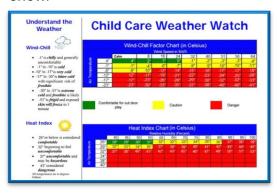




Weather-Permitting

Weather Permitting Means...

- There is no public health warning due to temperatures being too high or too low. (Use Child Care Weather Watch chart)
- No active precipitation such as rain or snow.



Modify Scheduled outdoor times as needed Scheduled outdoor times should be modified so children can go out if weather allows.

(If it rains in the morning but clears up...adjust schedule to go outside later.)

Unavoidable Health Risks If weather permits outdoor play, but unavoidable health risks are present, outdoor play is not required.

*When weather does not permit, allow for indoor gross motor experiences and provide indoor gross motor equipment as well.

Go Outside

- No active rain or snow
- Temperatures fall within the green on Weather Chart
- Muddy or wet playground
- Busy schedules
- Parents say kids can't go outside (unless Dr. note on file)

Temps in yellow:
Caution

Don't Go Outside*

- Active precipitation
- Temperatures in the red on weather chart
- Health hazards such as high levels of pollution
- Uncontrollable mosquitoes that pose a health risk
- Safety advisories in area
- Any serious hazards affecting the health of children



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