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Winter 2025-2026 – Snow and Extreme Weather Procedures

As we approach the winter months, we are planning for the possibility of snow or other extreme weather conditions. Our **top priority** is to keep the school open; however, the **safety of our students, staff, and community** may occasionally require temporary school closures while the site is made safe.

Early Morning Updates

In the event of heavy snowfall or severe weather, we aim to notify parents as early as possible:

You will receive a **text message** advising of the current situation and reminding you to check our **website, emails, and social media** for ongoing updates.

It is therefore **essential** that the school has up-to-date contact details for all parents and carers. We also recommend following the school's **social media channels** to stay informed during periods of snow or extreme weather.

Learning During School Closures

If the school must close due to snow, teachers will post learning activities on **Google Classroom**, marked as '**SNOW DAY**'. Here, your child will find work to complete at home. Of course, children are also encouraged to **read, play, and enjoy the snow safely!**

Early Closure Due to Severe Weather

In some extreme cases, the school may need to **close earlier than usual**. If this happens, parents and carers will be notified **as soon as possible** via text message and email.

Please ensure the school is **informed in advance** if your child will be collected by any adults not listed as regular contacts.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.