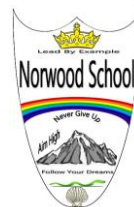


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Thursday 8th January 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

Important Information Regarding Possible School Closures Due to Adverse Weather

As we approach the time of year when severe weather may occur, we would like to remind parents and carers of the procedures Norwood School will follow in the event of a school closure.

Why Closures May Happen

If staff members experience difficulty travelling to or from school and adult-to-child ratios become unsafe, Health and Safety guidelines require us to close the school.

How We Will Communicate Closures

- A message will be sent via **Arbor In-App** and **email** to all parents/carers.
- Updates will also be posted on the **Peterborough City Council website**:
<https://www.peterborough.gov.uk/residents/schools-and-education/school-closures>

If you have not yet activated your **Arbor In-App** account, please do so. For assistance, contact the school office.

During the School Day

If closure occurs during school hours, we will contact parents/carers via **Arbor In-App** and email registered parent/carers. Please ensure the school office has your current phone numbers and email addresses.

Early Closures

Many staff members travel long distances. To ensure their safe journey home, we may need to close the school early in response to rapidly changing weather conditions.

Safety on School Grounds

While we take care to grit paths near the school building, please exercise extreme caution when entering or leaving the premises during adverse weather. Playgrounds may not always be gritted.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Yours sincerely

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