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Dear Parent/Carer

SEVERE WEATHER

As the weather continues to get colder, we would like to remind parents/carers what to do if we have lots of snow. It is very unlikely that it would be necessary to close the school, and we would only do this if there was a safety risk for pupils or staff. We have to consider everyone's safety in the building and grounds, but also the pupil-staff ratio which will be affected if staff are unable to travel to school.



We need to ensure that the school has heating, hot water and that we will be able to clear enough snow to safely open. We therefore will make this decision by 8.00am in the morning. Please continue to check the **front page of the website** and you will be able to find out if the school is closed.

Please do not telephone the school as we may not be able to answer. Can we also remind all parents to make sure that all children are dressed appropriately for this weather, coat, hat, scarf and gloves and sensible shoes.

Yours sincerely

Miss M Neale
Head Teacher

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