

TRANSPORTATION IN INCLEMENT WEATHER

School district buses will not operate when weather conditions due to extreme cold, fog, rain, snow or other natural elements make it unsafe to do so. Because weather conditions may vary around the school district and may change quickly, the best judgment possible will be used with the information available.

The final judgment as to when conditions are unsafe to operate will be made by the superintendent. The superintendent will be assisted by the actual "on location" decisions and reports of the Director of Transportation.

When weather conditions deteriorate during the day after school has begun, cancellation notices will be announced by local media outlets and the district's informational computerized system. Students will be returned to their regular drop-off sites unless weather conditions prevent it. In that case, students will be kept at or returned to school until they are picked up by the parents.

Legal Reference: Iowa Code § 279.8 (2013).

Cross Reference: 601.2 School Day

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