



# Chestnuts Primary School

'Encourage, Enable, Empower'

## Emergency closure

Unfortunately, in very extreme circumstances we will deem it necessary to close the school. In the past during situations such as adverse weather conditions it has been very difficult for parents to ascertain whether to struggle to get their children into school. To avoid this in the future Milton Keynes Council has launched a new system which communicates school procedures not only to parents but also to the media. A new website has been created for schools to log onto and close the school. It will then automatically update the local radio station and the Council Website.

In addition to these services the school will also use our website, email and text system to send you a message or e-mail notification of any emergency closures and our Facebook page.

If you think Chestnuts may be closed, for example due to snow/ flooding etc you can find out by visiting the Council's Website:

[www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/schoolclosures](http://www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/schoolclosures)

Or you can listen to Heart Radio or BBC Three Counties Radio or visit their websites  
[www.heartmk.co.uk](http://www.heartmk.co.uk) or [www.bbc.co.uk/threecounties](http://www.bbc.co.uk/threecounties)

We will continue to work with local radio stations to ensure that details of school closures are announced during their radio shows, for parents who do not have internet access



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