



PEDDIE SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are currently closely monitoring the possible path of Hurricane Earl, as of Wednesday morning a category three hurricane located in the Caribbean. At present, forecasters are predicting that the East Coast, and specifically New Jersey, will experience the effects, either directly or indirectly, of Earl beginning on Friday morning. Those effects could range from travel delays for incoming students, to possible heavy rains and power outages. The school has backup generators should the need arise.

Should you experience travel delays, please contact me. You may call my office (609.944.7505) during regular office hours from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. and my cell phone (609.903.5325) during the evening and early morning hours. We are most concerned with you arriving safely to Peddie and will accommodate whatever contingencies arise. Given the current track of the storm, and our guarded optimism that it will have passed through New Jersey by late Friday we plan to go ahead with Registration Weekend as scheduled. Should your travel be delayed please let us know when you expect to arrive on campus. We will get your child settled in and engaged in activities as quickly as possible.

We will continue to monitor the storm and will plan accordingly. Should conditions change we will provide you with updates via e-mail and the school Web site.

If you have any questions or comments about Registration Weekend and your child's arrival, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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