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PROCEDURES FOR A STORM

NB. Regular emergency procedure practices will be carried out.

CODE RED CRISIS:

Inside School:

When children are operating within the school environment when the storm blows up:

- Keep children calm.
- Secure doors and keep children clear of windows
- Children will be kept inside the buildings until instructed otherwise by the Principal or Deputy Principal

Outside School:

If children are outside when the storm blows up and it is impossible to return immediately to School:

- Stand close to a building or go inside a sheltered place if possible
- Watch for flying debris, fallen power lines etc.
- Do not stand under trees
- Avoid roadways where a gust could blow children into the path of vehicles

The Teacher will, as soon as possible, notify the Principal or the school office staff of the situation and the status of children.

The Principal will arrange appropriate support and inform parents if necessary, using the GENII – 570 phone system.

If instructed by the Principal, teachers will choose a safe route back to school and return with children as soon as safely possible.

See also 5:4 – 5:8 Policies and Procedures for Health and Safety