

POLICY: AFC

## EMERGENCY CLOSINGS

The Superintendent may close schools or delay opening in any or all schools at his discretion for such conditions as insufficient heat, communicable diseases, civil disorder, or when weather conditions prevent the safe operation of school buses on major routes. Notice of such closing shall be given via radio stations as soon after 6:30 a.m. as possible. If schools must be closed during the school day, similar notice shall be given prior to dismissing students.

If road conditions change after schools have opened to prevent the safe return of children by school bus, notice shall be given as specified in the paragraph above and children dismissed only at the direction of their parents or other responsible individual.

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