stage, but in the autumn term schools can resume non-overnight domestic educational visits. As normal schools should undertake full and thorough risk assessments in relation to all educational visits to ensure they can be done safely.</p>		<p>Y5 camp out will be moved to the summer term (if it can happen then). Y4 residential will be reviewed in the Spring term. Y6 residential has been booked for July 2021, but will only go ahead if guidance says that it is appropriate to do so. No external trips in term 1. Review in term 2. See above. For any trips, normal risk assessment process will be resumed. Term 2 – no external visits Term 4 – no external visits</p>	<p>As needed /DB</p>

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<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/health-and-safety-on-educational-visits/health-and-safety-on-educational-visits</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-travel-advice-for-educational-settings/coronavirus-travel-guidance-for-educational-settings</p>	<p>From May 2021 – swimming to start for year 3, groups may attend Covid safe sports events. Children form only one year group at a time may attend.</p> <p>Other educational visits should not take place, but visitors may come into school if they work within school’s risk assessment.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Visits may resume. Teachers reminded to ensure that they follow the Covid RA for any venue and that face masks are required on school transport for adults.</p> <p>Visitors may come into school if they work within the school’s risk assessment.</p> <p>Jan 22 – No residential visits for term 3 and 4. Possible reschedule of Legg House visit for Year 4 to summer term.</p>	
<p>In the autumn term trips should include pupils with SEND where connected with their preparation for adulthood (for example workplace visits, travel training etc.) this should be done in line with protective measures such as keeping children within their consistent group, and the COVID 19 secure measures in place at their destination.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	

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<p>Schools should make use of outdoor spaces in the local area to support delivery of the curriculum.</p>	<p>Schools should consider how pupil non – compliance is managed, taking mindful and considerate approach in relation to parents who may be experiencing financial pressures.</p>	<p>Teachers to make good use of school’s external grounds. Local walks and visits may resume from term 2. Term 2 review – no local walks to take place this term. Consideration of how appropriate adult ratios will be met should be taken into account, avoiding the use of volunteers where possible. Social distancing to be adhered to in line with guidance at the time of the trip. See swimming comments and RA. Sept 2021: Local visits can take place. Any volunteer helpers should be well briefed on expectations. Jan 22 – no change Low</p>	<p>Ongoing/ class teachers</p>
<p>School uniform It is for the governing body of a school to make decisions regarding school uniform. Schools are being encouraged to return to usual uniform polices in the autumn term. Uniforms do not need to be cleaned any more often than usual nor do they need to be cleaned using methods which are different from normal.</p>	<p>Schools should carefully consider how they can make such provision work alongside their 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 should use small consistent groups. Schools should advise parents to limit the number of different out of school activities for their children, school should encourage them to seek assurance that the providers are carefully considering their own measures and only use providers that can demonstrate this.</p>	<p>Full school uniform should be worn as of September 1st. Staff have co-ordinated distribution of second hand uniform for those families that want it. All uniform has been washed and then placed in an unused classroom for over 72hrs. Parents advised to wash again on receipt. Low Sept 2021: No change Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>Ongoing/all staff</p>

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<p>Extra-curricular provision Schools should consider resuming any breakfast and after school provision where possible from the start of the autumn term. There is a recognition that this will be logistically challenging for schools particularly for clubs that would normally offer support across year groups, where parents are using multiple providers or where childminders are picking up/dropping off pupils.</p> <p>Guidance for summer holiday childcare contains useful information when planning extra –curricular provision. https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/protective-measures-for-holiday-or-after-school-clubs-and-other-out-of-school-settings-for-children-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak/protective-measures-for-out-of-school-settings-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak</p>	<p>Schools should carefully consider how they can make such provision work alongside their 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 should use small, consistent groups.</p>	<p>Breakfast club: Hall to be zoned into year groups for breakfast club to reduce mixing of bubbles. Children to bring own breakfast (or eat before they arrive) to reduce handling of items. Numbers will be strictly limited to 24 to allow space and staff restricted to 3 to keep 1:8 ratio. No ad hoc bookings will be accepted, only advanced booking so that staff can prepare hall appropriately. Lower KS2 toilets to be used. Staff to wipe down touch points in the toilets after the session. All touch points in the hall and the mats the children sit on to be wiped down at the end of breakfast club. Children to be escorted to class bubbles at the end of breakfast club.</p> <p>Sept 2021: Children will remain in phases for playing, but may eat at the same table.</p> <p>There will be no after school clubs in term 1. This will be reviewed termly. No after school clubs for term 2. No after school clubs for term 3. No after school clubs for term 4.</p> <p>Term 5 onwards – after school clubs to begin. One year group at a time, only outdoor activities, only school staff to deliver, children to change in own classrooms and only mix outside. Cancel if weather bad.</p> <p>From term 6, use hall if raining.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: Term 1 2021 – full programme of clubs in place</p> <p>Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>Ongoing/ breakfast club staff</p> <p>Review end of term 1/SS</p>

