



MANORSIDE
ACADEMY

11th December 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

Arrangements for Poor Weather Conditions and Emergencies

It is extremely unlikely that the academy would ever be closed due to poor weather of any kind and I will make every effort to ensure that it remained open. However, should we be affected by snow, the arrangements for informing you about any closures will be as follows:

- A notice will be posted on the front page of our website by 7.30am of the morning when poor weather has affected us, confirming that the academy is going to be closed.
- A text will be sent out to all parents confirming closure.
- We will update our Twitter account @ManorsidePoole
- We will also notify Heart Radio, Radio Solent and Fire Radio
- If the weather is particularly poor and it is likely that the academy would remain closed for a further day, we would communicate this in exactly the same way as set out above.

If we are affected by poor weather or an emergency like a power failure during the course of a school day we will again do our utmost to not close until the usual time. However, if it becomes clear that it is not possible to keep the academy open, we will use the same methods of communication to ensure that everyone is aware of our decision to close and we will supervise any child who is unable to get home until you are able to collect them.

I very much doubt that the academy closing will ever be the case, but forewarned is forearmed. If you do have any questions about this, please do not hesitate to get in touch with me directly and I would be very happy to help you.

Yours sincerely

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