

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

WET WEATHER PROCEDURE

Principal, Deputy Principal or Assistant Principal to decide on instituting “Wet Weather Procedure”.

The whole school will be notified that the Wet Weather Procedure is in place through two short blasts of the siren. This means that all students must be indoors. Students are able to use the library, Recreation Centre and visit the canteen whilst the Wet Weather Procedure is in place.

Class teachers/home group teachers are responsible for their own class. There is room for negotiation amongst staff as to releasing each other. It is important, however, that no students are left in rooms unsupervised.

Teachers on yard duty in Areas A and B will remain to supervise all teaching Blocks. They are asked to negotiate amongst their cluster as to the placement of their students when they are covering these areas. Library and Recreation Centre are still open.

Area C person to assist in Recreation Centre.) If required or return to home class.
Area D person to assist in Library.)

Teachers without Homegroup responsibilities are to see the Yard Duty coordinator as to where they go when the Procedure is in place. They will support in the Yard Duty Areas.

When the rain has ceased and the weather is considered satisfactory for students to venture outside by Principal, Deputy Principal or Assistant Principal students and staff will be notified by two short blasts of the siren. After siren has sounded supervisory duties continue as normal.

HOT WEATHER PROCEDURE

Hot Weather - temperatures above 38°C

- Hot Weather procedures to operate if the temperature just prior to lunch is 38°C or above.
- Class teachers to notify students following the siren which will sound as 2 short blasts to remind everyone of the Hot Weather Procedure.
- Students are to remain in the classroom blocks.
- No running.
- Oval, grassed areas, hardplay and playgrounds are out of bounds.
- Canteen Yard Duty is to occur. All other Yard Duty teachers to take on block supervision duty.
- Each Block is responsible for organising Block supervision to allow students to remain indoors. It is important, however, that students are not left unsupervised in rooms.
- This procedure is supported by the Hat Policy. (See relevant document).