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	<p>Schools should advise parents to limit the number of different wraparound providers they access, as far as possible. Where parents use childcare providers or out of school activities for their children, schools should encourage them to seek assurance that the providers are carefully considering their own protective measures, and only use those providers that can demonstrate this.</p>	<p>Advice to be given to parents in full reopening newsletter. Ongoing liaison is happening between school and Central@RLK preschool who run our afterschool provision. They will be limiting numbers and reducing mixing between Key Stages. Low Sept 2021: No further restrictions in place Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>22.07.20/ SS</p>
	<p>As with physical activity during the school day contact sports should not take place.</p>	<p>Breakfast club will have boxes of activities on mats. No running around in hall, no contact sports. Low Sept 2021: No further restrictions Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>Ongoing/ breakfast club staff</p>
<p>Physical activity in schools Schools have the flexibility to decide how physical education, sport and physical activity will be provided whilst following the measures in their system of controls. Schools should refer to the following guidance: https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-on-phased-return-of-sport-and-recreation https://www.sportengland.org/how-we-can-help/coronavirus</p>	<p>Pupils should be kept in consistent groups, sports equipment thoroughly cleaned between each use by different individual groups, and contact sports avoided.</p>	<p>PE to be carried out in class bubbles. Any equipment used to be cleaned between bubbles using it or quarantined for 72hrs. Contact sports will not be played. Children will be asked to bring in a PE kit and leave it in school. It should travel home for washing only when directed by the teacher (this will vary according the age of the children, the type of activity done and the frequency of PE sessions). Low Sept 2021: Touchpoints will be cleaned in line with rest of school, but equipment may be used by more than one class. Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>Ongoing/all teachers/DB</p>

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https://www.afpe.org.uk/physical-education/wp-content/uploads/COVID-19-Interpreting-the-Government-Guidance-in-a-PESSPA-Context-FINAL.pdf https://www.youthsporttrust.org/coronavirus-support-schools	<p>Outdoor sports should be prioritised where possible, and large indoor spaces used where it is not, maximising distancing between pupils and paying scrupulous attention to cleaning and hygiene.</p>	<p>PE will be outdoors whenever the weather permits. The hall will be used when it is too wet to go out. This should be used for one class at a time and contact points wiped down before the next class enters.</p> <p>Low Sept 2021: Emphasis will be placed upon outdoor PE, but the hall may also be used with appropriate ventilation. Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>Ongoing/all teachers/DB</p>
	<p>External facilities can also be used in line with government guidance for the use of, and travel to and from, those facilities.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	
	<p>Schools are able to work with external coaches, clubs and organisations for curricular and extra-curricular activities where they are satisfied that this is safe to do so. Schools should consider carefully how such arrangements can operate within their wider protective measures</p>	<p>No external coaches will be used during term 1. This will be kept under termly review.</p> <p>No external coaches for term 2. No external coaches for term 3. No external coaches for term 4. From May 2021 – No external coaches to run clubs, but Swindon Town mental health sessions to take place. Sept 2021: External coaches can be used for clubs. DB to brief them on hand washing, ventilation etc. Jan 22 – no change</p> <p>Low</p>	<p>SLT/termly</p>

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	<p>Activities such as active miles, making break times and lessons active and encouraging active travel help enable pupils to be physically active while encouraging physical distancing.</p>	<p>Active break times will be encouraged through class bubble equipment boxes. PE lessons will focus on fitness. Low Sept 2021: Reinstate playground trolleys Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>Ongoing/all staff/DB</p>
<p>Music Schools should note that there may be an additional risk of infection in environments where you or others are singing, chanting, playing wind or brass instruments or shouting. This applies even if individuals are at a distance. Singing, wind and brass playing should not take place in larger groups such as school choirs and ensembles, or school assemblies.</p>	<p>Schools should 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, limiting group sizes to no more than 15, positioning pupils back-to-back or side-to-side, avoiding sharing of instruments, and ensuring good ventilation.</p>	<p>No school assemblies to take place. Any classes joining together to use Teams online.</p> <p>We have negotiated with the music service to change from clarinets to ukulele to reduce the amount particles in the air.</p> <p>Music teacher to maintain social distance when in school.</p> <p>Teachers to use adapted Charanga units to avoid group singing.</p> <p>Piano teaching to continue online due to challenge of social distancing.</p> <p>Guitar and violin lessons to take place in school. Move lessons to the library to allow for greater social distancing and ventilation. Jan 2021 – no onsite music tuition Term 4 – no onsite music tuition From May 2021 – onsite music tuition permitted low Sept 2021: Onsite tuition allowed. Singing in assemblies permitted. Ensure appropriate ventilation.</p>	<p>Ongoing/ CB/ Year 4 teachers</p>

