



Extreme Weather Statement

Birmingham City Council no longer make decisions about blanket closures for schools in the case of extreme weather, therefore the decision to close Fairfax will be made by the Head of Academy in consultation with the FMAT CEO or FMAT Director of Education.

If such a decision to close the academy is made by the Head of Academy, key members of staff will be contacted to ensure that a notice is placed on the academy website and that text messages are sent to staff and parents/carers by 07:00 wherever possible.

After the school day has started the decision to close the academy is a matter for the Head of Academy to decide. Reasonable effort will be made to contact parents/carers to advise them that school has closed through the same channels as mentioned above.