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Dear Parents / Guardians,

Extreme Weather Procedure

A reminder of our adverse weather procedures as heavy snow is forecast overnight Tuesday / Wednesday.

The school's intention is always to stay open as normal. As in the case of many schools our staff are drawn from a large area. Therefore a key factor in any decision about extreme conditions will be whether we can guarantee sufficient staffing to supervise all the pupils safely. If conditions prevent this, a decision will be taken to either delay opening, or to close completely.

Another key factor would be if Arkwright Primary School is closed as they provide our school dinners; however if necessary children could bring sandwiches on that day.

DCC have launched a new quick and easy system for us to keep you informed of snow closures! We will email information to DCC and immediately it will be put on the DCC website: www.derbyshire.gov.uk/schoolclosures. Local media and radio stations will also receive information from DCC and will keep you informed so tune into:

PEAK RADIO 107.4 and 102FM

Therefore please listen to the radio on any morning when there is a forecast of significant snowfall; if no announcement is made please assume that we are open as normal.

We will also send out a text message keeping you updated about closures etc and will also confirm on the home page of our website: www.brimingtonmanor.co.uk

Yours sincerely

Mrs Kathryn Fretwell Headteacher