



Redroofs

School for the Performing Arts

FIRE RISK (PREVENTION) POLICY

The School is fully committed to providing a safe and healthy working environment for all its employees, and to providing a safe and healthy environment for the pupils in its care. This commitment also extends to contractors performing work at the School and to visitors on site.

The School will provide and maintain safe and healthy working conditions, equipment and systems of work for all employees, and provide such information, training and supervision as they need for this purpose. The School will give a high level of commitment to health and safety and will comply with all statutory requirements.

As an integral part of this commitment, the School's policy is to reduce, as far as possible, the risks of a fire occurring.

Fire prevention measures typically involve breaking the link between, oxygen, fuel and combustion sources or where this is not possible performing checks to ensure as far as is practicable that equipment is safe and unlikely to start a fire. Therefore, in order to limit the potential for a fire to start, the School will employ measures such as:

- Electrical safety testing Gas safety inspections
- Safe storage of dangerous and/or combustible materials away from combustion sources
- Storage of materials away from heat sources Maintenance routines
- Controlled use of scientific and kitchen equipment

This list is not exhaustive. Measures applied in particular circumstances will be noted in the relevant fire risk assessment.

This policy deals with fire prevention; other measures are in place to limit the spread of fire and to assist in the evacuation of personnel once a fire has started.