

17th November 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

As you know we were forced to close the school today for pupils at 11.40am.

This was due to a power-cut in the local area at approximately 10.10am. This left us without lighting, canteen provision and no computer/internet access to take registers. At this point we took the decision to close the school and sent communication home. Pupils were told that they could remain in school if they were unsure how they would get home safely at that time.

The National Grid responded with engineers who found that something had "tripped" within the network. They were able to restore the power shortly after.

Rockwood Academy will be **OPEN as normal from 8.40am tomorrow, Tuesday 18th November 2025.**

Thank you for your understanding.

Yours sincerely



Mr R Reeve
Headteacher