



**EAST ADELAIDE
SCHOOL**

Procedures for Severe Storm Weather Conditions

These procedures are in place for the end of the school day to protect students and include:

- A message will be sent to parents via SMS informing them to collect children from classrooms
- Rain siren will sound at 3.10pm
- Staff will manage crossing duty (no student traffic monitors when weather is severe)
- Students will remain in classrooms and are to be collected from there
- If students are in specialist classes, they must remain with the specialist teachers
- Students will not be released unless weather conditions improve markedly. If that occurs before 3.30pm, a normal siren will sound to dismiss students
- If the weather conditions have not improved by 3.30pm, students will assemble in the largest learning area within closest proximity to their class, with a teacher providing duty of care
- Reception students who are booked into OSHC will be collected by OSHC educators who will wait with them in The Vines until the weathers eases
- Year 1 students who are booked into OSHC will gather in the Heysen building instead of waiting at the Bus Stop and OSHC educators will wait with them until the weather eases
- Year 2 to 6 students booked into OSHC will follow the procedures above and at 3.30pm make their way to OSHC when the weather eases.

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