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Our school:

'Excellence and happiness for all'

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Dear Parents and Carers

You may have seen, that once again, heavy snow is forecast for tonight and tomorrow. Mr Moore has already gritted the playground in preparation for the predicted snowfall, however, this is unlikely to be effective against heavy snow settling.

As I informed you last week, the current situation means that we are already working under significant pressures in school as we have no capacity to cover staff absence and have no flexibility to be able to move staff to different bubbles to provide cover. Neither can we amalgamate bubbles of children.

Last week, staff made the journey into school and then had a formidable journey back home again. It is also dangerous for parents and children travelling to school – even Mrs Macnair in the office slipped on ice this week when walking and broke her elbow!

We have therefore decided that we would like to give you advance notice that school **will not** be open tomorrow and **all** children should stay at home. We hope that by letting you know this in advance, it will give you the chance to make arrangements for these circumstances.

Note: An education will still be provided - all children will be able to access remote learning from home tomorrow.

If the predicted snow does not arrive, we apologise for closing, but we must consider everyone's safety and the fact that some parents/carers may need to make arrangements in advance.

Many thanks for your co-operation and understanding.

Kind regards,

Corrine Penhale
Headteacher

