

EMERGENCY COLLEGE CLOSURE POLICY

In the unlikely event of storm damage or bad weather (snow) forcing the Academy to close, the following procedure will be taken:

1 Closure before Academy begins (ie overnight or before 8am):

Information will be broadcast on Radio Cornwall, Pirate FM and Heart FM. Our website will be updated as soon as possible. Any students who reach the Academy will be turned back unless they have no safe place to return to. In the case that they cannot return, parents/carers will be informed and the student looked after. We will also send a text to all parents who have registered their number with us and **email all students**.

2 Closure during the Academy day:

Messages will go out on local radio and on the Academy website. We will also use the text system for those parents/carers who are registered with us. Students will be sent home if they have a safe place to return to. Any student who cannot return home, will be looked after at the Academy until the parents/carers can be contacted.