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 Deptford Park Primary School

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Dear Parents and Families,

Severe Weather

It was lovely to welcome the children back this morning, despite the cold and frost! As witnessed by the news over this past week, many areas of the UK have been affected by adverse weather conditions, and more is predicted. Of course, I will continue to follow the news, and especially the MET weather updates in our region. Firstly, be assured that I will do all I can to keep the school open if at all possible, to minimise any disruption to your child's education.

However, in the event that I do have to close the school please take note of the following important information:

- You will receive a text from the school. Please ensure our school office have an up to date mobile number for you.
- Notifications will also be shown on our social media platforms, X, Instagram and Facebook. You might like to follow us on each of these.
- There will also be a notification on the school website: www.deptfordpark.lewisham.sch.uk
- Activities and work for your child can be accessed via google classroom. Please ensure you have activated your child's google account.
- **All notifications will be posted by 7.30 am. If there are no messages or notifications then please assume we will be open as normal.**

In the event I am able to keep the school open it may be necessary to alter the way we dismiss the children, to ensure the safety of everyone on the school site. Please be patient and help to make a difficult task easier by waiting until staff can hand your child over to you. Members of staff will be on hand to help and communicate any changes to drop off or collection to you. **Please note that when the school is open, 'weather' given as a reason for absence will not be authorised.** Finally, during this cold weather please ensure your child wears a suitable warm coat.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Leona

Leona Baffour- Headteacher

Head Teacher: Leona Baffour

