



CATASTROPHIC FIRE DAYS: DECD POLICY

The area west of Strathalbyn (including Eastern Fleurieu School) is in the Mt Lofty Fire District and east of Strathalbyn is in the Murraylands District. The border of Mt Lofty and Murraylands runs directly north east from Strathalbyn.

In terms of catastrophic days, the following will apply:

- If both **Mt Lofty & Murraylands** have been declared **catastrophic**, **no school buses** will operate.
- If **Mt Lofty** is declared **catastrophic** and Murraylands is not, **no school buses** will operate as Eastern Fleurieu School is in the Mt Lofty Fire Ban District.
- If Murraylands is declared **catastrophic** and Mt Lofty is not, the only school buses that will operate are **Treutler Road, Paris Creek, Ashbourne/Meadows and Kuitpo/Meadows.**

It is important that mobile numbers are correct in our data base as all bus families will be notified by sms if and when a **catastrophic** day is declared. If you need to update these details please do so in writing.

News services will also announce a **catastrophic** day on both radio and television and information will be updated on the CFS website.

Eastern Fleurieu bus runs are:

MT LOFTY DISTRICT: Ashbourne/Meadows (AS), Kuitpo/Meadows (KUITPO), Paris Creek (PC) and Treutler Road (LVW).

MURRAYLANDS DISTRICT: Langhorne Creek/Lake Plains (LAP), Langhorne Creek/Mulgundawa (LCRK), Milang/Clayton (MIL), Milang/Finniss (MF) and Woodchester (WCS)

ON DECLARED **CATASTROPHIC** DAYS ALL CAMPUSES, EXCEPT ASHBOURNE, WILL MOST LIKELY STILL BE OPEN.

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