

Sample Risk assessment for visit to Christ Church Cockfosters

Venue	Risk in order of severity	Existing controls	Likelihood
The Church Nave, Chapel, Chancel <i>(all visits)</i>	Fire	In the event of a fire/alarm, staff will direct visitors to the nearest exit. Teachers are responsible for doing a roll-call of their pupils once they are safely at the assembly point (Memorial garden)	2
	Child leaving the premises	All doors are kept closed and are heavy for children to open. Children are supervised at all times.	1
	Tripping on a step	Children should be reminded to take care and to walk carefully	2
The Graveyard <i>(where applicable)</i>	Risk from members of the public e.g. abduction or assault	Groups of children must be accompanied by an adult – consult your school guidelines on appropriate ratios.	1
	Tripping	Children should stay on the path or the grass area and avoid walking between graves. Children should be reminded to take care and to walk carefully.	2
Travelling to and from the Church and the Church Hall <i>(where applicable)</i>	Risk from members of the public e.g. abduction or assault	Groups of children must be accompanied by an adult – consult your school guidelines on appropriate ratios.	1
	Risk from cars entering private driveways for local properties (no public roads need to be crossed)	Groups of children must be accompanied by an adult and advised to take care whilst walking on the pavement.	2
Church Halls <i>(where applicable)</i>	Fire	In the event of a fire/alarm, staff will direct visitors to the nearest exit. Teachers are responsible for doing a roll-call of their pupils once they are safely at the assembly point (grass/field opposite)	2

Likelihood:

1 – Improbable

2- Possible

3- Likely

4 – Very likely

5 – Inevitable