

Activity	Hazard/Risk Identification	Likelihood	Severity	Risk Level	Elimination or Control Measures
Sheep Handling	Students knocked over by running sheep	6	5	5	Students coached in sheep handling techniques, their own behaviour, and supervised constantly Students wash hands before eating after handling animals Request paddocks be slashed to reduce risk. Abandon activity where such plants are in obviously high numbers. Warn students of existence.
	Students contract zoonotic infection from sheep	6	5	5	
	Students affected by stinging weeds.	5	5	5	
Blacksmith shop	Students burnt by metal or coals	4	3	4	Controlled student movement .All students kept 1.5 m from hearth. All students within structure to wear gloves and safety glasses. No students to enter the building without CPEEC teacher .Burns First aid kit on site
Compound and paddocks	Students struck by vehicles in the compound	5	5	6	Communicate with DPI staff to minimise vehicle entry while students are undertaking activities Ensure 1st Aid kit has adequate number of pressure bandages. 1st aid qualified person on site at all times
	Snake bite	4	3	4	
Gold digging	Finger injuries from shovels	5	3	5	Explain danger and strict adherence to set procedure to students before commencing digging – no fingers in soil or shovels above waste height. Students organized into small groups of 3/4 Students warned of hazard and students under constant supervision
Pitching tents	Cuts from barbed wire and implements	5	5	5	
	Hand injury from hammers	4	3	4	
Panning	Snake bite	4	3	4	Check site on arrival Warn students of possible snake presence Carry first aid kit Activity conducted on bank at very shallow section of creek
	Falling into creek	6	5	6	

How serious could the injury be?	How likely is it to be that serious			
	1	2	3	4
Death or permanent injury	1	1	2	3
Long term illness or injury	1	2	3	4
Medical attention and several days off	2	3	4	5
First aid needed	3	4	5	6
Severity – is how seriously a person could be harmed	Likelihood – is an estimate of how probable it is for the hazard to cause harm			
Legend (as a guide only)				
1 Extreme risk; action to rectify the hazard should commence immediately		2 High risk; action to rectify the hazard should occur within 48 hours		
3 Medium risk; action to rectify hazard should occur within 7 days		4 Low risk; action to rectify hazard should occur within 14 days		
5 Minimal risk; action to rectify hazard should occur within 21 days		6 Minimal risk; action to rectify hazard should occur within 21 days		