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Dear parents

As you are aware a significant weather event continues to produce significant rain and flooding in our local area.

Families are encouraged to tune-in to local media, monitor weather conditions, heed the warnings and follow instructions from emergency services.

Remember, "If it's flooded, forget it".

In line with the Premier's announcement this afternoon and to ensure the safety of students, staff and community members **our school will be closed on Monday 28 February.**

The school closures [website](#) has been updated to reflect this closure will be updated on a daily basis. Parents and carers should check this site each day to confirm if our school will be open.

Absences due to emergencies and natural disasters will not be recorded on a student's report card.

We will continue to provide information to families, via SMS, School Dojo, Facebook and email as it becomes available. There are also many excellent resources on the Queensland Government [Get Ready Queensland](#) website that serve as a checklist for our homes, travel arrangements and our personal safety.

Thank you for your ongoing support and please stay safe.

Yours sincerely,

Leanne McMahon
Acting Principal