



Inclement Weather Procedures

Winter is upon us and as the chance of weather-related school closings increases we want to share some information with you about how Bridgeway handles such events.

Safety and Our Approach to Closing School

The safety and well-being of students, parents, and staff is always our first priority. When snow and/or ice is possible, we closely monitor weather reports and communication from public safety officials to determine if closing school is prudent.

Our default approach is to have school on normally scheduled days, unless it is unsafe to do so. A decision to close or delay school will be made no later than 6:00 a.m. Families and staff will be immediately notified once a decision has been made.

If a school day is canceled, then all extracurricular events including athletics (practices and games), drama, and clubs are also canceled. In the rare occasion that weather improvement permits an exception, the school will communicate so at that time.

If we have a delayed start, school will begin at 10:00 a.m.

How You Will Be Notified

If the decision is made to dismiss early, cancel a school day, or delay our start time, our **Calling Post System** as the first method of communication will notify you.

In addition to calling post, we will disseminate information regarding a school closing or a delayed start via:

- Email
- WSB TV (Channel 2)
- WSB Radio (AM 750 and FM 95.5)
- Facebook
- Twitter
- BCA Website

Make Up Days

Any extended school closure will likely result in making up some or all of the days missed. Once regular school resumes, a decision will be made by the administration as quickly as possible regarding any make-up days and when they will occur.

Online School

Unless there are widespread power and/or Internet outages during a school closure, our intent is to maintain a reasonable level of academic momentum by implementing online school. More information about this possibility will be emailed out if needed.