

16b – Risky Areas

Out of Bounds

Certain areas of the school buildings and grounds are out of bounds to pupils because of the risk of entering them.

Outside such areas are generally fenced and signed appropriately. Inside rooms are kept locked when unattended by an adult.

Examples include the following. The list is not exhaustive:

- Cellar
- Roof spaces and voids
- Roofs
- Boiler and plant rooms
- Electrical cabinets and cupboards
- Kitchens
- Health centre
- Sheds and maintenance areas.
- Ponds
- Science block chemical store rooms and cupboards
- Temporary Sports Hall

Unobserved Areas

There are a number of areas where pupils are permitted to access during breaks and lunch periods, but which are out of sight of the main school. Duty staff will routinely patrol these areas. A non-exhaustive list of the areas are as follows:

- Space behind the Rosewood portacabins
- Play equipment behind the Temporary Sports Hall
- Astroturf pitch
- Quadrangle
- Eastern boundary of site adjacent to Hanger Lane.
- Tree-lined footpath between the school building and Astroturf pitch
- Meadow (when not supervised by PPP staff)

Vehicle Movement

It should be noted that vehicular movement is to be kept as separate as possible from people. Pupils when on foot and other pedestrians are not to use the Convent Door or the vehicle entrance and exit gates.

There are separate risk assessments for certain risky areas such as the Temporary Sports Hall, the Forest School and the Prep Playground.