

8th January 2010

Dear students, parents/carers

According to weather predictions we are clearly going to be facing difficult conditions for the coming two weeks or so. Could I please reiterate to you that if humanly possible, Francis Combe Academy will be open every day.

The Groupcall text service has proven problematic this week, and whilst I will continue to use it, please also check the hertsdirect website as well as our website for up to date information of any decisions I make.

More work will be added to the website to complete if I am unable to open the Academy.

Please could I ask for your support in ensuring your son/daughter does attend every day that we are open. I am very disappointed that 40% of students have failed to get to the Academy today and expect much higher attendance from Monday onwards. I appreciate that it is tricky for everyone however, with sufficient time and forward planning I do expect to see every student here.

Many thanks,



Nicky Williams  
Principal