

School/ Setting	Bramhall High	Date of Assessment	03/09/2020	Assessment Completed By	Lynne Fox/Paul Williams

This has been completed to review the potential return of all students each day from September 2020.

Staying COVID Secure – focusing on the guidance issued by DfE on 28.08.2020.

#### **Prevention:**

- 1) minimise contact with individuals who are unwell by ensuring that those who have coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms, or who have someone in their household who does, do not attend school
- 2) clean hands thoroughly more often than usual
- 3) ensure good respiratory hygiene by promoting the 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach
- 4) introduce enhanced cleaning, including cleaning frequently touched surfaces often, using standard products such as detergents and bleach

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- 5) minimise contact between individuals and maintain social distancing wherever possible
- 6) where necessary, wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE)

Numbers 1 to 4 must be in place in all schools, all the time.

Number 5 must be properly considered and schools must put in place measures that suit their particular circumstances.

Number 6 applies in specific circumstances.

#### Response to any infection:

- 7) engage with the NHS Test and Trace process
- 8) manage confirmed cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) amongst the school community
- 9) contain any outbreak by following local health protection team advice

The control measures have not changed from previous guidance with the exception of the requirement to now fully engage with the NHS Test and Trace process.

#### Staff and Students focused planning.

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					Details / Further Information
01	All Clinically Extremely Vulnerable employees are			$\boxtimes$	Shielding guidance changed on 1 <sup>st</sup> August – All clinically
	required to self-isolate and must not attend school/				extremely vulnerable now become clinically vulnerable and
	setting. Where possible they are required to work				free to return to work.
	from home.				
02	All employees who live with a person who is			$\boxtimes$	This guidance has now changed therefore individual
	Clinically Extremely Vulnerable must also not attend				interviews have taken/are taking place with RA completed
	school/ setting and where possible work from				for individuals and arrangements made to support then on
	home.				their RTS.
03	All employees, themselves or persons within their	X			This is clearly outlined in the updated guidance to all staff -
	household have COVID-19 symptoms, should not				staff are required to inform HT and staff required to follow
	attend school/ setting.				government guidance.
					September INSET as well as regular communications from
					HT and SLT to remind and reinforce key messages.



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					HT will review the viability of school functioning on a daily
					basis linked to staff absence
					https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-
					covid-19-implementing-protective-measures-in-education-
					<u>and-childcare-settings</u>
04	Schools: staff and families must engage with the	$\boxtimes$			The Track and Trace system/requirement has been
	NHS Test and Trace process				highlighted to staff and families and will be implemented as
					required.
					Staff and parents/carers are aware of the need to
					participate should it be necessary.
					Seating Plans for each lesson to be completed and
					electronically available.
05	We must manage confirmed cases of coronavirus	X			Process for dealing with a confirmed case is well known and
	(COVID-19) amongst the school community				communicated to all staff. First Aid protocols distributed.
					Ensure that you have the details for the local health
					protection team and know who is to be contacted. LEA five
					step guidance to be followed – this contains key contact
					arrangements.
					LEA letter templates to be utilised to communicate to
					parents.
06	We must contain any outbreak by following local	$\boxtimes$			As above
	health protection team advice				HT to assess the ongoing situation/contingency plans
					should several members of staff be unable to work
07	We will regularly contact / keep in touch with	$\boxtimes$			To be implemented in September if /when required.
	colleagues who are self- isolating/ working from				School is subscribing to an external Employee Assistance
	home and monitor / support both their Physical and				Programme specifically for those in education which
	Mental Health & Wellbeing				provides resources and counselling support available.



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08	We will provide suitable information and	$\boxtimes$			If the school goes into full lockdown we will provide IT
	equipment to work at home safely and effectively				hardware for staff to execute the remote learning plan
	including those staff who require additional aids				from home.
	and adaptations.				

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09	All <u>Clinically Extremely Vulnerable</u> pupils are required to self-isolate and must not attend school/ setting.			×	This guidance has now changed
10	All pupils who live with a person who is Clinically Extremely Vulnerable must also not attend school/ setting.			$\boxtimes$	This guidance has now changed
11	All pupils, or persons within their household that have COVID 19 symptoms should not attend school/ setting.				Detailed guidance sent out and posted through the school website and social media accounts. Families to inform school – this will be reinforced in the revised Guidance document for families. <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-implementing-protective-measures-in-education-and-childcare-settings">https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-implementing-protective-measures-in-education-and-childcare-settings</a>
12	We provide on-line/distance learning for all pupils who are not in school/ setting.	×			Remote Learning Plan to be officially in place by the end of September. Incorporate plans for Tier 2 & 3 lockdown arrangements.  This will be provided for students who are absent if they are self-isolating or there are particular medical issues but all others are expected to be in school unless we return to a full/partial lockdown.



