

# Adverse Weather Conditions Policy

## Aim

It is our policy to ensure the safety of the children attending Little Lizzies during adverse weather conditions (heavy snow, storm, flooding or heatwave etc.) and to endeavor to minimise disruption to the normal opening hours and the daily activities of Little Lizzies.

## Procedure

We will contact parents at the earliest opportunity by phone or text message if:

- The setting will not be open (on a specified day)
- A decision is made to close the setting early and to arrange collection of their child/ren

In the event that a childminder is delayed in attending the setting, emergency cover may be arranged with a responsible adult.

In the event a parent is experiencing travel delays due to adverse weather they should inform the childminders at the earliest opportunity. The childminder will continue to take care of your child/ren. No fee will be charged for late collection in this instance. Where parents fail to make contact with us and they are late to collect their child we will follow the Late Collection Policy.

No refund of fees will be offered due to closure for adverse weather conditions.

Childminder's name	Lorna Ford
Childminder's signature	
Date	18-6-18
Childminder's name	David ford
Childminder's signature	
Date	18-6-18

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## **Adverse Weather Policy**

**This policy supports the following requirements and standards:**

### **England**

Meeting the Early Years Foundation Stage Safeguarding and Welfare Requirements

**Safety and suitability of premises, environment and equipment**