St. Felim's Risk Assessments to minimise the risk of being exposed to Covid-19

The process involved consultation with all school staff.

Methodology used for hazard identification and control

In line with the requirements of Safety, Health and Welfare at Work Act 2005 (section 19) it is the policy of the BoM in St Felim's N S to address significant hazards and risks in the workplace, to access the risks to safety, health and welfare and to control these risks as far as is reasonably practicable.

The Board is committed to the ongoing identification of hazards, the assessment of the appropriate risks and the introduction of controls to deal with them. In addition, staff are involved and participate in safety, health and welfare issues within the school and are encouraged to identify and report any potential hazards that may exist and to ensure that a risk assessment is carried out.

This revised Risk Assessment includes all relevant updates and necessary control measures to minimise the risk of staff, pupils and others being exposed to Covid-19 and these will be incorporated into the Safety Statement for St. Felim's NS in line with requirements of section 20 of the 2005 Act.

It is envisaged that additional reviews will be undertaken on a regular basis and in line with Government and public health advice to ensure that all information remains accurate, that controls are appropriate and where necessary risks are reassessed.

A hazard is anything with the potential to cause harm to the safety, health or welfare of staff, students, visitors and contractors – a wet or slippery floor, an unguarded machine, stressful work, a blocked entrance, hazardous chemicals etc. Hazards may be classified as physical, chemical, biological, environmental or human.

A **risk** is the likelihood that someone will be harmed by a hazard and the severity of that harm.

Control measures:

A control measure is an applied measure that reduces the level of risk. Control measures can be applied at the planning stage, can comprise physical measures, can be management issues and can include training. Good control measures will require a combination of some or all of these.

Control measure principles:

Schedule 3 of the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work Act 2005 lists the Principles of Prevention and the Board of Management undertakes to apply these principles (where practicable) in dealing with all risks within the school:

- Avoidance of risks
- Evaluation of unavoidable risks
- Combating of risks at source
- Adaptation of work to the individual
- Adaptation of workplace to technical progress
- Replacement of dangerous articles, substances or systems of work by safe or less dangerous articles, substances or systems of work
- Priority to collective protective measures over individual protective measures
- Development of an adequate prevention policy which takes account of technology, organisation of work, working conditions, social factors and the influence of factors relating to the working environment
- Appropriate training and instructions to employees.

When the safety audit identifies hazards, it is necessary to evaluate and rank them so that they can be controlled in an orderly way. The risk of a hazard is a measure of the likelihood or probability of an accident coupled with the severity of the injury or loss. The risk potential of each hazard was assessed (by ranking) by giving numerical values of between 1 and 5 to both the **severity** of the consequences and the **probability** of the event occurring. When the severity numerical factor and the probability numerical factor were multiplied together, they produced a number between 1 and 25 thereby producing the numerical values outlined in **risk rating** chart below.

Severity x Probability = Risk Rating

Severity

Severity Rating	Interpretation	Numerical Value
Fatality or Catastrophic	Single or multiple fatalities, widespread illness, large scale property or equipment damage	5
Major	Serious injury or illness, significant property or equipment damage	4
Moderate	Injury and damage to property	3
Minor	Minor injury or illness, minor property or equipment damage	2
Trivial	No significant injury or illness, no significant property or equipment damage	1

Probability/Likelihood

Probability Rating	Interpretation	Numerical Value
Inevitable	Likely to occur either immediately or in the short term	5
Very Likely	Could occur in time or if repeated enough	4
Likely	Likely to occur	3
Unlikely	Though unlikely, may occur over time	2
Rare	Unlikely to occur at all	1

Risk Rating

Numerical Value Severity x Probability	Descriptive risk rating	Interpretation
16 – 25	Emergency – Extremely serious	Risks are unacceptable and immediate action required justifying special
	If an incident were to occur, it would be likely	maintenance. Activity should be halted and stopped until the hazard is
	that a permanent, debilitating injury or death	eliminated or appropriate risk controls are put in place.
	would result	
11 – 15	Severe and Serious	Activity can proceed but substantial efforts should be made to reduce the
	If an incident were to occur, it would be likely	risk. Risk reduction measures should be implemented urgently within a
	that an injury requiring medical treatment would	defined time period and it might be necessary to consider suspending or
	result.	restricting the activity or to apply interim control measures until this has been
		completed.
6 – 10	Medium	Activity can proceed but consideration should be given as to whether the risks
	If an incident were to occur, there would be	can be lowered. Control measures must be monitored and reviewed as
	some chance that an injury requiring First Aid	required to ensure they remain suitable and sufficient.
	treatment would result	
1-5	Trivial or Negligible	No additional controls are necessary as these risks are considered acceptable.
	If an incident were to occur, there would be little	Activity should be regularly reviewed to ensure there is no change to the risk
	likelihood that an injury would result	rating and that controls are maintained.

