

Bad Weather Directions

When threatening weather bulletins are issued, you will be advised of their content. There are some common sense precautions that you should be aware of.

1. Stay calm. Claim Psalm 91!
2. As far as it is possible to do so, move students away from windows toward a solid wall.
3. Should a tornado actually strike, students should go to the floor in aisles between their desks in a kneeling position, with their heads lowered toward their knees, eyes closed, and their hands crossed behind their heads.
 - a. Your calmness and reassurance can encourage them to stay in position even though they may hear falling debris.
 - b. When all clear, if you must move from your room, be alert to fallen wires. Do not touch.
4. In raining weather, take every precaution to keep the children dry.
 - a. They will have to go through some water to the buses. Do not run. Falling down can do more harm than just getting wet.
 - b. Follow in line. The buses will stay until they know all the classes have been dismissed.
 - c. Be sure students have put on outside clothing, have lunch kits, books, etc., firmly in hand before leaving the room.
 - d. Lead them in a route around standing water whenever possible.

Fire Directions for Preschool and Elementary

Preschool students are not to pull their shoes off during nap time. What happens if your class is in P.E.? If your class has P.E. in the gym when the fire bell rings, you will go to meet your class while, at the same time, Mrs. Lott will exit them from the gym. You will intercept them on location. You will remain in line with your group at the assigned area for the gym until the all-clear bell is sounded. Do not try to cross traffic back to your regular evacuation area. If you are on the playground, remain there.