



Tomlinscote School

20th September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Urgent Notice: closure of school on Monday 23rd September 2024

Your child may have informed you that the school was hit by lightning and excessive rainfall during Period 4 today.

Unfortunately, the lightning has damaged our bell system at Tomlinscote and significantly the fire alarm system across the whole school.

Consequently, I need to close the whole school on Monday for all students and staff. I appreciate that this may cause some disruption to families but I need time to assess the situation with this important health and safety issue.

School work for Monday at home:

Years 8-11

All members of staff will set work for each timetabled lesson on Monday on Google classroom/EduLink. Students will need to complete this work on Monday.

Year 7

This year group does not have an iPad yet and therefore an English, Maths and Reading task will be sent to parents/carers on Sunday evening. We will also put it on Google classroom in case they know how to access this via a device at home.

I will communicate again on Monday to keep everyone up to date with the situation.

Yours sincerely,

Mr R Major
Principal