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Updated Weather Policy for MALT Teachers, Feb. 5. 2025

MALT follows the Philadelphia School District, within reason – if the schools are closed, please check our website or call the office to see if your class has been affected.

- We will put a message on our website homepage and we will update our voicemail message with instructions for classes affected.
- *If there is no message posted on our website*, then classes are going ahead as scheduled. If you have further concerns and feel like you need to cancel your class, you **must** call our office before 2:00 pm and talk to a MALT staff member (215-843-6333).

When do we decide? It depends on the storm, however here is a general guideline.

- Morning classes: We will decide the evening before the class.
- Afternoon and Evening classes: We will decide and let you know day-of-class by 1pm.
- Weekend classes: We will reach out to weekend teachers if a storm is approaching outside of our office hours. *If there is no message posted on our website, then assume that classes are going ahead as scheduled.*

What happens if my class is affected? We will connect with you, and if needed, the location of your class, to determine next steps. If your class is being canceled/postponed due to weather, we will email your students for you and send a mass robo-call. **It helps if you also email and call your students.**

When do we reschedule classes that are canceled due to weather? We will reschedule the class for the next week at the same time. Sometimes the location is not available, and we will work it out on a class-by-class basis.

Whenever there is a storm approaching, rest assured we are following the weather forecasts and want to keep our students and teachers safe.