## Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School Hindley Green



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## Winter Weather

Dear Parents/Carers,

As we are now in the season of winter, I would like to bring your attention to the lines of communication in place should the weather deteriorate The safety of pupils and staff at school is paramount and a decision to close the school would be made in consideration of our individual circumstances at our premises. This would not only include the severity of the local weather but roads and pathways which may make access particularly difficult and the ability of our staff to get to school i.e. child/adult ratios and sufficient supervision.

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The following lines of communication will be in operation:

- Class Dojo <u>https://www.classdojo.com/</u>
- Twitter @HindleyGrSacred
- Updates on our website. You can find us at <u>www.hindleygreensacredheart..co.uk</u>

Wigan Council will be contacted.

• The Wigan Council website <u>www.wigan.gov.uk</u> will be updated as often as appropriate with severe weather warnings. The website also includes guidance for parents and others who may be concerned about school closures.

The Local radio station will be contacted:

• WISH FM

I can assure you that every effort will be made to keep school open during severe weather and I do hope we are not in a situation where we have to make that decision.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C.M. Ryding Head teacher

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## Entrance into school

The pedestrian path from Swan Lane to school building will be gritted.

All children will enter through the main school door (school office)

Changes of footwear is recommended, and children will be able to change in cloakrooms

Arrangements at the end of the day will be the same as the morning.

The door will open at 8:50, please do not arrive any earlier.