^{*}Note: A numerical rating has been used in column 4 of the risk assessment sheets to describe the risk potential for the hazard identified This method has been used in an attempt to ensure that the levels of risk will be understood and clear to all those operating within the school.

Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Risk Communication, Education and Training Controls	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
Staff	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	The Board of Management will develop a response plan for the prevention and mitigation of Covid-19 following a risk assessment of the school facility. This plan will highlight the measures necessary to protect the health and safety of staff in re-opening and modifying the work arrangements within the school. The Lead Worker Representative(LWR) and the Covid Response Team will be properly consulted when developing and implementing the action plan for the prevention and mitigation of Covid-19 within the school and all staff will be informed about the measures being introduced, using specific risk communication and staff engagement approaches. The Board of Management will: ✓ Ensure that all staff receive necessary training prior to returning to work ✓ Provide posters, Signs and information to increase awareness of Covid-19 among staff and pupils ✓ Promote safe individual practices within the school campus ✓ Engage with staff in providing feedback on the preventive measures and their effectiveness ✓ Provide regular information about the risk of Covid-19 using official sources, such as government agencies (HSE, HSA, etc.) and the World Health Organisation ✓ Emphasise the effectiveness of adopting protective measures especially good personal hygiene ✓ Provide specific training in the proper use of PPE for staff, where required	Negligible	Board of Management Principal Staff
Risk Level Calculation (a) Severity of risk/in (b) Likelihood of evolution (c) Risk Rating = (a)	injury 1=trivial, 2=slight, 3=mo ent 1=rare, 2=unlikely, 3=like	Risk Level Action 1-5 Trivial risk Acceptable 1-7 Acceptable 1-8 Acceptable 1-9 Acceptable 1-10 Medium risk Requires monitoring 11-15 Severe risk Requires immediate furth 16-25 Emergency risk Halt activity and review in		ntrol

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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Hygiene Controls	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
All staff Pupils Visitors Contractors Public	Spread of Covid-19 virus Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	 After coughing or sneezing Before and after eating or preparing food Before and after using protective gloves Before and after being on public transport When arriving and leaving the school campus After toilet use ✓ Cover theirmouth and nose with a tissue or their sleeve when coughing and sneezing. ✓ Put used tissues into a bin and wash their hands ✓ Develop a routine of incresed cleaning and disinfecting of frequently touched objects and surfaces ✓ A coating of Citrox Protect will be puton all frequently touched surfaces (desks, light 	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff Visitors
Risk Level Calculation (a) Severity of risk/injury (b) Likelihood of event (c) Risk Rating = (a) X (b) 1=trivial, 2=slight, 3=moderate, 4=major, 5=fatality 1=rare, 2=unlikely, 3=likely, 4=very likely, 5=inevitable				ntrol
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Hygiene Controls	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
All staff Pupils Visitors Contractors Public	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	 ✓ Necessary PPE is available to staff ✓ Standard cleaning and maintenance regimes are put in place ✓ Toilet facilities are cleaned regularly ✓ Equipment sharing is minimised. Staff are encouraged not to share equipment ✓ There is regular cleaning of frequently touched surfaces and that staff are provided with essential cleaning materials to keep their own work areas clean (for example wipes/disinfection products, paper towels and waste bins/bags) ✓ All school equipment is sanitised – cleaning programmes to be devised to ensure that shared equipment is cleaned and disinfected between use by different people ✓ Covid compliant work areas to be available where social distancing guidelines can be applied 	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff Visitors
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Social Distancing Controls	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
All staff Pupils Visitors Contractors Public	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste	facility (buildings and grounds) Appropriate social distancing arangements will be in place throughout Meetings of staff will take place online or in the assembly hall There is currently a strict no handshaking policy in place within the school All staff, contractors and visitors should avoid direct physical contact with any other persons as far as possible Where 2 metre distance cannot be maintained	Requires monitoring Serious	Board of Management Principal Staff Visitors
Risk Level Calculation (a) Severity of risk/inj (b) Likelihood of even (c) Risk Rating = (a) X Assessment Date: A	ury 1=trivial, 2=slight, 3=moderat it 1=rare, 2=unlikely, 3=likely, 4= (b)			

Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Cleaning Controls	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
Staff especially cleaning staff	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	items handled at work or during breaks. Staff advised to clean personal items that they bring to work (e.g. mobile phones) and to avoid leaving them down on communa surfaces or they will need to clean the surface after the personal item is removed Cleaning staff will be trained in the new cleaning arrangements for the school Sufficient cleaning materials and PPE will be available to allow for increased cleaning Cleaning staff are aware of the need to wash their hands thoroughly with soap and water both before and after wearing gloves System in place for the disposable of cleaning cloths and used wipes in a rubbish bag Current HSE guidance recommends waste such as cleaning waste, tissues etc. from a person suspected of having Covid-19 should be double bagged and stored in a secure area for 72 hours before being presented for general waste collection System in place to make sure reusable cleaning equipment including mop heads and non disposable cloths are clean before re-use System in place to ensure that equipment such as buckets are emptied and cleaned with a fresh solution of disinfectant before re-use	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Office and administration	areas	Risk Rating	Action implementation
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Staff Secretary	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	Secretary's Office capacity to be limited to facil distancing between staff at photocopier and Secretary Risk Level A	ry's Desk	Requires	Board of Management Principal Administration staff
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Use of PPE	Risk Rating	Action implementation
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Staff	most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell	PPE needs to be consistently and properly worn when required. In addition, it must be regularly inspected, cleaned, maintained and replaced as necessary. PPE will not be required to be worn within the school facility according to current occupational and public health guidance. Current general guidance from the HSE in relation to the wearing of face coverings, masks and gloves is available at the following Link: https://www2.hse.ie/conditions/coronavirus/face-	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks		r resources during Covid-19	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
Staff (particularly SNAs, school secretary and post holders, SEN team)	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	distribution/return of school books (I materials (including IT equipment) seither in the school for the start of the need arises. The following guide distributing/receiving or assisting in continuous of the start of the need arises. The following guide distributing/receiving or assisting in continuous of the school of the school shad to the school process. The following the school shad to t	currently 2 metres) vashing and respiratory etiquette, do not with unwashed hands, etc.) before and r materials returned to the school tocols if you are displaying symptoms of resource packs, computers, etc.) being yould be quarantined for 72 hours. These items in sealed boxes that are the of the start of the 72-hour quarantine e stored in a separate location away from chool 2-hour quarantine period the items may pared for the distribution again	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff
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Who may be affected?	ldentified Risks	Using hand tools or equipment Controls	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
All staff including Caretaker	Spread of Covid-19 virus Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	 Staff must wear the appropriate PPE for the nature of the work that they are undertaking All tools and equipment must be properly sanitised to prevent cross contamination Arrangements should be put in place for one individual to use the same tool, equipment and machinery as far as is reasonably practicable Cleaning material will be available so that all tools can be wiped down with disinfectant between each use All mobile machinery (including lawnmowers) must be thoroughly cleaned and santisied if being used by another person 	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff
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Who may be affected? Identified Risks		Dealing with a suspected case of Covid-19	Risk Rating	Action implementation
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Staff Pupils Visitors Contractors	coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	The Board of Management will: ✓ Ensure a Lead Worker Representative and Covid Response team are appointed for dealing with suspected cases. ✓ Have a designated isolation area available within the school building. (Kitchen area near hall) The designated area and the route to the designated area should be easily accessible and as far as is reasonable and practicable, should be accessible by people with disabilities. The possibility of having more than one person displaying signs of Covid-19 needs to be considered so having additional isolation areas available (under stairs/ Principal's Office) or another contingency plan for dealing with additional cases must be planned. It would be important that the designated area has the ability to isolate the person behind a closed door and away from others. If a person displays symptoms of Covid-19 the following procedure is to be implemented: ✓ Isolate the person and have a procedure in place to accompany the individual to the designated isolation area via the isolation route, keeping at least 2 metres away from the symptomatic person and also making sure that others maintain a distance of at least 2 metres from the symptomatic person at all times. ✓ Provide a mask for the person presenting with symptoms if one is available. He/she should wear the mask if in a common area with other people or while exiting the premises. ✓ Assess whether the individual who is displaying symptoms can immediately be directed to go home and call their doctor and continue self-isolation at home. ✓ Facilitate the person presenting with symptoms remaining in isolation if they cannot immediately go home and facilitate them calling their doctor. The individual should avoid touching people, surfaces and objects. Advice should be given to the person presenting with symptoms to cover their mouth and nose with the disposable tissue provided when they cough or sneeze and put the tissue in the waste bag provided	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff LWR Covid Response Team CRT
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks		case of Covid-19 (continued) ntrols	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
Staff Pupils Visitors Contractors	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are:	family member, as soon as possible and by phone of their symptoms. Public tra ✓ If they are too unwell to go home or ac pupil, or contact 999 or 112 and inform	e, arrange for them to be transported home by a d advise them to inform their general practitioner ansport of any kind should not be used dvice is required, inform parents immediately if a n them that the sick person is a Covid-19 suspect. In which will form part of determining follow-up e isolation area and work areas involved.	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff LWR CRT
