

RISK ASSESSMENT

TASK / ACTIVITY / OPERATION / LOCATION / EQUIPMENT / INDIVIDUAL / DATE(S):	COLLEGE: Easton College	DEPARTMENT/BUILDING/AREA: AgroChallenge 2026
Changing Points on a Cultivator 24 th & 25 th June Royal Norfolk Showground	ASSESSOR: C Askew	
	DATE ASSESSMENT CARRIED OUT: 10-Apr-26	
	REVIEW DATE (Annually or after significant changes): 10-Apr-27	
	LINE MANAGER / VP APPROVAL (Name & Date): Mat Scott 03/06/26	

Hazards Associated with the Task, Activity, Operation, Location, Equipment, Individual.	Persons Affected	How Might They be Harmed	Control Measures	Severity Rating	Frequency Rating (likelihood)	Overall Risk Rating (Low, Medium or High)
Cuts and bruises, grit in eyes	Participants	Catching fingers on cultivator when removing points	PPE provided, gloves and goggles	2	2	4
Slips, trips and falls	Participants	When moving from tool box to and from Cultivator	Work area to be cleared of unrelated items	2	1	2
Crushed by Cultivator	Participants	Cultivator drops when participants working	Cultivator attached to tractor, Hydraulic controls engaged, Cultivator set on Blocks for extra security checked and signed off to ensure stable	3	2	6

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Public injured by equipment	General Public	Cuts and bruises from hitting equipment	Clear designated task area, no public access	2	1	2
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NUMERICAL ASSESSMENT				OVERALL RISK FACTOR						
Severity Rating		Frequency Rating (likelihood)		Overall Risk Factor = Severity x Frequency	Frequency (likelihood)					
					5	4	3	2	1	
1	No Injuries / Minor Damage	1	Remote	Severity	5	25	20	15	10	5
2	Single Minor Injury	2	Unlikely		4	20	16	12	8	4
3	Single Major Injury / Personal Injury	3	Occasional		3	15	12	9	6	3
4	Single Fatality / Major Pollution	4	Probable		2	10	8	6	4	2
5	Multiple Fatalities	5	Frequent		1	5	4	3	2	1

15-25 High Risk	UNACCEPTABLE - REVISIT ACTIVITY & CONTROL MEASURES
8-12 Medium Risk	REVIEW THE CONTROL MEASURES – CAN YOU IMPLEMENT FURTHER CONTROL MEASURES TO REDUCE THE RISK? IF NOT, REGULARLY REVIEW CONTROL MEASURES.
1-6 Low Risk	ACCEPTABLE (Keep control measures under review).