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WINTER WEATHER

As we head into the winter, I would like to draw your attention to several arrangements regarding Winter Weather.

Unforeseen Closures

In the unlikely event that school will need to close due to winter weather, the closure will be posted as soon as possible on the County Council website and the school website. The school Facebook and Twitter feeds will also be used to convey the information. As a final measure, our Text Parents' service may be used.

Access to School

Access to school can be affected by snow and ice. We will grit sections of the school grounds but are unable to grit beyond the school gates. Attached to this letter is a plan of where we will be gritting. In icy and snowy conditions, the routes marked as primary areas will be cleared and gritted first. Gritted areas will be marked out with cones – please stick to the gritted areas.

School Start Time

Even in wintry conditions, school starts at 8.45am. Please allow more time for your journey if required. As usual, school doors close at 8.50am. If you arrive after this, please take your child via the main office on Stakeford Lane, this ensures your child is properly registered and will be taken safely to their classroom.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Yours sincerely

Mr A Miller
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