



Modbury Special School

CATASTROPHIC FIRE DANGER POLICY

This policy will be effective for all students particularly those transported to Greenwith, Golden Grove, Fairview Park, Tea Tree Gully and all Hills areas.

Fire Danger Ratings:

<u>Catastrophic</u>
<u>Extreme</u>
<u>Severe</u>
<u>Very High</u>
<u>High</u>
<u>Low-Moderate</u>

Fire Ban Districts:

1 Adelaide Metropolitan

3 Kangaroo Island
4 Mid North
5 Yorke Peninsula
6 Murraylands
7 Riverland
8 Upper South East
9 Lower South East

2 Mount Lofty Ranges

10 Flinders
11 North East Pastoral
12 Eastern Eyre Peninsula
13 North West Pastoral
14 Lower Eyre Peninsula
15 West Coast

On days where a Catastrophic Fire Danger has been declared in your district the following procedures will apply.

- Modbury Special School is sited in the Adelaide Metropolitan Fire Ban District. If there is a Catastrophic Fire Danger declared for the Adelaide Metropolitan Area and if your child is transported to & from school the transport provider will not transport your child—**transport will be cancelled.**
- Should a Catastrophic Fire Danger be declared in other districts (eg Mt Lofty Ranges) the school will remain open however **all transport to & from the declared districts will be cancelled** (this will affect students living within the Adelaide Metro Area but whose transport accesses a declared district)
- We will make every effort to advise you as early as possible prior to the possibility of transport cancellation, however:
- **If fire danger warnings are updated on the day to *Catastrophic* then all transport to the affected districts will be cancelled.**
- All students would remain at school to be collected by a nominated carer at the end of the school day
- Please advise the school what procedure you will follow should a Catastrophic Fire Danger be declared.

Please complete the form below advising of your plans.

Further information on the fire ban districts & what area your street will be in can be found on the CFS Website at <http://www.cfs.sa.gov.au/site/home.jsp> and go to Fire Restrictions / Find your district and to confirm the fire ban status Fire Restrictions / Fire Bans

Student Name:

Class Unit:

I/We have read the above information & understand that should there be a Catastrophic Fire Danger warning there will be no transport provided. In the event of a Catastrophic Fire Danger being declared on the day, I/we will arrange the following to ensureis collected at the end of the school day.

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Parent Name:

Signed: