

Emergency Policies

Crisis Management

The school has a plan for dealing with all categories of crisis, including but not limited to natural disaster, environmental and building disaster, and disruption of human life. At all times the safety and security of students and staff are the primary concerns. The plan is available for parental perusal in the school office.

School Closing/Emergency Closing

In the event of inclement weather or emergency situations, it is possible our facility will be closed. Please check the link on our website to verify the status of St. Michael School. In addition, we subscribe to “School Reach”. In the case of an emergency, or an emergency closing, an automated message will be sent to the phone number listed on your emergency card. (Provided phones are working).

Whenever Orland School District #135 cancels school due to inclement weather, St. Michael School will also cancel school.

If severe weather develops after school begins, we try to keep our students in school until the usual dismissal time. However, we suggest you have a “contingency plan” for your children if severe weather or any other circumstances force us to close school early. Please be sure your child knows of this plan, so he/she will know what to do and where to go should we be forced to close school before the usual dismissal time. As in all cases parents should use their own judgment regarding what is best for their child.

Tornado Warning

In the event of tornado warnings for the local vicinity, students will remain in the school building until weather permits them to leave. Students may not be released to parents at this time.