



## Outdoor Classroom – Risk Assessment

The risk assessment ratings for each identified hazard are determined by multiplying the likelihood score by the severity score.

(For example, if the likelihood is 2 and the severity is 5, the total score would be 10, which represents a medium risk.)

The purpose of the risk assessment is to identify hazards, evaluate the level of risk and potential harm, and determine who might be affected. It should also include an action plan to reduce or eliminate the risk.

Hazard	Who	Existing Risk Value	Action to prevent	New Risk Value
Slips, Trips & Falls	All	5*5=25  High	Appropriate Footwear to be worn on site.  No climbing on picnic tables.  Bins located by main toilet and larger bins in carpark; visitors are requested to keep building tidy. (No littering)	2*5=10  Med
Failure of structures	All	5*5=25  High	Building checked on weekly basis and prior to use.	1*5=5  Low
High Winds/ dangerous weather	All	5*5=25  High	Cancellation of booking or alternate building offered if available	2*5=10  Med

**This risk assessment is written in accordance with the operating process and procedures.**

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Risk Assessment CPD

Note: Site first aid kits including burns kits, and Defib unit are located in the crew hut porch opposite the fridge freezers. These are for use by anyone when needed. These are also checked on a weekly basis.

Likelihood of Occurrence	Severity of Harm
0 = Never	0 = No Harm
1 = Unlikely	1 = Bumps & Bruises
2 = Possible	2 = Small Cuts & Lacerations
3 = A chance	3 = Broken/Fracture of Bones
4 = Likely	4 = Loss of limb
5 = Certain	5 = Fatality

Levels of Acceptance		
1-6 Low	=	Acceptable
7-10 Medium	=	Monitor
11-12 medium	=	Re-evaluate
13-25 High	=	Not acceptable

Likelihood	Severity					
	*	1	2	3	4	5
	1	1	2	3	4	5
	2	2	4	6	8	10
	3	3	6	9	12	15
	4	4	8	12	16	20
	5	5	10	15	20	25

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