



Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s): Elementary

Inclement Weather: As we enter the winter season, there is the potential for winter storms that could cause closure of the school.

In the event that weather conditions warrant closure of Bond Academy, **we will distribute confirmation notice via email once the decision is made.** Every effort will be made to announce the decision by 6:30 a.m. We will also forward the notice of closure to CP24 (although there may be a delay in posting) and post the closure on our website and in our calendar found on the website.

The decision to close Bond Academy will not be made without serious consideration, based on a number of criteria. Involved in this decision will be:

- The long term weather prediction; whether the severe weather conditions will end in the near future or will continue over an extended period of time. This could impact upon our ability to get our staff and students home safely.
- Our ability to ensure our staff will be available to provide supervision for our students. Many of our staff live outside of the city and it may be difficult to arrive on time to provide supervision and to maintain their program.
- The conditions of the roads and the recommendations of the authorities re travel.
- The condition of our parking lots. During one of our major storms, the company cleaning the parking lots was unable to keep up to the accumulation of snow and this created difficulties for staff and parents trying to safely enter and leave the Bond Academy parking lot.

Sincerely,

John Healey