

EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSINGS OR DELAYED STARTING TIME

Should it become necessary to close school by reason of weather or other emergencies, the superintendent may order the closing of the school. Notification of such closings will be given to the staff, students and public under the plan of notification developed by the superintendent and approved by the Board. The superintendent encourages the staff, parents/guardians and students to listen to the following radio and television stations for notification of school closings due to inclement weather:

Radio Stations:

KAOL	1430 AM	Carrollton	KGOZ	101.7 FM	Gallatin
KMZU	100.7 FM	Carrollton	KMMO	102.9 FM	Marshall
KCHI	1010 AM	Chillicothe	KTTN	92.3 FM	Trenton
KCHI	98.5 AM	Chillicothe			

Television Stations:

KQ 2	St. Joseph	KCTV 5	Kansas City
FOX 4	Kansas City	KMBC 9	Kansas City

The superintendent will also have the authority to delay the opening of school or to dismiss early because of weather conditions and other emergencies. If there is a delay in the opening of the school day, breakfast will not be served and preschool will be cancelled for that day.

If the district's school is dismissed due to inclement weather after school has been in session for three or more hours, that day shall be counted as a full day including kindergarten. If school has been in session for two or more hours and less than three hours, that session shall be counted as one half day. When the total hours lost due to inclement weather exceeds 12 hours, the time must be made up in half or full day additions to the school term.

On days when school is not in session because of inclement weather, there will be no student-related activities in the school building.