

## EDNEY PRIMARY SCHOOL Adverse Weather Policy & Guidelines 2024

## **RATIONALE**

- There are specific adverse weather conditions that all students are to be safe/protected from, particularly during out of class times at either recess and/or lunch times.
- Adverse weather conditions may occur during summer excessive heat, prolonged heat wave, cyclonic (wind and rain), and Winter – wet days, strong winds (gale force) and other weather as determined by the Weather Bureau.

## **PURPOSE**

- To ensure that all staff know their 'Duty of Care' responsibilities during adverse weather conditions.
- To ensure that all students are safe/protected from the effects of adverse weather.

## **PROCEDURES**

- Prior to recess and/or lunch, a PA announcement will be made by Administration and students remain in classrooms.
- On temperatures above 32° lunch boxes will be kept in classrooms.
- PE will be in classrooms on days of adverse weather.