

Risk Assessment Form



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		VERY Unlikely	UNLIKELY	LIKELY	HIGH LIKELY	ALMOST CERTAIN
	NEGLIGIBLE	LOW	LOW	LOW	LOW	LOW
≽	MINOR	LOW	LOW	LOW	MEDIUM	MEDIUM
SEVERITY	SERIOUS	LOW	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	HIGH
S	SEVERE	LOW	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	HIGH	HIGH
	VERY SEVERE	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	HIGH	HIGH	HIGH

Risk Assessment for Disco	Friday 13 th October 2023

Service	All persons involved to sign	Team / Section	FOSP		
Assessment Date	October 2023	Review Date	N/A	Reference Number	N/A

What are the hazards (i.e. what can cause harm)	Who might be harmed and how? (e.g. employees, pupils, members of the public, etc. and the significant risk(s))?	What existing control measures are in place to reduce / prevent the risk? (i.e. what are you already doing?)	Considering existing controls, what is the current risk level (i.e. high, medium or low – use the matrix above)	Further Action to be taken to control the risk? (i.e. only record action/additional controls measures you are going to implement)	Risk level achieved	Assigned to
Set up of Disco equipment	Pupils, FOSP members, staff Injury from equipment falling Injury to back when carrying	Only DJ carries the equipment.	M	 Setup should occur before the event begins, and only those responsible permitted to setup and take down equipment. Manual handling should be used. First Aider and first aid kit (containing applicable items) available at all times. Ensure that area is clear of people and only those 	L	FOSP helpers, present members of staff and the DJ

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				detailed should be in the area.		
Trailing cables, slippery or uneven ground, obstacles	Pupils, members of FOSP, staff Injury due to slips trips and falls	 Head teacher/caretaker/carries out regular premises inspections. FOSP lead carries out checks that area is clear and that any cables are covered. Barriers in place around disco equipment. 	M	 Ensure cables are secure and clearly marked. Floor condition to be reviewed by FOSP members throughout the event Drinks not to be allowed into the hall but must be drunk outside the library. First Aider and first aid kit (containing applicable items) available at all times Any spillages to be cleared up immediately Children are supervised at all times by staff and FOSP helpers and not allowed in the area around the disco 	L	FOSP helpers, present members of staff and the DJ
Electricity	Electric shock / Electrocution	 DJ checks equipment Caretaker regular checks hall sockets. 	M	 All leads visually checked for frays/damage and only used if none found. Cables secured to floor if trailing. Only loaded to appropriate level i.e. no additional extender plug sockets to be used (no daisy chaining) 	L	FOSP helpers, present members of staff and the DJ
Gym equipment in hall	Pupils, members of FOSP, staff Injury from falling off the equipment		M	Children not allowed to climb on the equipment and reminded by senior member of staff at start.	L	FOSP helpers and members of staff supervising the disco

				 Children are supervised at all times by staff and FOSP helpers First Aider and first aid kit (containing applicable items) available at all times 		
Fire	Pupils, members of public, staff Injury / death	The school has fire evacuation procedures that need to be followed.	L	 FOSP helpers to be familiar with fire evacuation procedure. All emergency exits to remain clear. 	L	FOSP helpers and members of staff supervising the disco
Poor supervision of event and children	Pupils, members of FOSP, staff Injury, loss of child, abduction, abuse	 Responsibilities for event supervision to be established between school and event organisers Asked that children must not be left unattended until they have been checked in. Safeguarding policies of school shared with event organisers. 	M	 Only DBS checked FOSP members or member of staff to be alone with a child that isn't theirs. The children come in and exit through the double hall doors in the front playground. The hall doors are supervised at all times to ensure no one leaves. Children are ticked off the attendee lists in their year groups as they enter so we know which children are attending. One FOSP member is responsible for each year group. They will ensure children are checked in and picked up by the correct adult. If they are unsure they ask for help from other FOSP members / staff. All children attending must have a permission slip from their parents with a 		FOSP helpers and members of staff supervising the disco

				contact number and details of who is picking them up. Children are supervised at all times by staff and FOSP helpers. No running around or playing tag or chase or doing gymnastics in the hall. The senior member of staff from school reminds children of the expectations. Adults only allowed into the disco if they are volunteering and we have their names listed prior to the event. Children use only Reception toilet areas and are supervised in the corridors.		
Overcrowding of venue	Pupils, members of FOSP, staff Injury, heat exhaustion	Venue capacity known and not exceeded	М	 Children to bring in named water bottle and leave outside the library Clear ventilation – windows opened. 	L	FOSP helpers and members of staff supervising the disco
High room temperature	Pupils, members of FOSP, staff Heat exhaustion Dehydration		M	 Children to bring in named water bottle and leave outside the library. Children suffering from being too hot encouraged to have a rest and a drink Windows open – double doors open to allow ventilation 	L	FOSP helpers and members of staff supervising the disco
Glow sticks	Pupils, members of FOSP, staff Irritation / illness as a result of	 Ensure use of non-toxic glow sticks. 	М	Staff and FOSP helpers to supervise use of glow sticks to ensure children	L	FOSP helpers and members of staff supervising the disco

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Halloween gift bags (toys, stickers, snap band, stamp)	Pupils Choking, injury	Gift bags to be given to children on exit under the supervision of their parents or carers	L	First Aider and first aid kit (containing applicable items) available.	L	FOSP helpers and members of staff supervising the disco
Sweets	Pupils Choking, allergic reaction	 Sweets to be given to children on exit under the supervision of their parents or carers 	L	First Aider and first aid kit (containing applicable items) available.	L	FOSP helpers and members of staff supervising the disco
	ingestion of or exposure to liquid inside	 Ensure glow sticks aren't damaged 		don't put them in their mouths / bite into them • First aider on hand if children do ingest liquid or it comes into contact with the skin.		

Name of Assessor	Eleanor Heron	Signature	Eleanor Heron
Name of Manager responsible for activity /	Martin Bedwin	Signature	Martin Bedwin
process			

Risk Assessment Review Log

Only use this log to confirm that there have been no changes to the current assessment; otherwise an updated risk assessment must be done

Initial Review Date	8 th October 2023
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Assessor's Signature	E Heron	Date:	8 th October 2023
Signature of Responsible Manager		Date:	
Next Review Date	12 months from initial review		
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Assessor's Signature		Date:	
Signature of Responsible Manager		Date:	
Initial Review Date	24 months from initial review		
Assessor's Signature		Date:	
Signature of Responsible Manager		Date:	
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Last Barrier			
Initial Review Date	36 months from initial review	15.	
Assessor's Signature		Date:	
Signature of Responsible Manager		Date:	
Initial Review Date	48 months from initial review		
Assessor's Signature		Date:	
Signature of Responsible Manager		Date:	





Risk Assessment(s) for	
(Activity/Process/Operation)	School Disco

This form can be used to record and demonstrate that the above risk assessment(s) has been provided to relevant employees (as below) to inform them of the risk assessment findings (i.e. the hazards, risks, and control measures associated with their work).

Name of Persons involved in the Activity/ Process/ Operation	Signature	Date