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## **RE: Weather Update**

Dear parents and carers

We are currently monitoring the situation with the weather reports for tonight and tomorrow with the possibility of snowfall at some point during the next 48 hours.

As it stands at the moment, we are due to be open as normal tomorrow. If the situation was to change and there was significant snowfall overnight, we would send a text message to all families to inform that the school will be closed by 7:30am at the latest in the morning. The closure message will also be displayed on the school website and Twitter.

## If no message has been received and there is no message on the website and Twitter then school will be open as normal.

In the event that school would need to close during the day due to heavy snow, then a message will be sent to all families to inform of the school closure and students will be sent home from school following the sending of the message. If you did not select that your child can make their own way home following a school closure on the original admissions form, then they will be kept in school and we will make contact with you to discuss the best way for your child to return home.

As ever, our main intention is to keep school open at all costs but the safety of all students and staff is always the priority when making decisions of this nature.

Due to the possibility of snow tomorrow and Friday I am relaxing the usual footwear rules for the next two days and students will be allowed to wear appropriate footwear for the conditions. The footwear rule will return to normal from Monday.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely

Mr M. Davies Head of School

