



# St Cecilia's

## R.C. HIGH SCHOOL



### COVID-19 Risk Assessment – Whole School 1.9

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<b>Date</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> April 2022	<b>Date</b>	
<b>Review Date</b>	July 2022		

#### **Prevention: taken from Schools Covid-19 operational guidance**

1. Ensure good hygiene for everyone
2. Maintain appropriate cleaning regimes
3. Keep occupied spaces well ventilated
4. Follow public health advice on testing, self-isolation and managing confirmed cases of Covid-19

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Risk assessment scoring based on available government guidance			Likelihood of contracting Covid - 19				
			Very Unlikely	Unlikely	Possible	Likely	Very Likely
Severity of Infection			1	2	3	4	5
	Negligible	1	1	2	3	4	5
	Minor	2	2	4	6	8	10
	Moderate	3	3	6	9	12	15
	Major	4	4	8	12	16	20
	Extreme	5	5	10	15	20	25

- 15 – 25**    **Unacceptable** this activity cannot take place
- 10 – 14**    **Tolerable** improvements needed within an agreed timescale
- 5 – 10**    **Adequate** this activity can take place with improvements expected at next review
- 1 – 4**    **Acceptable** this activity can go ahead with monitoring that control measures are maintained

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Transmission Risk	Risk Factor Likelihood X Severity	Control Measures	Persons at risk	SLT	Actioned By	Residual Risk Factor
Personal hygiene	4x4 = 16	<p><i>Pupils and staff's personal hygiene must reflect a heightened awareness of how transmission of infections spread</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hand sanitizer available at building entry points</li> <li>• Reminders to all, to frequently wash hands with hot water and soap</li> </ul>	Pupils Staff Visitors	SBM	Staff and pupils	2 X 2 = 4

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<p>Pupil presenting as a suspected case and if positive case</p>	<p>5 X 5 = 25</p>	<p>Adults with the symptoms of a respiratory infection, and who have a high temperature or feel unwell, should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people until they feel well enough to resume normal activities and they no longer have a high temperature</p> <p>Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, college or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend</p> <p>Adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days, which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under, <b>the advice will be 3 days</b></p> <p>As a school we will follow this guidance and advice parents that if a child has tested positive for covid-19 or has the main symptoms of persistent cough, high temp, loss taste or smell they should isolate for 3 days. We will refuse a pupil to attend school if we feel it is putting others at risk.</p>	<p>Pupils Staff</p>	<p>SLT Office staff</p>	<p>Staff</p>	<p>3 X 3 = 9</p>
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		We will continue to set remote learning if a pupil is well enough to do the work				
Site cleaning / Hygiene/ventilation	4 X 4 = 16	<p><i>The following areas require contact with others and contact with multi-user interfaces</i> Print room, Reception, Water dispensers, Hand dryers, Contact points.</p> <p><u>Contact Points</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Doors where a safeguarding risk does not occur to be wedged open</li> </ul>	Staff Pupils	SBM SBM	Staff  Staff	2 X 2 = 4

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cleaning of high use doors to take place after pupil movements</li> </ul> <p><u>Ventilation</u> Rooms must be able to have a steady flow of air through an open window</p> <p>Opening internal doors can also assist with creating a throughput of air</p> <p>There should be a balance for increased ventilation while maintaining a comfortable temperature.</p> <p>CO2 monitors in rooms for monitoring and reviewing purposes</p> <p>For large venues such as assemblies' doors and windows must be opened for air to be circulated</p> <p>Staff meetings and briefing will resume in person in a well ventilated room e.g. staff room and or school dining room</p>			Pupils/Staff	
Visitors to School	3x3=9	<p><i>Schools provision and by its very nature being at the heart of the community rely on visitors to carry out many of its core functions</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Organisers of meetings/visitors to notify SBM in advance so that cleaning provision can be put in place.</li> <li>All visitors must make an appointment before visiting school.</li> </ul>			Staff SBM	2x2=4

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Visitors must sanitize hands</li></ul>					
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