SITIUS ACADEMY NORTH

COVID-19: GUIDANCE FOR ESSENTIAL VISITORS

Staying COVID-19 Secure at Sirius Academy North

Our core obligation is to ensure, so far as is reasonably practicable, the health, safety and welfare of students and employees and the safety of non-employees.

We hold the prime responsibility for ensuring the safety of our students, first and foremost, but also, and as importantly, of staff and volunteers, parents and guardians, guests and visitors, contractors and delivery services.

We are therefore implementing the following regulations to help ensure that we maintain a COVID-secure environment for all:

In order to minimise the risk of COVID-19 infection, we strictly ask that:

- Visitors do not come to the School unless specific arrangements have been confirmed and the visit has been classified as essential (post/parcel deliveries may take place ensuring that social distancing is observed)
- If you or anyone in your household is **displaying symptoms** of COVID-19 or is currently residing in a locally 'locked down' area then you must not visit the School.
- Tours will only take place when students are in lessons in order to manage the risk of transmission and minimise cross-contamination.
- All visitors must sign in on arrival and give their email address and phone number to enable visitors to be tracked and traced should the need arise.
- All visitors must also sign a disclaimer stating that they haven't visited any countries
 not included on the <u>travel corridor</u> list within the last 14 days and that they are not
 displaying symptoms of COVID-19.
- All visitors must follow current guidance relating to social distancing. Visitors may not enter classrooms which are used exclusively by separate year group 'bubbles'.
- Visitors **must wear a face covering** whilst on site, and wash their hands/sanitise on arrival. Hygiene and handwashing precautions should be followed at all times.
- We will record the areas which you visit during the tour, together with the names of any people you speak to while on site. This is to support the track and trace system as far as we are able.

This visitor protocol is subject to constant review

If you need any further information regarding visiting the academy, please contact:

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Thank you all for your cooperation in this matter.