

# ***Happening History***

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### **KS3 Medieval Life Display - Risk Assessment**

This Site Risk Assessment is designed to apply to all Interior sites that the Happening History Team visits.

<b>SITE HAZARDS</b>	Display items set out on floor or tables
<b>PHYSICAL HAZARDS</b>	Cuts, bruises resulting from falling or tripping over display items Nipped fingers from trying on Armour or Fastening Belts Nipped Fingers from use of Pestle and Mortar Nipped fingers from constructing flat pack wooden chests Injury resulting from misuse of display items
<b>HEALTH RISKS</b>	Cuts and Bruises. Splinters Nits/head lice Possible allergic reactions to pepper, herbs and honey
<b>PERSONS AT RISK</b>	Happening History Staff Students Teaching staff
<b>PRINCIPAL PRECAUTIONS</b>	Ensure access to and from displays are clear Ensure fire exits are kept clear of display items Ensure students and teachers are aware of potential hazards Event organiser to ensure that a first aid point is identified to the Happening History staff Safe work systems Ensure all wooden display items are sanded smooth Ensure all metal display items are free from burrs and sharp edges Safety talks on possible display hazards and the misuse of display items to children and teachers Ensure all coifs are cleaned & checked in between different school visits, and where possible give a clean coif to each student attending the display Teachers should ensure that students with allergies to honey, rosemary, thyme or pepper do not take part in the display without their parents permissions. Teachers should inform parents that their children will come into contact with these items during the display.

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