

Planning appendix – Covid-19 adaptations



Subject	Physical Education/Outdoor Education
Class	All Key Stages
Teacher	Miss Herkes/Mr Bolton

School was closed for teaching purposes on March 23rd due to the Covid-19 pandemic. This caused considerable disruption to the education of our pupils and may continue to affect their academic and personal development in the 2020-2021 school year. Consider the potential impact of this disruption and detail any planned changes or mitigation measures to curriculum planning and delivery.

Area of impact	Planned changes
Curriculum	Curriculum adapted to focus on exercise and health related fitness in the first half term in PE and personal skills and mental wellbeing in outdoor education. This will enable staff to not only address a lack of activity during lockdown but identify any mental health issues that may have arisen and look at positive coping strategies which can be achieved through exercise and time spent in the outdoors. By studying exercise and health related fitness we can minimise equipment usage and enable social distancing for both staff and students.
Lesson content	Lesson content will use minimal equipment during the first half term and will follow individual national governing body guidance around activities and sports. A projector is being installed in the sports hall to enable interactive activities and social distancing to take place wherever possible.
Lesson delivery	Physical Education and Outdoor education delivery will be aided using a large projector and whiteboard where possible in the sports hall. Lessons will take place in outside areas. Manual positioning support will not be given when teaching skills as they would under normal circumstances. As national governing bodies release further guidance on the delivery of specific sports teaching will change in line with the guidance. Students will sanitise hands on both entry and exit to lessons. Equipment will be cleaned between classes. When transitioning to PE students will use the nearest exit to their classroom to avoid walking through the school to access the sports hall and outdoor education areas.
Assessment	Assessment throughout the school in PE takes place through observation and will continue to do so during this time.
Resources	Resources will only be reused if it is possible if they can be cleaned between each class. Soft equipment such as dodge balls and tennis balls will not be used unless they can be distributed to individual students and quarantined for a period of 72 hours after use.
Accreditation if applicable	Where accreditation takes place written work will be completed in a large space (sports hall or street) on student assigned laptops.

Other areas	<p>Theory lessons of both physical education and outdoor education will be uploaded to Microsoft Teams where applicable along with appropriate physical activity ideas should a further school closure occur.</p> <p>National Governing Body Guidance: https://schoolsfootball.org/covid-19-guidance/ https://www.lta.org.uk/about-us/tennis-news/news-and-opinion/general-news/2020/march/coronavirus-covid-19---latest-advice/ https://www.basketballengland.co.uk/media/12228/return-to-play-guidance-05-06-20.pdf https://resources.ecb.co.uk/ecb/document/2020/08/21/05f612c2-2299-4074-a319-613d201a4476/ECB Return to Cricket Plan in Step 4 England July 2020.pdf https://d192th1lqal2xm.cloudfront.net/2020/08/EA-return-to-activity-guidance-coaches-leaders-04.08.2020.pdf</p>
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