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Dear Parent,

### **Closing the school in an emergency**

It would be extremely rare for Belper School to have to close on a day when it should be open to students. However it is possible that for health and safety reasons such as the failure of the power or water supply we would be unable to remain open. Severe weather such as heavy snow could also cause the closure of the school at short notice.

In order to communicate an emergency closure to parents, students and the local community we will post a message on the school's website ([www.beperschool.co.uk](http://www.beperschool.co.uk)) and also arrange for RAM FM ([www.ramfm.co.uk](http://www.ramfm.co.uk)) **102.8 FM** to broadcast the information. You would also need to check the website and/or RAM FM for an update as to when the school would reopen.

Hopefully these arrangements will rarely if ever be needed but it is important for you to be aware of how we can keep you informed.

Yours sincerely,

Trevor Harding,  
Headteacher.



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