



Koenig Winter Recess Rules: The snow will be here to stay soon, and we want to make sure that every child has fun and stays safe at recess by following the Winter Recess Rules. We ask that all children come to school equipped for the snowy months ahead. This includes a warm jacket, snow pants, boots, hats, and mittens/gloves. Children who come prepared to play in the snow by wearing snow pants and boots will have access to the full playground on their recess. Those children without boots or snow pants will be asked to stay on the dry parts of the blacktop. With your support on following these cold weather guidelines, all students will be safe and have an enjoyable time on the playground.

Students are expected to obey directions given by all supervisors and adults while on the playground.

Please remember:

1. No throwing snowballs.
2. No sliding on the ice.
3. No whitewashes/facewashes (rubbing snow on someone's face or pushing someone's face in the snow).
4. No destroying other people's snow forts - this is unkind...there is plenty of snow for everyone to make their own forts. BE KIND and RESPECTFUL!
5. Do not place snow on slides.
6. No playing king of the mountain/hill-pushing kids off the snow hills.
7. Respect other people's space. Keep your hands and feet to yourself. No play fighting.
8. Use outdoor materials appropriately, so they do not break (shovels and block builders).

Consequences:

If you do not follow the rules above, you will be subject to the following disciplinary actions:

1. Time out against the wall
2. Referral to the office

*Boots and snow pants need to be worn in order to play in the snow.

Guideline for when outdoor recess will be held:

Wind Chill 1 degree and above = outdoor recess Wind Chill below 0 degrees = indoor recess

