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Dear Parents

### Severe Weather

As a school, we really feel that if the site is safe for the students, we will endeavour to open and provide the best quality of educational experience. Judging from the numbers who have historically come into school when it snows, we know that this is what you want. Let me assure you that every effort is made to ensure that students are kept safe and warm whilst on site. Of course, you will make your own decision about the viability of the journey into school.

If the school is forced to close as a result of the site being unsafe, we will aim to make such a decision by 7am. Notification will then be posted on our website ([www.ntc.kent.sch.uk](http://www.ntc.kent.sch.uk)) and on the *Kent Closures* website (<https://www.kentclosures.co.uk>). You can register on the Kent website to receive notifications on your mobile or email if you wish.

If the school is forced to close early, I wish to reassure parents that, there will always be staff on site until 3:05 to supervise students in school. However, please have a conversation with your child about your expectations of them during this period. For those who cannot reach school, I would refer you to *Google Classroom*, through which students can still access work.

Thank you so very much for your support and understanding

Yours sincerely



Jane Partridge  
Headteacher