



St Anne's School and Sixth Form College

Adverse weather procedures

This statement was reviewed in the Autumn term 2018

1. INTRODUCTION

This statement is updated yearly to ensure that the school community is aware of the current procedures taken to safeguard each individual. This is not an exhaustive statement as common sense will need to prevail in order to safeguard each individual as far as it is reasonably practical to do so.

In the event of severe weather St. Anne's will endeavour to remain open. In the unlikely event of us being unable to open a message will be posted on the school website, twitter and local radio as early as possible.

2. PRECAUTIONS: PATHWAYS

During ice and snow, the premises team will endeavour to clear and grit a designated footpath into the school, sixth form and residence. All staff should keep to the areas that have been treated for safety.

Every attempt will be made to keep staff safe and to have as much of the walkways clear of ice at all times.

3. CAR PARKS

Due to its size, the car park is a particularly vulnerable area and it is not always possible to fully clear it of snow or to grit it. Staff should therefore take extra care when leaving their cars and getting to the paths.