

Risk Assessment – Super Senses EYFS


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	Signature 
Next Review Date	January 2021

Severity	Likelihood	Risk Rating* (S x L)
1 No or Little Harm	1 Unlikely	1-5 Low
2 Minor/First Aid	2 Possible	6-10 Medium
3 Medical Attention	3 Probable	10+ High
4 Hospitalisation	4 Likely	
5 Death/Irreparable Injury	5 Certain	

Science Oxford Risk Assessment			Severity	Likelihood	Risk Rating*
Hazard	Risk	Control Measures			
Using equipment	Everyone Incorrect use of equipment resulting in injury	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adults to supervise all activities 	3	1	3
	Young children Small objects are a choking hazard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adults to supervise all activities • Only adults to open sound pots 	5	1	5
	Everyone Electric shock	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electrical equipment kept away from water sources • Electrical equipment regularly PAT tested 	5	1	5
	Young children Falling over when trying to balance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adults to supervise all activities • "Dinosaur feet" stilts are very low • Placement of balance station to be considered in regards to objects or surfaces 	2	3	6
	All Transmission of disease from touching objects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School advised that pupils should wash hands before workshop during epidemics or flu season 	3	2	6
Consuming or exploring materials	Young children Food hygiene	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unconsumed samples to be disposed of suitably • Bin placed at station 	1	1	1
	Young children Allergic reaction to fruits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adults to supervise all activities • Science Oxford to be informed of any allergies 	3	1	3
	Everyone Allergic reaction to playdough, lentils or essential oils	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adults to supervise all activities • Science Oxford to be informed of any allergies • Gloves can be supplied if necessary • Children advised not to put anything in their mouths 	3	1	3
General	All Trips and falls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any small objects or fruit that could be slipped on to be picked up immediately • Placement of light station considered in regards to location of sockets • Extension cable covered if necessary 	2	1	2

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Hazard	Risk	Control Measures			
Using equipment	Everyone Incorrect use of equipment resulting in injury	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science Oxford staff to supervise room, adults to supervise specific activities 	3	1	3
	Young children Small objects are a choking hazard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children advised to not open the sound pots without asking an adult EYFS children to only do the EYFS version of workshop with greater adult supervision 	5	1	5
	All Transmission of disease from touching objects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School advised that pupils should wash hands before workshop during epidemics or flu season 	3	2	6
Consuming or exploring materials	Young children Swallowing PTC paper	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children advised to only lick paper then dispose of it Bin placed at station Adult to supervise samples 	1	1	1
	Everyone Allergic reaction to playdough, lentils or essential oils	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science Oxford to be informed of any allergies Gloves can be supplied if necessary Children advised not to put anything in their mouths 	3	1	3
General	All Trips and falls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any small objects that could be slipped on picked up immediately 	2	1	2
Exposure to disease (such as COVID-19)	All Surface transmission from equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equipment is unavoidably shared between all children and social distancing is impossible 	3	4	12

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