



Music Delivery

Covid-19 Risk Assessment

Week beginning 19th April 2021

MUSIC DELIVERY COVID-19 IN-SCHOOL ACTIVITY RISK ASSESSMENT

One-to-one classes

Risk	What could happen? (negative)	Steps in place to reduce risk	Likelihood	Impact	Rating
Infection	Students or teacher could introduce covid19 into lesson, or carry it out unknowingly	Disinfect hands before and after lesson. Wipe all surfaces with disinfectant wipes before and after lesson. Follow Covid19 risk assessment for the school.	L	H	M
Safeguarding	Safeguarding concern could go unnoticed by other staff	Ensure that all safeguarding precautions still stand under the new arrangements. e.g. If the room that the tutor is in is in an isolated part of the school, a member of staff should relocate to work nearby.	L	H	M
Surface transmission via instruments	Transmission of disease / infection	Tutors and pupils should keep to their own instruments at all times. If the tutor does need to check or mend an instrument, they should wear gloves supplied by the school. For all other instruments, the instrument should be wiped with a disinfectant wipe before fixing and then on return to the pupil.	L	H	M
		If a tutor needs to demonstrate on the piano, the keys should be disinfected before and after.			
		Drum tutors should have their own sticks for demonstration purposes.			
Airborne transmission	Transmission of disease / infection	Any vocal or wind instrument should only be played at a minimum distance of 3 meters from any other person. Individuals should remain socially distanced at all times.	L	H	M

Surface transmission via sheet music	Transmission of disease / infection	<p>Pupils should make any markings or notes themselves, using a pencil from their own pencil case, in accordance with Covid19 risk assessment</p> <p>Pupils and staff should avoid sharing sheet music Songs mainly taught by ear where possible</p> <p>If music is needed, pupils to retain their own copy of any music and keep it with other individual school equipment.</p>	L	H	M
Airborne transmission – further precautions.	Transmission of disease / infection	Social distancing should be adhered to when singing takes place, with – if possible – doors to be open to support ventilation.	L	H	M
Infection of people in vulnerable category	Transmission of disease / infection	School to reconsider whether music lessons are appropriate for these individuals. If yes, then use of plexiglass and face mask should be considered, on top of the precautions outlined above.	L	H	M

Music is still to be delivered in a larger classroom, outside where possible with the music room not in use at Pathway to the Classroom site.