



NORTH RIGTON

CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

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ADVERSE WEATHER ARRANGEMENTS

Dear Parents/Carers

As we are fast approaching winter, we thought it would be useful to clarify our Adverse Weather Arrangements.

Whatever the weather may throw at us please always assume that school will be open as usual. We recognise that any disruption to school opening times and short-notice closure may cause significant problems to working parents and therefore we endeavour to keep our school open for as long as we can maintain a safe environment.

In the unlikely event of school closure you will be notified by text and email, as soon as the decision has been taken. Announcements will also be made on local radio stations: Greatest Hits Radio Harrogate and the Yorkshire Dales (previously known as Stray FM), Radio York and Radio Leeds, Minster FM. If you receive no communication and no announcement is made on the local radio this means school is open – we will only contact you if school is closed.

In the event of severe weather it is important that our phone lines remain clear for emergencies so please do not phone the school unless it is an emergency.

If you are experiencing difficulties transporting your children to school and feel it would be unsafe to make the journey, please email the office to let us know you will be setting off a little later than usual or let us know that your children will not be in school that day.

If we have to close the school during the day, due to worsening weather conditions, we will notify you by text and email so you can make arrangements for your child to be collected from school.

If you have any concerns about these arrangements or further questions please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely
Mrs Amber Andrews
Head Teacher

