

SAFE WORK METHOD STATEMENT

WORK MUST BE PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SWMS

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Activity: AROSE AVISTA Incursion	Reviewed By: Jacqueline Kao	Principal Contractor: Fizzics Education Pty Ltd						
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Notes on Identified Risks:								
Prepared in accordance with Work Health and Safety Act 2011, Work Health and Safety Regulation 2017 & Biosecurity Act 2015								

Risk Assessment Matrix								
How serious could the injury be?	How likely is the injury to occur?							
	Very Likely	Likely	Unlikely	Very Unlikely	Legend			
Death or Permanent injury	1	1	2	3	1 and 2Extreme risk; deal with the hazard immediately3 and 4Moderate risk; deal with the hazard as soon a possible			
Long term illness or injury	1	2	3	4	5 and 6 Low risk; deal with the hazard when able Severity How seriously a person could be harmed			
Medical attention and several days off	2	3	4	5	Likelihood How probable it is for the hazard to cause harm			
First aid needed	3	4	5	6				



Item	Activity Step	Activity Step Potential Hazard		Controls	Person	When	Residual Risk Rating
	Break job into logical steps	What can harm someone	Use Matrix	What can be done to make this safer	Who will ensure this happens	When will control measures be undertaken?	Use matrix after control measures are in place
1	Transport of Goods	Breakage occasioning harm Risk of injury from moving equipment	5	Ensure equipment is properly stored. Ensure safe manual handling practices are used at all times, and equipment is moved on a trolley where possible.	Fizzics Presenter Fizzics Presenter	At all times At all times	6 5
2	Selection of presentation room	Inappropriate area causing risk of trip and fall	3	Ensure that the presentation area has adequate room for students and demonstrations.	School Fizzics Presenter	Before performance	5
3	Use of electrical equipment	Risk of electrocution Risk of tripping	5	Ensure all equipment is tested and tagged. Ensure all cords are secured on floors and walls where possible.	Fizzics Education Fizzics Presenter	Before performance Before performance	6
4	Volunteer use of equipment	Misuse occasioning miscellaneous harm	5	Ensure volunteers are informed as to appropriate use of materials.	Fizzics Presenter	During Performance	6
5	Fog rings over audience	Children tripping over each other to "catch" the smoke rings	5	Ensure students are instructed to remain seated	Fizzics Presenter	During Performance	6
6	Flying toilet paper	Injury from students rushing to the presentation	5	Ensure students are instructed to remain seated.	Fizzics Presenter	During Performance	6



		area					
7	Bernoulli bag blow up (7ft bag in one breath)	Participant falls off stage	6	Presenter is to instruct the volunteer on the safe use of the apparatus.	Fizzics Presenter	During performance	6
8	Virtual Reality Hub	Injury from tripping or falling off the stage	4	Ensure volunteers are away from the edge of the stage by being behind a desk and the presenter will actively supervise throughout the performance with clear instructions	Fizzics Presenter	During Performance	6
9	Whoosh bottle (presenter only). A small amount of methylated spirits (30 ml) is added to a large water cooler jug. Once the liquid vaporises, the bottle is lit with a match and a flame erupts for ½ second (usually about 30 cm high from the jug opening)	Risk of burn	3	Fizzics presenter to demonstrate only. Ensure that: - the bottle is lit with a long match or long handled lighter - that all long hair is tied back - only use specified equipment free of faults - presenter and any volunteers wear appropriate PPE - ensure that the demonstration area is clear of flammable materials - know the location of the nearest first aid kit - presenter has undertaken adequate training	Fizzics Presenter Fizzics Presenter	During performance During performance	4
		Risk of fire	3	Fire blanket and/or extinguisher to be nearby			4
10	AIR Robot Dog Demonstration	Risk of tripping	5	Ensure students are instructed to remain seated.	Fizzics Presenter	During Performance	6
11	Close proximity to	Risk of contracting or	3	Adhere to government and school social	Fizzics	During	5

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	others	spreading COVID-19		distancing guidelines as required by Australian Government Department of Health Fizzics Education staff will not attend the site if they exhibit symptoms as identified by the Australian Government Department of Health, or have been overseas or in contact with known or suspected cases of COVID-19.	Presenter & onsite staff Fizzics Presenter	performance Before performance	
12	Touching surfaces	Risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19	3	Ensure that all materials & surfaces are disinfected in accordance with Australian Government Department of Health Guidelines, before each program. Ensure that Fizzics Education staff have completed the Australian Government <u>Infection Control Training - COVID 19</u> prior to visiting the site. All staff members to carry their own hand sanitiser and will sanitise their hands-on entry to your site and periodically during the visit. Children sanitise hands before entering the performance space.	Fizzics Presenter Fizzics Presenter Fizzics Presenter Onsite staff	Before performance Before the performance Before the performance Before the performance	6

Monitor and Review - Monitor the effectiveness of controls and change if necessary. Review the risk assessment of an incident or a significant change occurs.