

# **NMAT ACADEMY CLOSURES STATEMENT (Non- Statutory)**



***This statement sets out the basic guidelines that an NMAT Academy will adopt in the case of a closure. It may have to be adapted to cater for individual, very specific circumstances***

The decision to either delay an Academy start to the working day or to close an Academy is always a very difficult one to make, and we always make it with considerable reluctance. However we will continue to make our closure decisions with the best interests of our students and staff at the centre of all that we do.

**Please consult the BBC Local website ([bbc.co.uk/tees/Academy\\_closures](http://bbc.co.uk/tees/Academy_closures)) and/or to tune in to BBC Radio Tees – the latter tend to give 15 minute updates on the ¼ hour.**

**We will also always post a message on the Academy's own website homepage on their Twitter accounts and Facebook page.**

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