



SNOW POLICY

In the event of the Local Authority not making a blanket decision, the decision to close school will be at the Headteacher's and Chair of Governors' discretion.

The following procedure will be followed:

- School will review the weather situation first thing in the morning (7am) · If a decision is taken to close, information will be given to *local radio stations, a text message will be sent to parents via "Teachers to parents" text service and a notice will be posted on our website.
- If there is snow or very icy conditions and school decides to remain open, access arrangements will be as follows:

Entry will be through the main entrance off Bells Lane or via side gate KS1.

Paths will be gritted and snow will be cleared to allow access.

*Local radio – Free radio / Heart FM

N.B. Please be aware that due to the high volume of text messages being sent by "Teachers to Parents" there may be a time delay.