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Covid-19 cleaning	Risk Rating	Action implementation
allecteur	identified Risks	Controls	with controls	Action implementation
Staff Pupils Visitors	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	suspected coronavirus (Covid-19) case. This will reduce the risk of passing the infection on to other people ✓ The area should be kept closed and secure for 72 hours (if possible) for cleaning as the amount of virus living on surfaces will have reduced significantly by 72 hours ✓ For cleaning purposes, wear a face mask, disposable or washing up gloves. These should be double-bagged, then stored securely for 72 hours and then put with the regular rubbish after cleaning is finished and should be double-bagged, ✓ Using a disposable cloth, first clean hard surfaces with warm soapy water. Then disinfect these surfaces with the cleaning products you normally use. Pay particular attention to frequently touched areas and surfaces, such as toilets, banisters on stairwells and door handles ✓ If an area has been heavily contaminated, such as with visible bodily fluids, from a person with coronavirus (Covid-19) consider using protection for the eyes, mouth and nose, as well as wearing gloves and apron ✓ Wash hands regularly with soap and water for 20 seconds and after removing gloves, aprons and other protection used while cleaning ✓ Public areas where a symptomatic individual has passed through and spent minimal time, such as corridors, but which are not visibly contaminated with body fluids can be	Serious Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Cleaning staff
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks		pected/confirmed case of Covid-19	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
Staff Pupils Visitors	most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell	outlined below. When items cannot be cleaned using deterg for example) steam cleaning should be used. Any items that have been heavily contaminate washing should be disposed of	psable mob heads to clean all hard nitary fittings, using an approved and e with the manufacturer's instructions for list viruses. Ining. posed of and should be put into waste bags as lents or laundered (upholstered furniture of chairs distributed with bodyfluids and that cannot be cleaned the for 72 hours. After this time the amount of virus	Serious Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Cleaning staff LWR CRT
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Cleaning a space with a suspectory Covid-19 (continue Controls		Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
Staff Pupils Visitors	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	✓ Wash items in accordance with the manufact water setting and dry items completely. Dirty an unwell person can be washed with other plaundry as this minimises the possibility of dividean and disinfect anything used for transposin line with the cleaning guidance outlined all Waste Management ✓ Waste should be put in a plastic rubbish bag with the plastic bag should then be placed in a sector of the pl	laundry that has been in contact with beople's items. Do not shake dirty spersing the virus through the air rting laundry with your usual products, bove and tied when full sond bin bag and tied and marked for storage until the ray from children. You should not put the test results are known or the waste be put in with the normal waste. If the	Serious Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Cleaning staff LWR CRT
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Who may be		Travel to and from work	Risk Rating	
affected?	Identified Risks	Controls	with controls	Action implementation
Staff	 they catch the coronavirus are: 60 years of age and over have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, 	Wherever possible, staff should travel to work alone using their own means of transport — staff should not share transport to or from work. If availing of public transport, sit down to minimise contact with frequently touched surfaces, handles,roofstraps,isolation bars, etc. Wear a face mask and carry hand santiser (at least 60% alcohol) and use it regularly throughout your journey.	Requires monitoring	All staff
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Dropping off and picking up of pupils	Risk Rating	Action implementation
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	most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease,	Parents/guardians will be encouraged to wait on Farnham St. or at a distance from the school and have their child to walk to pick up point. Speech & Language Classes Where SEN pupils are dropped off and picked up by a bus/taxi, (Speech & Language Classes) the accompanying adult should remain in the car/bus with the pupil. A designated staff member (SNA) will come to the car/bus to receive the pupil and will avoid or limit physical contact with the accompanying adult. A similar process should be followed for pick up.	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff Bus and taxi drivers SNA's Speech & language Staff
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	Visitors to school Controls	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
Staff Pupils Wider Community	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste	Visits to the school will be severely restricted and visitors will be asked to: ✓ Make a prior appointment before visiting the school ✓ Remain at home if they have any Covid-19 symptoms ✓ Follow the agreed Covid-19 protocols for the school ✓ Sanitise before entering the premises ✓ Attendance to be recorded on entry to building ✓ Wear PPE if instructed ✓ Adhere to social distancing requirements ✓ Not to loiter − complete their business and leave premises	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal
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Who may be affected?	Identified Risks	<u> </u>	ries and supplies to school	Risk Rating with controls	Action implementation
Staff Pupils Drivers Wider Community	Persons currently deemed most at risk of complications if they catch the coronavirus are: • 60 years of age and over • have long-term medical conditions – i.e. heart disease, lung disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or cancer • pregnant women Known effects of the coronavirus: • A fever (high temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or above) • A cough - this can be any kind of cough, not just a dry cough • Shortness of breath or breathing difficulties • Loss of sense of smell • Loss of sense of taste or distortion of sense of taste • Death	 Agree a delivery protocol with supplied All deliveries to be planned with allocated Arrangements to be made for paperles Online payment of Company System to be agreed with suppliers to 	omply with physical distancing requirements rs uted times for collections and deliveries ss deliveries where possible	Requires monitoring	Board of Management Principal Staff Secretary Delivery personnel
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