MEDINA VALLEY CENTRE - GEOGRAPHY ACTIVITY RISK ASSESSMENT

Persons at risk are those students and staff taking part in the activity.

Reference	G005 GCSE Geography			Print Date	27-May-09
Brief Description:	Investigating micro-climate at MVC				
Location:	Medina Valley Centre				
Date Activity last modified:	22-Nov-01	Activity last modified by:	KM	Student Age:	15
Date Risk last reviewed:	26-May-09	Risk last reviewed by:	KM	Staff Ratio:	1:12

Full Description of Activity:

An investigation of the micro-climate around the MVC using a variety of recording instruments. Calling up stored data on the Automatic Weather Station and presenting in graphic form. Studying the current weather situation using weather satellite imagery

Description of Equipment	field or lab	COSSH ref	COSSH risk H M L
Base map of MVC grounds	Field		
Automatic Weather Station	Field		
Stevenson Screen and instruments	Field		
3 Log-Its	Field		
Dartcom Weather Satellite System	Lab		

Description of Hazards	Likelihood				Date Added
Note: Hazard Risk Factor; 1 to 7 = LOW; 8 to 15 = MEDIUM; 16 to 25 = HIGH		Severity		***Risk***	
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Cars/lorries turning in the MVC car park	1	4		4	02/03/2002
Falling into the water	1	5		5	02/03/2002

Description of Precautions	Date Added
All MVC staff will be suitably qualified to teach the activity and will have experience of the site. At least 1 MVC staff member will hold a First Aid Certificate. First aid kits will be carried and where near water, a throw line.	
Briefing on dangers of riverside & boatyard	02/03/2002
Base map provided with orientation briefing	22/11/2001
Briefing about car park, and staff in attendance	22/11/2001
Staff supervising stations and controlling movement between stations	22/11/2001

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