



Risk Assessment

Below are some risk assessment guidelines to help you plan your visit to the church. As a stone built building with wide open spaces, the church is, in general, a low risk environment.

What are the Hazards?	Who might be harmed and how?	What further action may be necessary?
Traffic on narrow twisty country lanes. (medium risk)	Pupils, group leaders teachers are at risk walking on country lanes.	Lead teacher needs to brief pupils and adult helpers about the care needed whilst walking on country lanes. Follow the country side code and walk facing oncoming traffic and where possible wear hi-visibility jackets.
Slips (low risk)	Pupils, group leaders are at risk of slipping on the steps to the chancel.	Take care when moving around the building. Encourage visitors to use the hand rail and wear suitable foot wear with grips.
Trips (low risk)	Pupils, group leaders are at risk of tripping on the steps to the chancel.	Take care when moving around the building. Encourage visitors to use the hand rail and wear suitable foot wear with grips.
Falls (low risk)	Pupils, group leaders are at risk of tripping on the steps to the chancel.	Take care when moving around the building. Encourage visitors to use the hand rail and wear suitable foot wear with grips.