

Winter Weather and School Operating Decisions

Ole' Man Winter is here and in conveying weather related school operating decisions, the District utilizes a variety of techniques to notify parents.

At 5:30 a.m., decisions regarding delays, cancellations, or use of alternative bus routes will be:

- Posted to the District **website**;
- Communicated on the District's **Facebook** page and **Twitter** feed;
- Transmitted via the **District App**;
- Updated on the **weather hotline** at **698-8080**;
- A **text message** to the cell number listed in parent records;
- Provided to news agencies.



If personnel determines school will be delayed in the morning, two time increments will be considered:

•**Two-Hour Delay**—This is the most common increment used.

•**Three-Hour Delay**—The District wants this option when it is projected to take longer for the weather to improve and extra time is needed to prepare facilities and transport students safely to school. Also, if school is DELAYED, morning preschool WILL BE cancelled. Afternoon preschool will run as scheduled, unless otherwise notified.

If school is not delayed or canceled, but alternate bus routes need to be used, then those routes will be utilized both morning and afternoon.

As always please be safe on these winter mornings.