

Appendix to Covid-19 risk assessment.

Access and egress to the School grounds and building.

This is a live document. It will be discussed with all staff and reviewed as required, depending upon circumstances, advice, regulations and experience.

Updates to document

- 1. As of 18:00 on Saturday 10 October 2020, Bangor was placed in lockdown, due to a spike in cases of covid-19 caused by the return of students to the University. Some members of staff live within the lockdown area, others live outside. This affects the operation of the school in the following way:*

There is a presumption that staff will arrive at school in the usual way and leave at the end of the day in the usual way. Staff will not leave the school grounds between those times other than for an emergency. In such an event, the member(s) of staff permitted to leave the school grounds must be those who live within the lockdown area. All lockdown rules must be followed. Upon return to the school, sanitising measures will be followed. This will be reviewed in the usual way.

The Old Canonry

The school site is secured by walls and bars. There are two points of access; one to the carpark for staff and one to the front of the building for pupils. Both are secured by locked gates, opened only at specific times for access and egress. There is always a member of staff at the front door while access is permitted.

Staff

All staff sanitise upon entry to the school and observe social distancing with other staff as far as possible. All staff sanitise whenever they re-enter the building and regularly throughout the day.

Parents of pupils

There is a presumption that parents will not be given access to the interior of the school. Members of the public will only be given access with an appointment for a valid reason.

Operations within the building and grounds

Teaching activities are undertaken on two floors of the building. During the day, the school grounds will be a bubble. Within that bubble, the ground floor will be a bubble as far as is possible for the staff and pupils of the foundation phase. The first floor will be a bubble as far as is possible for the staff and pupils of KS2.

Areas of potential risk:

- 1) Arrival at school of pupils. Nature of risk; common point of access. Mitigation of risk; Staggered arrival. Sanitising upon arrival. Foundation phase pupils go immediately to ground floor classroom, KS2 pupils go immediately to first floor classroom.
- 2) Exiting and entering the school at playtimes. Nature of risk; as above. Mitigation of risk; each bubble leaves and re-enters the building separately. All pupils sanitise upon re-entry.
- 3) Playtime. Nature of risk; bubbles mixing. Mitigation of risk; spread of virus is lower outside. Bubbles do not mix.