

	Hazard	Risk	Level of risk	People at risk	Measures	Who will do it? When?
1	Uneven ground, tree roots and stumps	tripping	medium	all	No running in the OLE. Closed toed shoes to be worn with good tread. Clear logs from walkways.	all, during lessons
2	Tree branches	hitting, falling	low	all	Broken branches to be removed from trees/ bushes. Low hanging branches to be removed from walkways if hazardous.	teacher/ gardener prior to lessons
3	Perimeter fence and gates	escaping	low	children	Reception and 5th grade gate to remain closed during school day. Children informed of boundaries. Teachers/ assistants to be vigilant of childrens' movements.	teacher/ assistant, during lessons
4	Pond	drowning	low	children	Boundaries around ponds. Inform (Risk assessment with students) children how to approach pond area when working in the area. Teacher supervision.	teacher/ assistant, during lessons
5	Bees and wasps	stinging	low	all	Check area for nests. Avoid contact. Inform Site Gardener if nest is found. Nurse on site if someone is stung. Nurse will assess and seek medical aid (112) if required.	all, during lessons
6	Berried flora	poisoning	low	children	Inform +children not to pick or eat berries. Wash hands before eating.	teacher/ assistant, during lessons
7	Mushrooms and fungi	poisoning	low	all	Inform +all to look only, no touching. Wash hands thoroughly if touched.	teacher/ assistant, during lessons
8	Nettles and brambles	stinging, scratching	low	all	Inform children of species, what they look like/ where they are growing. Wear long sleeves, gloves and trousers when working with these species.	teacher/ assistant, during lessons
9	Faeces	contamination	low	all	Check area (especially sandpit) in morning before lessons. Remove and discard safely.	teacher/ assistant prior to lessons
10	Sticks	hitting	medium	children	Inform children of safe carrying, and use, of sticks. Carry sticks upright. Two people to carry long bamboo sticks.	teacher/ assistant, during lessons
11	Ropes and swings	falls	low	children	Ropes and knots to be checked regularly. Inform children of safe use of ropes.	teacher/ assistant, prior to lessons
12	Weather	hypothermia	low	all	Inform parents and children of appropriate clothing for weather conditions. Lists can be found on the blogs. Children to keep rubber boots at school throughout the year. Reception- Grade 1 provide waterproof coats and trousers for children that do not have their own. Classes return indoors in the event of thunder and lightning/severe weather condition. All OLE areas have a shelter. OLE staff should have a weather APP(AlertsPro or NINA).	teacher/ assistant, prior to, and during, lessons
13	Fire	Burns, fire burns out of control	high	all	See separate risk assessment. Trained staff present at all times. Safety procedures followed.	teacher, prior to, and during, lessons
14	Tools	cuts, grazes, amputation	high	all	See separate risk assessment. Trained staff present at all times. Safety procedures followed.	teacher, prior to, and during, lessons
15	Plants	Poisoning	low	Children	Removal of plant	teacher/assistant/ gardener, prior to lesson
16	Nuts	Allergies	low	all	Nurse will assess and seek medical aid (112) if required.	all, during lesson
17	Wet logs	Slip, fall	medium	all	Risk assessment with students at the beginning of school year, re addressing risk on wet days	teacher/ assistant during lesson