

# Queen Elizabeth II High School Health and Safety Statement



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#### This is the Health & Safety Statement of

## Queen Elizabeth II High School

## This statement should be read in conjunction with the DESC's Health & Safety Policy.

#### 1. Statement of intent

- Implement the requirements of the DESC Health and Safety Policy;
- To make adequate arrangements for the health, safety and welfare of staff and students;
- To provide adequate control of health and safety risks arising from work activities;
- To consult with our employees on matters affecting their health and safety;
- To co-operate with DESC in matters relating to health and safety;
- To provide and maintain safe plant and equipment;
- To ensure safe handling and use of substances;
- To provide information, instruction and supervision for employees;
- To ensure all employees are competent to do their tasks and to give adequate training;
- To prevent accidents and cases of work-related ill health;
- To maintain safe and healthy working conditions;
- To review and revise policy as necessary at regular intervals.

## 2. Responsibilities

Overall responsibility for health and safety within the establishment is that of:

## Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher

To ensure that health and safety standards are maintained/improved, the following people have responsibility in the following areas:

**Janet Bailey** Adviser: Health & Safety Link Governor

Julie Ozer, Business Manager Responsibility: H&S Lead

Jo Steriopulos/Paul Carine **Responsibility: Educational Visits** Les Mourant, Nicola Kelly, Kevin Oliver Responsibility: PAT Testing

Julie Ozer, Business Manager Responsibility: Management of risk assessments

Les Mourant, Site Manager and emergency procedures

#### All employees have to:

- cooperate with supervisors and managers on health and safety matters;
- not interfere with anything provided to safeguard their health and safety;
- take reasonable care of their own health and safety and of others;
- report all health and safety concerns to an appropriate person (as detailed in this policy statement).

### 3. Arrangements-Health & Safety Risks Arising from our Work Activities

Risk assessments will be undertaken by:

Julie Ozer, Business Manager Les Mourant, Site Manager Head of Department for High Risk Subjects (DT, PE, Science, Music, Dance and Drama) **Catering Teams** 

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Julie Ozer, Business Manager Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher Janet Bailey, Advisory Health & Safety Link Governor

Action required to remove/control risks will be approved by:

Julie Ozer, Business Manager Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher Les Mourant, Site Manager

The person responsible for ensuring that action required is implemented is:

Julie Ozer, Business Manager Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher Les Mourant, Site Manager Heads of Departments

Checks that the implemented actions have removed/reduced the risks will be carried out by:

Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher Julie Ozer, Business Manager Les Mourant, Site Manager Heads of Departments

Assessments will be reviewed:

In the event of an accident, annually or when work activity changes, whichever is soonest.

## 4. Arrangements-Consultations with Employees

Consultation with employees is provided by:

- Standard agenda item on staff meetings;
- Staff briefings and notice boards;
- Induction and inset days;
- Staff representation on the Governing Body (and Health and Safety Committee).

#### 5. Arrangements- Safe Plant and Equipment

Identifying equipment/plant, which will need maintenance is the responsibility of:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Technicians across Curriculum Departments (Science, DT) Catering Team

Ensuring effective maintenance procedures are drawn up is the responsibility of:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Julie Ozer, Business Manager

The person responsible for ensuring that all identified maintenance is implemented is:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Julie Ozer, Business Manager



Problems with plant/equipment should be reported to:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Julie Ozer, Business Manager

Checking plant and equipment health and safety standards before purchase is the responsibility of:

Les Mourant, Site Manager

## 6. Arrangements-Safe Handling and Use of Substances

Identifying substances which need a COSHH assessment is the responsibility of:

Grounds Maintenance Contractor Science Department Design Technology Cleaning Team Site Team Catering Team

The person(s) responsible for undertaking COSHH assessments is/are:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Julie Ozer, Business Manager Heads of Department for High Risk Subjects (Science, DT) Catering Team

Ensuring that all actions identified in the assessment are implemented is the responsibility of:

Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher
Les Mourant, Site Manager
Julie Ozer, Business Manager
Heads of Department for Curriculum Subjects
Catering Manager

The person responsible for ensuring that relevant employees are informed about COSHH assessments is:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Julie Ozer, Business Manager

Checking that substances can be used safely before they are purchased is the responsibility of:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Heads of Departments for Curriculum Subjects Technicians across curriculum subjects (DT, Science)

Assessments will be reviewed:

In the event of an accident, annually or when the work activity changes, whichever is soonest.