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13	Minimise contact between individuals and maintain social distancing wherever possible				Each year group will be in a 'bubble' for non-lesson times to minimise contact between year groups.  Student contact minimised through KS3 groups being based on the art groups.  Clear social distance signage throughout school plus reinforced through social media.  Schools implantation of face coverings will go above the DFE guidance.
14	Designated Entrance and Exit Points to the Building (for each cohort of pupils where possible).	×			Each year group will have a separate point of access to the school.  HoY/SLT /duty staff will guide/support the arrival of students on site each day and direct them to their access area.
15	Travel to and from school	☒			Parents have been advised to encourage their child to walk or cycle to school.  Those travelling by bus will be advised to follow the government guidance re 'bubbles' on buses and to wear face coverings.  This will be reinforced by the staff member before the students are dismissed.



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16	Restrictions on access to school/setting by third	$\boxtimes$			All visitors and parents will only be able to come on site if
	parties (parents, members of the public, visitors				they have made an appointment.
	etc).				All visitors must read and adhere to COVID 19 safety
					regulations in place throughout the school.
17	Stagger drop off and collection times, lunch and	$\boxtimes$			We will have staggered breaks and lunchtime periods to
	break times for each cohort/group.				restrict cross contamination between year group bubbles.
					Staggered start is not practical due to dependency on
					school transport. We have implemented a staggered end of
					the day to minimise the quantity of students leaving the
					site at once.
18	Reduce movement where practical around school	$\boxtimes$			One-way system to be introduced in school to minimise
	to minimise contact				cross over on narrow corridors.
					Assemblies of students will take place to limit non-essential movement/gathering – key messages & assemblies will be
					delivered virtually.
					Break time, lunchtimes and end of day are staggered to
					reduce the number of students moving around the site at
					one time.
					Implementation of face coverings whilst students & staff
					are in the buildings will be enforced.
					Ideally all meetings will be held virtually.
					Otherwise scheduled meetings involving more than 5
					people (Governors & SLT) to take place in larger rooms such
					as the Main Hall or Library and not in offices or existing
					meeting rooms.



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19	Support and guidance for staff				Clear staff guidance sent out prior to term starting. Opportunities for staff to feedback. Stress that staff must maintain social distance from pupils by standing at front of classroom where practical – each room to be marked out to identify this with PPE available as required (see below pt 20.) Plastic screens to be provided in rooms and reception areas for the safety of staff Staff allowed to change rooms if the timetabled room is not suitable. All welfare facilities to be checked and cleaned regularly and ensure a supply of bacterial hand wash soap is available. School guidance on face coverings to be discussed, published, and then implemented. Key adjustments to rooms as well as extra cleaning protocols for: Drama, PE, Music in line with the published guidance. 1st half of the autumn Term to be used to plan for the restarting of extra-curricular activities.
20	PPE for staff – this is not routinely required in school however will be available for staff if desired. Please see latest DFE guidance.  Sanitising resource box in all teaching areas. Classrooms will be marked with tape to reinforce SD Social distancing near the teacher's desk.	X			Staff have to wear an appropriate face covering inside the school building.  Hand sanitiser stations in every classroom. Regular hand washing encouraged.  Protocols established for the cleaning of equipment.  Staff to identify their preferred need with the options of:  • Face visor to be issued to all staff  • Face covering on request



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					Screen at their teaching desk if requested
					alternative teaching location if requested
21	Stagger the use and limit the occupancy of staff room and offices by employees.	×			3 staff rooms remain in place – staff aware of their responsibilities to SD from colleagues.
22	Kitchen staff maintain social distancing of 2 metres in the kitchen where possible.	×			Being reviewed for wider opening to offer a limited range of food options without putting staff at risk.
23	Use of Small Meeting Rooms and Confined Areas (including Photocopier / Printer/ Storage areas) by more than one person prohibited.	×			Processes in place to recue any risks for staff
24	Non Essential repair / contracted works in buildings to be carried outside school hours	X			Site team to reinforce this unless an emergency situation arises.

Infect	ion Control, Cleaning and Hygiene Arrangements				
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25	Staff and families cannot attend if they have symptoms of COVID 19 – see point 8	$\boxtimes$			All staff and families advised within updated guidance
26	Pupils who experience COVID-19 symptoms should be collected from school/ setting as soon as possible.				MNC has established a plan for this – they will be removed from the teaching area and isolated and then taken off site.



