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Play Centers, Inc. Emergency-Closing Policy for The Waldorf School of Baltimore

Play Centers, Inc. at The Waldorf School of Baltimore typically follows the schedule of The Waldorf School of Baltimore regarding most school closings. However, it has become necessary to include an “emergency closing” policy for unexpected situations such as utility outages (i.e. power, water, etc.) as well as other extreme emergencies. No refunds will be issued for these days. In the event of these types of school closings, Play Centers at Waldorf will adhere to the following:

1. If either the Waldorf School of Baltimore or the entire Baltimore City Public School System is closed due to a utility outage or other extenuating circumstances, Play Centers at Waldorf will be closed.
2. If either the Waldorf School of Baltimore or the entire Baltimore City Public School System closes early due to a utility outage or other extenuating circumstances, Play Centers at Waldorf will make every attempt to provide care, contingent upon school permission / conditions. In the event of such a closing, the parent or an emergency pick-up person, as stated on the emergency card, will be contacted by phone. Pick-up by the designated time is required and a late fee may be imposed.
3. Play Centers at Waldorf is closed anytime that Baltimore City Public School Offices are closed.

As a reminder, Play Centers at Waldorf’s inclement weather policy is as follows:

1. In the event of inclement weather, Play Centers, Inc. will follow the schedule of the Waldorf School of Baltimore.
2. If schools close early due to inclement weather, the after school program will close as soon as the last parent arrives. For safety’s sake, we encourage parents to pick-up their children as soon as possible. This guideline may be subject to a time frame contingent upon the weather conditions or other circumstances. If a required closing time is necessary, the parent or an emergency pick-up person, as stated on the emergency card, will be contacted by phone. Pick-up by the designated time is required and a Late Fee may be imposed.
3. On days when Play Centers operates a holiday program at The Waldorf School of Baltimore, Play Centers will follow the Baltimore City Circuit Courts schedule with regards to late openings, early closings and full-day closures. Pick-up by the designated time is required and a late fee may be imposed.

I have read and understand the Play Centers, Inc. at The Waldorf School of Baltimore’s policy regarding emergency closings.

Parent Signature

Date

Child’s Name