

25th June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Further Update – Academy Closure on Friday 26th June 2026

Following my letter earlier this week regarding the academy's closure on Wednesday and Thursday, I am writing to provide a further update.

Over the past two days, we have continued to monitor the weather forecast, public transport information and conditions within the academy building. Having carefully reviewed all of the available information, the decision has been made, in conjunction with the Trust, that **BOA Digital Technologies Academy will remain closed on Friday 26th June 2026.**

Although temperatures are forecast to be slightly lower than those experienced over the past two days, they are still expected to reach around **32°C** in Birmingham, with an ongoing risk of heat-related illness. **Overnight temperatures have also remained exceptionally high, preventing the academy building from cooling sufficiently. As a result, internal temperatures remain uncomfortably high** and are not conducive to providing a safe, healthy and effective learning environment for either students or staff.

In addition, we have continued to review public transport information. Many of our students travel considerable distances to attend the academy and rely on rail and bus services. **Ongoing disruption, together with the continued risk of delays associated with the extreme weather, means that many students would still be required to undertake lengthy journeys in challenging conditions.**

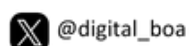
Whilst we appreciate that this additional day of closure may cause inconvenience, the safety and wellbeing of our students, families and staff must remain our overriding priority. After carefully considering all available information, we believe that remaining closed for one further day is the most responsible and proportionate course of action.

As with the previous two days, learning will continue remotely through Microsoft Teams. Students should access the lessons they would normally have on Friday, where teachers will provide work and guidance through the **Assignments** and **Announcements** sections.

Should any student require support with their online learning, they can contact ITHelp@boa-group.co.uk. Families may also contact staff via the MCAS app or email info@boa-digital.co.uk should they require any assistance.

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We anticipate reopening the academy as normal on Monday 29th June 2026 and look forward to welcoming all students and staff back. Based on the current forecast, we expect conditions to have improved sufficiently over the weekend. Should circumstances change, we will communicate with families as soon as possible.

Thank you once again for your understanding, patience and continued support throughout this exceptional period.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Morris', is written in a cursive style.

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