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KJS Pick-Up / School Bus Procedures under Inclement Weather

According to the ESF Inclement Weather Policy, school buses will not run under the following signals:

- Red Rain
- Black Rain
- Typhoon #8 (T8) or above

Under inclement weather, the school will operate as per the procedures below. Parents are advised to check the updated information released by the Hong Kong Observatory (downloaded app on <u>Apple Store</u> and <u>Google Play</u>) and <u>EDB</u>.

In case of red or black rain signal is hoisted during school hours

- 1. If red or black rain signals are in place at 1:15pm, bus services will be cancelled and the school will notify parents of the cancellation via the ESF App and SMS. A banner will also be posted on our website.
- 2. Parents will be advised to pick up their children in person from 2:45pm if it is safe to do so.
- 3. When arriving at KJS, our staff will be present to direct parents to the right levels.
- 4. Parents should present their children's student cards to our staff while picking them up. For those who pick up other families' children, a written confirmation (email or text messages) is required.







In case of T8 signal is approaching during school hours

- 1. If the T8 signal is approaching, the Hong Kong Observatory will issue a two-hour warning period for the public. School buses will depart after an hour and the school gate will open at the same time.
- 2. The school will notify parents of the bus departure time via the ESF App and SMS. A banner will also be posted on our <u>website</u>.
- 3. For parents of children taking school buses, please pick them up at the stops as per their usual practice.
- 4. If parents choose to pick up their children in person, please notify the bus company and the school office.

In case of red/black rain signal or T8 or above is hoisted before the school starts

- Once EDB decides to close schools due to the inclement weather, the school will
 message parents via the ESF App and SMS. A banner will also be posted on
 our website.
- 2. Parents are advised to keep their children at home.
- 3. Teachers will be offering students access to independent learning tasks and resources.

Please remember to stay informed and follow the procedures as outlined above to ensure a smooth and safe pick-up process during inclement weather situations. For any questions, please contact our school office at office@kjs.edu.hk.

Kowloon Junior School

