



Policy Documents & Procedures

Bad Weather Policy

THIS POLICY HAS BEEN WRITTEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF CLARIFYING PROCEDURES IN THE EVENT OF BAD WEATHER. IT IS MADE AVAILABLE ONLINE TO ALL OF OUR MEMBERS.

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Statement of Intent

Flair take the health and safety of the children on our premises and their parents / guardians seriously. At certain times, it may be necessary to close the school if the weather conditions pose a threat to the health and safety of the children, their parents / guardians or the teachers working at the school.

In the event of bad weather, the Principal will decide if the school should open based on a number of criteria.

Aims

To ensure that in the event of bad weather at the appropriately safe for the children, and that the parents & teachers are informed if the school is not open.

Decisions

The Principal will make a decision on whether the school shall open based on the following:

- The class premises must be warm.
- The car park surface must not pose a serious threat to those entering/leaving by car or on foot.
- Teachers must be able to get to the school.
- Roads must be safe to travel on.
- Decisions made by surrounding LEA schools or individual centres (e.g. YMCA) to close due to bad weather.

In Addition, parents/guardians are asked to use their own judgement as to the safety of their journey and to stay at home if they feel it is safe to do so.

Methods

Teachers shall be notified by telephone if there is a need to close the school due to bad weather conditions.

Parents / guardians will be advised about the school closure by a text message to be sent to the number we hold in our records for them. It is their responsibility to ensure their number is current and up to date with us.

Remuneration

We will try our best to reschedule any missed sessions or provide you with an alternative session by means of catch up however as we pay for our venues regardless of the unforeseen closures we will be unable to refund missed classes.

Remuneration will not be offered to members who are unable to attend rescheduled sessions.

Teachers are only remunerated for sessions that they teach and not for missed sessions.
