

Covid-19 Risk Assessment

Geoffrey Ewen, peripatetic piano and violin lessons, at Anstey First School

Description of activity

Teaching of piano and violin in individual 20-minute lessons on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.

This takes place in the upstairs room of school house, using the electric keyboards.

At present, there are 10 students who are taking music lessons, who come from years 1-4.

Hazard	Who is at risk?	Control measure(s)	Who is responsible?
Airborne transmission	Students and tutor	Maintain 2m social distancing. The school's two keyboards are to be set up side by side – one for the student and one for the teacher, to enable this. Tutor to wear a visor to reduce the risk further.	The tutor
Airborne transmission	Students and tutor	Windows will be opened for gentle through-ventilation.	The tutor
Surface transmission	Students and tutor	Pupils and tutor to wash their hands before each lesson. Access to either soap and hot water or hand sanitizer gel will be provided by the school. Keyboards to be cleaned between lessons using appropriate Covid-safe wipes, provided by the school. Door handles, handrails to the stairs, and other touchpoints also to be cleaned between every lesson. Pencils to be shared as little as possible, preferably not at all.	The tutor and school
Surface transmission	Students and tutor	For violin lessons, pupils bring in their own violins. If the tutor needs to tune the violin, it will be meticulously cleaned using Covid-safe wipes before and after. Similarly, if a pupil forgets their violin on the day of their lesson, they can borrow the teacher's spare violin, provided that it is meticulously cleaned before and after.	The tutor

This will be continually monitored to ensure it is implement consistently and effectively.

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