	They should be kept apart from all other pupils and staff whilst on site.			Sarety Riok / Rossosinion Covid 10
27	Provision of hand-washing / sanitising facilities at entrances and throughout school/setting. (regularly monitored & maintained).	×		In place with automatic hand sanitisers placed in each teaching location Site and cleaning staff to monitor throughout the day. Anti-bacterial hand wipes to be provided for use in classroom.
28	All staff and pupils are encouraged to regularly wash their hands with soap and water, especially upon arrival at school/setting, prior to eating, following break/lunch time and any other time deemed necessary (after coughs/sneezes).			Staff and student expectations to be reinforced at all times.
29	Different hand wash facilities should be available for each cohort/group within school/setting where possible.	X		Cleaning team at toilets throughout the day. Different toilets to be used by bubbles during staggered break and lunchtimes.
30	Sharing of pencils/ pens and other items of stationery is avoided where possible. (Pupils have their own stationery in their own pencil case as they do in Secondary Schools)	X		To be reinforced via guidelines /expectations. DfE guidance clearly identifies what is permissible. Protocols for storage in place for departments needing to share paper/textbooks between bubbles. Spare stationary to be handed out to students and not collected in. Extra textbooks & virtual textbooks have been ordered to supplement existing stock.
31	Equipment that may need to be shared (laminators, guillotines etc.) should be cleaned and sanitised before and after use.	X		JJ to ensure no other staff use the reprographics area and equipment. Protocols for cleaning and storage in place for departments needing to share resources between bubbles. Extra cleaning equipment provided into



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					classrooms. Extra equipment has been ordered to supplement existing stock.
32	All staff and pupils are encouraged to cough / sneeze into tissues and dispose of these in appropriate waste disposal bins. (Catch it, Kill it, Bin it)	X			To be reinforced verbally and with signage
33	Additional bins and increased emptying / replacement are provided / in-place.	$\boxtimes$			To be placed outside classroom doors
34	All working areas within the building should be well-ventilated (Windows and Doors open) where safe and appropriate to do so.	$\boxtimes$			To be included in guidance to staff
35	Increased frequency of cleaning of communal areas and locations / high contact points (using detergent and hot water followed by a chlorine based disinfectant solution) including:  • Toilets  • Door Handles/ Access Buttons				School cleaning regime to be increased 6 staff to be on site during the day to carry out routine cleaning following an agreed programme.  Water dispensers removed due to risks Staff & student guidance will include the requirement to wipe down some specialist areas ie keyboards.
36	If staff bring in their own food this should be food which does not require heating or additional preparation in kitchen / canteen/ staff room areas.	X			Staff to be advised and reinforced
37	Use of kitchen areas to be limited to preparation of hot drinks, cleaning of cups / mugs etc. Employees to use own / designated cup or mug.	X			Staff to be advised and reinforced
38	Employees to store, where possible, coats, bags and non-work essential items in personal lockers. Where lockers are not provided, employees will not use shared coat racks / stands and will store coats on the back of their chairs and bags safely under their desks.				Staff to be advised and reinforced

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39	Staff and pupils are provided with instructions on how	$\boxtimes$			Hand-Washing Guidance
	to achieve effective hand-washing; for example in the				Hand-Washing Video
	form of posters, written guidance and videos clips etc.				Hand-Washing Poster
40	Office staff who receive deliveries, post etc. are encouraged to wash their hands more frequently and are provided with sanitiser.	X			Staff to be advised and reinforced.
41	Increased frequency of toilet inspections and checks to ensure sufficient supplies of liquid soap and paper towels are maintained. Staff to report shortages to site staff.	×			Members of the cleaning team to be located at the toilets throughout the day
42	Suppliers and Contractors advised if attending premises of infection control arrangements, no-access areas and expectations around personal hygiene.	X			Staff to be advised

Key R	Key Roles and Responsibilities							
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43	Sufficient staffing / resources are in place to maintain the security of the building and its occupants.	X			Yes and closure considered/implemented if this changes.			



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44	Sufficient staffing / resources are in place to maintain the cleanliness of the building and to carry out necessary inspections of consumables needed to maintain hygiene (including their replenishment).	X			Cleaning rota amended to facilitate this and resources purchased to support ongoing routines.
45	Sufficient numbers of trained staff are in place to provide Emergency First Aid.	X			To remain on current rota – training completed July 2020.
46	Sufficient numbers of staff are in place to enable safe evacuation of the building in the event of an emergency.	X			Established emergency procedures will be used.
Statu	tory Premises Compliance and Maintenance				
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47	PPM (Planned Preventative Maintenance) work continues to be delivered for critical building systems (Life-Safety) including:  • Fire Alarm and Detection  • Powered Doors / Gates  • Legionella and Water Testing  • Electrical Safety  • Gas Safety  • PAT Testing  • Asbestos Management	×			

Any A	Any Additional Information and Control Measures (Detail Below)							
49	Student concerns/anxieties	$\boxtimes$			The Pastoral team are available, by appointment, to support students as needed.			
50	Staff anxieties				Support will be offered at the time and the offer of further support, counselling referral discussed if and when appropriate – details circulated on 05.07.20.  School is subscribing to an external Employee Assistance Programme specifically for those in education which provides resources and counselling support available.			
51	Workload and well being	$\boxtimes$			Staff workload has been taken into account when identifying the requirements of school reopening Information circulated on 31/08/20.			

Further Information - Health, Safety and Wellbeing Team; <a href="healthandsafety@stockport.gov.uk">healthandsafety@stockport.gov.uk</a> - 0161 474 3056

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