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HAZARD	RISK GROUP	RISK	CONTROL MEASURES (Describe the existing workplace precautions and risk control systems in place)	Residual Risk Rating HIGH MED LOW	Are Existing Controls Adequate?		
					Yes	No*	
			This risk assessment must be read and followed in conjunction with the Trust/Schools most up to date Covid-19 risk assessment				
Awareness of policies and procedures	Staff Pupils Others	Inadequate information	 All staff, parents, governors, visitors and volunteers are aware of all relevant policies and procedures. All staff have access to all relevant guidance and legislation including, but not limited to, the following: The Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations (RIDDOR) 2013 The Health Protection (Notification) Regulations 2010 Public Health England (PHE) (2017) 'Health protection in schools and other childcare facilities' DfE and PHE (2020) 'COVID-19: guidance for educational settings' The relevant staff receive any necessary training that helps minimise the spread of infection, e.g. infection control training. The school keeps up-to-date with advice issued by, but not limited to, the following: DfE NHS Department for Health and Social Care PHE Staff are made aware of the school's infection control procedures in relation to coronavirus via email or staff meetings and contact the school as soon as possible if 	MED	•		

			 they believe they may have been exposed to coronavirus. Parents are made aware of the school's infection control procedures in relation to coronavirus via letter and social media – they are informed that they must contact the school as soon as possible if they believe their child has been exposed to coronavirus. Pupils are made aware of the need to tell a member of staff if they feel unwell. Outbreak management plans should cover the possibility of reintroduction of restrictions on mixing for a temporary period in case of local outbreak. https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronaviru s-covid-19-local-restrictions-in-education-and-childcare-settings/contingency-framework-education-and-childcare-settings 			
Parents/carers coming into school.	Parents/Carers Children Staff.	Spread of infection	 Parents are made aware of the school's infection control procedures in relation to coronavirus via letter and social media (i.e., taking an LFT test prior to arriving) Inform parents of the entrance and exit points in advance to the open evening taking place via website or other communication systems. Open evening should be arranged at pre-time-tabled intervals to limited time on site, help maintain safe distancing and enable staff and parents, children to evacuate safely if necessary and. Consider where possible, having a one-way system/designated route introduced when parents/carers are coming on to site and leaving. Parents are informed not to come to the open evening if they or their child are showing signs of being unwell and believe they have been exposed to coronavirus. Sanitiser to be made available upon entry and asking visitors to confirm they are symptom-free All parents to wear masks at all times while on site. 	MED	*	

			 Doors open to maintain adequate air flow Open evening will take place in reception classroom only there will not be a tour of school. Chairs evenly spaced out. Regular cleaning before and after open evening It would be sensible to revert back to previous control measures in the event of a local outbreak. Continue to use a cautious approach with arrangements 		
Parents/carers Unaware of fire procedures	Parents/Carers Children Staff	Severe burn Smoke inhalation personal injuries	 Parents to be made aware of evacuation procedures (signs visible). Open evening should be arranged at pre-time-tabled intervals to limited time on site, enable staff and parents to evacuate safely if necessary. Open evening will take in reception classroom only. 	LOW	✓
Staff alone with Parent/s	Staff Parents/Carers	Accusations	 Where possible staff should not be left alone in a closed room with parents Other staff member in the vicinity at all times. 	LOW	✓
Violence	Parents/carers Staff	Physical Injury	• Staff should be made aware of parents who are known to display threatening behaviour and systems put in place to minimise any violence.	LOW	✓
Theft	Staff	Sensitive or personal taken from school	 All classrooms, staff room and offices should be kept shut if not in use. The school limits access to other areas of the school. Open evening will take in reception classroom. Designate route on to site. Parent and children supervised at all time while on site. 	LOW	✓
Trespassers	Parents/Carers Staff	Theft, Vandalism, Physical and Verbal Abuse	 Site Supervisor should be made aware of potential trespassers. Police should be called if the trespassers refuse to leave the school building. 	LOW	✓