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		Jan 22 – Onsite music tuition continues. Singing within class permitted. No assemblies in person with more than a year group at a time.	
<p>Pupil wellbeing and support Pupils may be experiencing a variety of emotions in response to the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak, such as anxiety, stress or low mood. This may particularly be the case for vulnerable children, including those with a social worker and young carers. It is important to contextualise these feelings as normal responses to an abnormal situation. Some may need support to re-adjust to school; others may have enjoyed being at home and be reluctant to return; a few may be showing signs of more severe anxiety or depression. Others will not be experiencing any challenges and will be keen and ready to return to school.</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/guidance/teaching-about-mental-wellbeing</p> <p>https://covid.minded.org.uk/</p>	<p>Schools should consider the provision of pastoral and extra-curricular activities to all pupils designed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support the rebuilding of friendships and social engagement Address and equip pupils to respond to issues linked to coronavirus (COVID-19) Support pupils with approaches to improving their physical and mental wellbeing 	<p>Teachers to address issues raised as part of PSHE curriculum.</p> <p>Sept 2021: no change Jan 22 – no change</p> <p>low</p>	Ongoing/ class teachers/HL
	<p>Schools should also provide more focused pastoral support where issues are identified that individual pupils may need help with, drawing on external support where necessary and possible</p>	<p>Where issues are identified, deliver a graduated response ranging from in class support from TA to ELSA, Tamhs and Trailblazer. Liaise with Senco to facilitate these interventions.</p> <p>Sept 2021: no change Jan 22 – no change</p> <p>Low</p>	Ongoing/Senco
	<p>Schools should also consider support needs of particular groups they are already aware need additional help (for example, children in need), and any groups they identify as newly vulnerable on their return to school.</p>	<p>Teachers to keep this under review and offer support as needed.</p> <p>Sept 2021: no change Jan 22 – no change</p> <p>Low</p>	Ongoing/class teachers
<p>Behaviour expectations Schools should set out clearly at the earliest opportunity the consequences for poor behaviour and deliberately breaking the rules and how they will</p>	<p>Schools should consider updating their behaviour policies with any new rules/policies setting clear, reasonable and proportionate expectations of pupil behaviour.</p>	<p>Review behaviour policy in light of current DfE guidance.</p> <p>Sept 2021: no change Jan 22 – no change</p> <p>Low</p>	01.09.20/SS

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<p>enforce those rules including any sanctions. This is particularly the case when considering restrictions on movement within school and new hygiene rules. Schools will need to work with staff, pupils and parents to ensure that behaviour expectations are clearly understood, and consistently supported, taking account of individual needs</p>	<p>Consider how to communicate rules/policies clearly and consistently to staff, pupils and parents,</p>	<p>Class/school rules to be addressed explicitly with every class in first week of school. Each class to display key points. Revised policy to be shared on school website. Senco to work with parents of any child considered to be “high risk” to adapt individual behaviour plans in light of changes to expectations. Sept 2021: All staff aware that as we start to reintroduce assemblies, mixed lunchtimes etc, that the children will need to be explicitly trained in the expectations of these. Gradual reintroduction – only two year groups in assemblies for term 1, year 1 and 2 to separate playtimes for the first two weeks, phase playtimes for the rest of the term. Review at half term. Jan 22 – continue to support where necessary low</p>	<p>08.09.20/Class teachers/SS/Se nco</p>
	<p>Consider how to build new expectations into their rewards system.</p>	<p>Teachers to adapt current systems to support new expectations and make this explicit to children. Low Sept 2021: No change Jan 22 – no change</p>	<p>Ongoing/class teachers</p>
<p>Contingency planning for outbreaks Swindon Covid 19 outbreak management plan - https://www.swindon.gov.uk/lomp</p> <p>If a local area sees a spike in infection rates that is resulting in localised community spread, appropriate authorities will decide which measures to implement to help contain the spread. The Department for Education will be involved in decisions at a local and national level affecting a geographical area, and will support appropriate authorities and individual settings to follow the health advice. In developing these contingency plans, Government expect schools to:</p>			

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Use a curriculum sequence that allows access to high-quality online and offline resources and teaching videos, and that is linked to the school's curriculum expectations

Give access to high quality remote education resources

Select the online tools that will be consistently used across the school in order to allow interaction, assessment and feedback, and make sure staff are trained in their use

Provide printed resources, such as textbooks and workbooks, for pupils who do not have suitable online access

Recognise that younger pupils and some pupils with SEND may not be able to access remote education without adult support, and so schools should work with families to deliver a broad and ambitious curriculum.

