

# RISK ASSESSMENT

# BUTSER ANCIENT FARM



Activity	Fire Lighting	Reference/ Version	1
Area of operation	Site	Next Assessment Due	30/07/2024
Department	Education	Job Title of Assessor	Education Co-Ordinator
Assessor's Name	S Beech	Max Number of participants	35
Date of Assessment:	11/07/2023	Signed By Director	S.Jay

Hazards	Is the hazard present? Y/N	What is the risk?	Risk rating H = High M = Medium L = Low	Controls (When all controls are in place risk will be reduced).	Is this control in place? Y/N	New Risk rating H = High M = Medium L = Low	Actions/ to do/ outstanding controls.	Person responsible
Rough pieces of wood	Y	Splinters and blisters for young people	M	Make gloves available. Sand down pieces of wood.	Y	L	Offer gloves for activity	Education Staff
Wood will become hot from friction.	Y	Burns to fingers	L	Safety talk before activity.	Y	L	Ensure safety points are covered.	Education Staff
Sparks from flint and steel.	Y	Spark can land on skin and burn.	L	Ensure young people are always striking away from them.	Y	L	Ensure safety points are covered.	Education Staff
Lighting a fire	Y	Fire being created and growing out of control.	L	Only supply small amounts of tinder in a supervised area.	Y	L	Ensure school staff are supervising young people.	Education Staff

If there is one or more High Risk (H) actions are needed. When the risk of injury could be high, immediate action should be taken.

Medium Risk (M) actions should be dealt with as soon as possible.

Low Risk (L) actions should be dealt with as soon as practicable.