

## [COVID-19 Risk Guidance for AFC Rehearsals – Version 2 \(4th October 2021\)](#)

If you wish to discuss any of the measures below, please contact a Committee Member or email: [mikeelliott497@gmail.com](mailto:mikeelliott497@gmail.com).

We will provide spare face masks, hand sanitiser and anti-bac wipes for chairs, but please help by bringing your own.

Even if you have been double vaccinated, you will need to comply with this guidance.

### [Before rehearsal - school responsibilities](#)

The caretaker:

has 2 sets of chairs and ensures that the ones we use the following week are a different set so he knows they are 'clean';

uses an anti-bac spray on the chairs we have used before he puts them back in store;

does a weekly 'fog' of the hall with anti-bac spray.

The cleaners:

come in at 4.30pm and clean all surfaces.

### [Before rehearsal - singer's responsibilities](#)

You may well be following your own regime, e.g. by doing regular lateral flow tests, and you are not asked to do anything extra in this regard. We also assume that you sensibly will NOT COME to rehearsal if you:

have symptoms or feel unwell, have tested positive (PCR or Lateral Flow), have been told to self-isolate, or have close contact with someone who has tested positive.

However we also ask you NOT TO COME to rehearsal if you are awaiting the result of a test because you have been contacted by Test and Trace.

In addition, if you attended the previous week's rehearsal and are now staying away for ANY of the above reasons, please LET THE COMMITTEE KNOW immediately.

### [On arrival](#)

Enter through usual entrance, but queue up in the car park and NOT in the foyer.

Wear a face covering.

Sign in to our register in the foyer. Please bring your own pen.

Note that this replaces our usual attendance register ticks.

### [During rehearsal](#)

We will keep windows and doors open for as long as is comfortable but please bring EXTRA CLOTHING if required by weather conditions.

Chairs will be placed 1 m apart and in staggered rows. DO NOT move your chair, or sit in someone else's chair.

Wear a face covering when not singing or sitting at your chair. In particular, wear one when moving around indoors and be respectful of each other's space at all times.

Note: although not required, a face covering can be worn while singing if the individual prefers.

If standing to sing, stand side-to-side.

Keep wandering about indoors to a minimum and avoid gathering in the foyer or corridors.

Avoid touching shared surfaces as much as possible.

The kitchen will not be in use, so bring your own refreshments. If possible, take these outdoors or at your seat.

### [On departure](#)

Exit through double-doors facing the car park and NOT the foyer.