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## 7. Arrangements-Information, Instruction and Supervision

The Health and Safety Law poster is displayed at:

Staff room Sports Hall

**Site Team Office** 

Kitchen/Dining Room

Reception

## Health and safety advice is available from:

Adrian Mooney, Health & Safety Adviser, Isle of Man Government

Tel: 01624 685797

Email: Adrian.mooney@gov.im

Supervision of young workers and trainees will be arranged/undertaken/monitored by:

#### **Curriculum Leader/Teacher in Charge**

Ensuring that our employees working at locations under the control of other employees, are given relevant health and safety information is the responsibility of:

Staff member attending

## 8. Arrangements-Competency for Tasks and Training

Induction training will be provided for all employees by:

Olivia Graham, Assistant Headteacher

Job specific training will be provided by relevant member of school staff or third party training provider as organised by:

#### **Senior Leadership Team**

Mandatory Health and Safety Training Requirements to be completed by school at required timescales and organised by:

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**Asbestos/Legionella Training** 

First Aid Training

Fire Awareness/Fire Warden Training

Working at Height/Safe Ladder Use

**Manual Handling** 

**Educational Visits Training** 

Les Mourant, Site Manager

**Wendy Creasey and Olivia Graham** 

Julie Ozer, Business Manager Les Mourant, Site Manager

Les Mourant, Site Manager

Jo Steriopulos



# 9. Arrangements-Accidents, Incidents, First-Aid and Work Related III-Health

Location of first aid boxes:

Reception

**Admin Office** 

**Data & Exams Office** 

Site Manager's Office

**School Kitchen** 

**PE Office** 

**Specialist Provision Centre** 

Medical room (Nurse)

**S4L Office** 

**S4L Base** 

**KS3 Office** 

**KS4 Office** 

Room 29 (Art room)

Room 30 (Art room)

Room 32/33 stockroom/laundry (Home Economics rooms)

Room 22 (Technology)

Room 23/24 (combined workshop)

Room 25 (Art/Graphics room)

**English Office** 

**Performing Arts Office** 

**Maths Office** 

ICT Office (room 46)

**Science Preparatory Room** 

Sixth Form Block - kitchen area

**History Department stockroom** 

Room 56 (Office)

**Geography Office** 

**Languages Office** 

**School Minibus** 

**School Greenhouse** 

Location of defibrillator:

**Outside the PE changing rooms** 

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## The first aiders are:

Staff Member	First Aid Qualification	Expiry Date
Michael Callister	First Aid	July 2025
Paul Carine	First Aid	December 2024
Alex Cartney	First Aid	January 2026
Celine Courmont	First Aid	February 2026
Olivia Edwards	First Aid	July 2025
Louise Franklin	First Aid	July 2025
Tom Kelly	First Aid	July 2025
Abbie Kelsey	First Aid	September 2023
Leanne Miller	First Aid	July 2025
Brendan O-Sullivan	First Aid	July 2025
Hannah Riley	First Aid	July 2025
Steven Slack	First Aid	July 2025
Joanna Steriopulos	First Aid	July 2025
Rachel Thompson	First Aid	July 2025
Emma Wainwright	First Aid	July 2025
Eloise White	First Aid	September 2023
Sara Ayres	First Aid	May 2024
Angela Callister	First Aid	May 2025
Jenny Christie	First Aid	September 2023
Michael Corlett	First Aid	September 2023
Wendy Creasey	First Aid	July 2025
Sue Ferns	First Aid	September 2024
Alex Hardman	First Aid	July 2025
Kerry Hill	First Aid	July 2025
Ann Hopwood	First Aid	July 2025
Chris Horton	First Aid	July 2025
Kathy Keenan	First Aid	November 2025
Helen Morgan	First Aid	October 2024
Carole Morrison	First Aid	July 2025
Heather Watson	First Aid	July 2025
Kee Jonny Chang	First Aid	July 2025
Laura Kelly	First Aid	July 2025
Les Mourant	First Aid	July 2025
Lauren Callow	First Aid	July 2025
Janet Hall	First Aid	July 2025
Michelle McElroy	First Aid	July 2025
Charlotte Clarke	First Aid	July 2025
Helen Cave	First Aid	July 2025
Lizzie Booth	First Aid	July 2025
Phil Hennessy	First Aid	July 2025
Harry Horbury	First Aid	July 2025
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#### **Data & Exams Office**

The person responsible for reporting accidents, diseases and dangerous occurrences to the Health and Safety Adviser is:

Julie Ozer, Business Manager

## 10. Arrangements-Monitoring

To check our working conditions and ensure our safe working practices are being followed, we will undertake:

