

Wet Weather Process

Purpose: To ensure students remain safe, supervised, and engaged during periods wet weather or extreme weather. These procedures ensure consistent expectations for staff, students, and the school community.

WET Weather

Wet Weather Procedures are activated when:

- Persistent rain occurs at break times
- Grounds become slippery or waterlogged
- Leadership determines conditions unsafe for outdoor play
- Supervision Expectations
- All students should stay under cover of a building.
- Open areas such as the oval, quad, playground equipment are out of bounds.
- Staff and students can shelter under the UCA, demountable verandahs, admin verandah, junior block verandahs, senior block verandahs and the school library.
- When wet weather is declared, all admin staff will assist with supervision.
- Special needs EAs should stay with their rostered student.

Communication

Announcement via PA: "Wet Weather Procedures are now in effect..."

- Where the weather changes during a break – duty teachers should sound their whistle **THREE** times to signal to students to move to wet weather locations.
- If weather eases, duty teachers may release students back to play areas. Please gain student's attention and remind them that should the weather begin again – they should return to shelter immediately. Possible script: "If it starts to rain again, you must come back under shelter. There will be a consequence for any students who chooses not to come out immediately from the rain".

Duty Teacher (DT) Supervision	
Recess	10.55-11.15
Kindy	Kindy DT
Pre-primary	PP Verandas
Year 1	Year 1 Verandas
Quad & 2/3	Faction Bench Verandas
Upper Eating/Oval	UCA
Demountable Verandas	Admin
Library	Admin
First Lunch	1.15-1.35
Kindy	Kindy DT
Pre-primary	PP Veranda
Year 1	Year 1 Veranda
Quad & 2/3	Faction Bench Veranda
Yr 4/5/6	UCA
Second Lunch	1.35-1.55
Kindy	Kindy DT
Pre-primary	PP Veranda
Year 1	Year 1 Veranda
Quad	Faction Bench Veranda
East end oval	Senior Block Veranda
West end oval	Demountable
UCA	UCA
Library	Library

Extreme Weather Process

Extreme Weather Procedures do not occur very often and are activated when

- Thunderstorms/lightning present a safety risk
- Strong winds or falling debris make areas unsafe
- Heavy rainfall making any movement around the school difficult

Announcement via PA: **“EXTREME Weather Procedures are now in effect...”**

- All staff should return to classrooms/blocks. All staff are on duty. Please support each other as needed to have some time to eat and take a toilet break.
- Please contact the office if additional support is needed: 9237 2850. Specialist teachers should assist staff as per the table below.
- Special needs EAs should remain with their student/or the last class they were in the last class that they were in.

Extreme Weather Supervision

Location	Rooms	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Kindy	1a, 1b, 2a	Kindy CT & EAs				
PP	13, 14 & 15	PP CT & EAs				
Yr 1	15, 11 & 12	PE				
Yrs 2&3	1, 2, 3, 7, 8 & 9	French (Mon-Thurs) Admin (Fridays)				
Demountables	21, 22, 23, 24, 25 & 26	Science				
Senior Block	17, 18 & 19	ART				

