

A guide on how Stand Up! (and Boogie) is Covid Secure for schools

The creation of our work follows all the current government guidance, working safely during coronavirus (2022 update) found [HERE](#) and Actions for schools during the coronavirus outbreak (2022 update) found [HERE](#).

This guide is to help you understand the precautions we're taking. We go into more details in our risk assessment, which you can request to see. The overall objective for us is to reduce transmission of Covid-19 through mask wearing, thorough cleaning, and the maintaining of social distancing where possible.

How we'll interact with your school

We'll visit individual groups over a day, or up to three days for large schools, in a suitable space in your school, either in their classrooms or the hall, so that your bubble systems can be maintained, if in place, and so large groups of children are not sharing the same space.

Our company members will arrive at your school ready to perform and will wear a face mask in communal areas such as corridors. All of our team are familiar on how to wear and remove masks safely. Company members carry hand sanitiser and anti-bacterial wipes with them and are familiar with the correct way to use these. They'll use them at specific times throughout the day, such as on arrival and departure and between visiting classes.

Company Members are familiar with proper distancing and will only start their interaction with the class once they are satisfied that the children are at the appropriate required distance for the event to begin.

We aim to be flexible and will make sure the event can fit within your own school's policy.

What we're asking your school to do

We ask that your staff and students maintain the appropriate distance from our company members throughout their visit. We'll remind children as part of the event too.

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We're following the NHS test and trace protocols. If you have any cases in your school within 21 days of our visit please contact us to let us know.

How we'll reduce risk of transmissions between schools

Company members are following social distancing measures and mask wearing not just throughout their visit with you, but in day to day life, minimising close contacts.

Our company members will take a lateral flow test on the same morning as visiting your school, as well as reporting on any symptoms to us daily. We're monitoring everyone's wellbeing and health, checking each morning that everyone remains symptom free and has had no communication from NHS track and trace.

All of our company members are triple vaccinated.

How our work was made:

From conception, throughout design and rehearsals we have the safety of our team and audience at the forefront of what we have created.

During rehearsals company members wore masks and remained distanced, with separate designated areas to rest in. We worked in well ventilated spaces and outdoors whenever possible. Lateral flow tests were taken by everyone working in the building twice a week and each day we checked in with the team that everyone remained symptom free.

Routine hand cleaning was worked into the day as well as one way systems and additional cleaning. Each company member has their own set of props and costumes.

All our work is designed to be as safe and responsible as possible. If you have any questions about how we're making the work safe for schools, please get in touch

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