

EMERGENCY BULLETIN

The winter months occasionally bring weather conditions requiring school schedule delays or closures. We recommend that each family have a plan covering what to do when children arrive home early due to an emergency situation. Situations that should be discussed include:

- 1. If you live on a route included in the limited transportation plan, does your child know the location of the alternative stop?**
- 2. Where can they go if they need help?**
- 3. Who can care for him or her until you arrive?**
- 4. Is there someone your child could call to allay fears?**

Listen to the radio between 6:00 am and 8:00 am if the weather may create hazardous traveling conditions. Radio/TV stations will be announcing schedule changes by district name and number. **Emergency information is also available on the Internet at www.psecs.wednet.edu.** Please do not call the district office or the transportation office just to confirm delays or closures being broadcast by radio or television stations. Jammed telephone lines only compound emergencies. **If White River School District No. 416 is NOT mentioned, the schools will be open and buses will be on their regular schedules. Continue listening during this time. Conditions may require a revision of announced changes ranging from late or limited routes, to closed schools, as described below.**

Depending on weather conditions, you may receive an automated phone call either as the evening prior, or as early as 5:30 am the day of any school closures or schedule changes.

These radio/TV stations will be broadcasting school emergency information:

AM Stations		FM Stations		TV Stations
KCIS 630	KLAY 1180	KPLU 88.5	KUOW 94.9	KING 5 / KONG 6
KGRG 1330	KGY 1240	KGRG 89.9	KXXO 96.1	KIRO 7
KIXI 880	KENU 1330	KIRO 97.3	KGY 96.9	KOMO 4
KOMO 1000	KUOW 1340	KMPS 94.1	KCMS 105.3	KCPQ 13

Announcements will be in the following form:

SCHOOLS CLOSED: All schools will be closed all day. All meetings, field trips, after-school activities, athletics etc. are cancelled and may be rescheduled for a future date.

SCHOOLS OPEN - TWO HOURS LATE: (late starts on Mondays will be two hours late as counted from the regular Tuesday-Friday schedule start time) Bus schedules and school will begin two hours late. Students will be dismissed at the regular time unless announced. Listen to your radio for further announcements. When schools are two hours late, AM Half-Day Kindergarten, Preschool and ECEAP classes are cancelled.

LIMITED TRANSPORTATION: Bus service is limited due to road restrictions or weather conditions. See specific restrictions below.

NO HALF-DAY KINDERGARTEN, NO PRESCHOOL OR ECEAP PROGRAMS: There will be no half-day Kindergarten, preschool or ECEAP programs in the morning or afternoon.

NO OUT OF DISTRICT TRANSPORTATION: There will be no transportation to any programs outside our district for any students.

LIMITED TRANSPORTATION ROUTES FOR INCLEMENT WEATHER


Limited transportation routes are put into effect when road conditions in certain areas are judged hazardous for safe bus travel. (Remember: Buses may not be able to go to the same locations that a car or SUV may be able to go) Students will need to walk to the below designated stops to catch the bus.

➔ **IMPORTANT NOTE:** To eliminate confusion, students will be dropped off at the same location they were picked up from in the morning. This applies even if the weather conditions have improved during the day.

When we are operating on "LIMITED TRANSPORTATION" the modified routes/bus stops are in effect:

NORTH OF STATE ROUTE 410 E

All of 214th Av E from SR 410 E to Sumner Buckley Hwy: Students will be picked up and dropped off at 1st Home Depot driveway 

246TH Av E (Blessing Rd): Students will be picked up and dropped off at Sumner Buckley Hwy E & 246th Ave E 

SOUTH OF STATE ROUTE 410 E

SR 162 E-Spring Site Rd- Arline Rd-Keating Rd- South Prairie Carbon River Rd: Students will be picked up and dropped off at 121 Washington St (Town Hall) 

South Prairie Rd E between 234th Ave E to SR 162 E: Students will be picked up and dropped off in South Prairie at 121 Washington Street (Town Hall) and 234th Av E & 121st St Ct E 

610 Tubbs Rd-Third St & Tacoma St: Students will be picked up and dropped off at Emery St & 2nd St.

Fairfax-All Carbonado Stops-AP Tubbs RD and Black Tail Ridge: Students will be picked up and dropped off at 1221 Hillside Dr. (old Carbonado Tavern) and Pershing & Farm only.

Dead end of Larson Loss Rd & Sierra: Stop location will be picked up and dropped off at 153rd St E & 252nd Av Ct E (Sierra)

Lower Burnett: Students from Lower Burnett will be picked up at Burnett Store only.

Spiketon Rd: All students on Spiketon Rd will be picked up and dropped off at the intersection of Ryan Rd & Spiketon

Dead End-Entwhistle Rd: Stop location will be 234th Ave E & Entwhistle Rd E

Sign Up for Emergency Alerts! You can sign up to receive instant email messages from White River School District when school schedules change due to inclement weather or other emergency situations. Log in to www.SchoolReport.org and follow the directions on the site.