Sept 2021: School will adapt this risk assessment in light of any new information from PHE and adapt processes as necessary – eg. reinstatement of staff wearing masks in communal areas.

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School goes into partial lockdown (bubbles) (provision for key staff and vulnerable children)	<p>Any year groups affected by partial lockdown will have learning packs issued on Purple Mash to include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Purple Mash Oak Learning Academy White Rose Maths Reading Comprehension Topic related activities <p>Current options for distributing homework packs will remain in place: pick up printed pack from office, home delivery for families who can't come out.</p> <p>LA laptops to be distributed to those vulnerable children identified. School to ensure that they have appropriate software and safeguarding protection.</p>	When required/all teachers

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	<p>The school will liaise with PHE to follow all recommendations.</p> <p>Sept 2021: No change: ongoing homework will be set through Purple Mash so that families remain familiar with the logon process.</p> <p>Jan 22 – no change. Teaching staff are prepared to implement remote learning where needed.</p> <p>Low</p>	
School goes into full lockdown (provision for key staff and vulnerable children)	<p>The actions above will be extended to all children affected.</p> <p>Key worker school to continue. Initially use DB and HB in library and resources room.</p> <p>Ensure clear communication to parents.</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Sept 2021: see above</p> <p>Jan 22 – new changes to definition of vulnerable children to be used should provision be required.</p>	As needed/ SS, DB, HB
<p>Remote education support</p> <p>Schools are expected to have the capacity to offer immediate remote education.</p> <p>When teaching pupils remotely, government expects schools to:</p> <p>Set assignments so that pupils have meaningful and ambitious work each day in a number of different subjects</p> <p>Teach a planned and well-sequenced curriculum so that knowledge and skills are built incrementally, with a good level of clarity about what is intended to be taught and practised in each subject</p> <p>Provide frequent, clear explanations of new content, delivered by a teacher in the school or through high quality curriculum resources and/or videos</p> <p>Gauge how well pupils are progressing through the curriculum, using questions and other suitable tasks and set a clear expectation on how regularly teachers will check work</p>	<p>See above.</p> <p>Low</p>	As needed/All teachers

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<p>Enable teachers to adjust the pace or difficulty of what is being taught in response to questions or assessments, including, where necessary, revising material or simplifying explanations to ensure pupils' understanding</p> <p>Plan a programme that is of equivalent length to the core teaching pupils would receive in school, ideally including daily contact with teachers</p>		

Curriculum Review curriculum expectations, catch-up support, in guidance https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/actions-for-schools-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak/guidance-for-full-opening-schools (Music, Physical activity in schools, Pupil wellbeing and support and behaviour expectations are included in the risk assessment above)
<p>Detail any risks or difficulties:</p> <p>All teachers are planning to deliver a broad and balanced curriculum in September. See above for adaptations to music and PE curriculum.</p> <p>All teachers will carry out assessment activities in September, not tests. These will inform where support should be targeted.</p> <p>Extra full time teacher employed to support catch up in KS1.</p> <p>School will engage fully with government catch up programmes when details are known.</p> <p>All teachers aware that the SRE curriculum has not been delivered to all pupils this year. Adaptations to the relationships and sex education units will be made when these are revisited. Main secondary feeder school has been informed of potential gap in SRE.</p> <p>Sept 2021: Teachers continue to be aware of gaps in learning and will address these through adaptation of planning and interventions where need is identified.</p>

Assessment and Accountability Review information in guidance https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/actions-for-schools-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak/guidance-for-full-opening-schools
<p>Detail any risks or difficulties:</p> <p>None identified currently.</p> <p>School plans to take part in optional Reception baseline.</p>

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SBC Review comments:

Bernice Weiss: a very thorough and clear risk assessment. One comment for consideration:
 Where you state *'Staff have co-ordinated distribution of second hand uniform for those families that want it.'* I suggest you add in comments regarding advising parents to thoroughly clean the garments before the child wears them – addressed: SS

Should further comments be provided by H&S and HR after their reviews these will be forwarded separately.
 Many thanks

H&S comment below
 No H&S comment here. Satisfied that the school has made an attempt to address most, if not all the identified guidance factors for the Covid controls.

School Review: 04.09.20 S. Smith,
 15.10.20 S. Smith

Spot check by Health and Safety Executive (HSE) 11.11.20. Review of risk assessment, tour of school and discussion with staff. No further recommendations.

School review: 04.01.21, S. Smith

School review: 04.03.21, S. Smith

School review: in light of 17th May 2021 changes

Update in light of new guidance – Sept 2021, S. Smith

Jan 22 – see changes in light of new guidance. S. Smith

Reviewed by: Bernice Weiss	Date: 20/07/20
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