Legionella testing

**Asbestos inspection** 

**Termly visual H&S inspection** 

Annual Site Inspection by Competent Person e.g. Health & Safety Adviser

**PAT testing** 

Fixed appliance electrical testing

**Extraction fans/FUME cupboard maintenance** 

Programme of risk assessment reviews

Boiler room and gas annual inspection

Gutters and gullies checked and cleaned

**Pest control** 

Sports and Gym equipment maintenance

Weekly fire alarm testing

Monthly emergency lighting tests

Five yearly test of fixed wiring

The person responsible for investigating accidents is:

Julie Ozer, Business Manager

The person responsible for investigating work related causes of sickness/absences is:

SLT link (return to work interviews)
Julie Ozer, Business Manager
Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher
DESC HR

The person responsible for acting on investigation findings to prevent a recurrence is:

Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher SLT link

## 11. Arrangements-Asbestos Risk Management

The Responsible Officer for asbestos management is:

Les Mourant, Site Manager and DESC (landlord)

The Asbestos Risk Management file is kept in:

**Site Team Office** 

Site plans showing the location of asbestos containing materials (ACMs) are kept in:

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#### **Site Team Office**

Ensuring that contractors are made aware of the location of ACMs and that they sign the relevant permit to work in the responsibility of:

#### Les Mourant, Site Manager

Asbestos risk assessments will be undertaken by:

#### **Department for Infrastructure**

Visual inspections of the condition of ACMs will be undertaken by:

Les Mourant, Site Manager

Records of the inspection will be kept in:

**Site Team Office** 

## 12. Arrangements-Legionellosis Minimisation

The two 'Nominated Persons' for Water Management at the premises are:

Les Mourant, Site Manager and DESC (Landlord)

Risk assessments detailing on site tasks for the minimisation of Legionellosis risk are kept in:

#### **Site Team Office**

The person responsible for carrying out the on-site tasks set out in the above assessments is:

Les Mourant, Site Manager

Record showing that the above on-site tasks have been undertaken are kept in:

**Site Team Office** 

# 13. Arrangements-Working at Height

All work at height in the establishment must be authorised by:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Julie Ozer, Business Manager

Risk assessments for working at height are to be completed by:

Les Mourant, Site Manager Julie Ozer, Business Manager

Equipment used for work at height is to be checked by and records kept in:

**Site Team Office** 

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## 14. Arrangements-Educational Visits

Off-site educational visits must be authorised by:

Jo Steriopulos, Educational Visits Coordinator or Paul Carine, Educational Visits Coordinator Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher DESC Representative

The Educational Visits Coordinators are:

Jo Steriopulos and Paul Carine

Risk assessments for offsite visits are to be completed by:

**Educational Visit Group Leader (nominated)** 

DESC Policy, Procedures and Guidance for Educational Visits are kept on:

The Isle of Man Government Website under 'Educational Visits': <u>Isle of Man Government - Educational</u> visits

Details of offsite activities are to be held in a school database:

**Evolve** 

# 15. Arrangements-Emergency Procedures-Fire Evacuation

The person responsible for ensuring that the fire risk assessment is undertaken and implemented is:

Charlotte Clarke, Headteacher

Escape routes are checked by/every:

Les Mourant, Site Manager	Daily
Site Team	

Fire extinguishers and blankets are maintained and checked by/every:

Service and maintenance –Unique Fire Protection	Annually
Visually inspected-Les Mourant, Site Manager	Termly

Alarms are tested by/every:

Weekly system checks-Site Team	Weekly
Service and Maintenance- Checked by G4S,	Bi-Annually
maintained by T&M Services Ltd.	

Emergency evacuation procedures will be tested:

**Termly** 

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#### Les Mourant, Site Manager

## 16. Appendices

Listed here are the Health & Safety related policies and risk assessments in place for the school:

QEII High School fire plan and fire evacuation procedures

Anti-bullying Policy and Guidance

**Behaviour Policy** 

**Child Protection Policy and Procedures** 

Policy on restraint of pupils

Acceptable Use Policy

Extra-Curricular and Enrichment Policy

Work Experience Policy

**General Data Protection Regulations** 

Adults in School Policy including Visitor and Safeguarding Information

Terms and conditions of service for all staff

**IOM Government People Strategy** 

Administration of Medication and Medical Care Guidance

**Educational Visits and Overnight Stays Policy** 

Lone Working Policy and Procedures

Accident Reporting including RIDDOR

Infectious Diseases Exclusions Guidance

Transportation of Pupils with Special Educational Needs

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