## **WEATHER INFORMATION TO PARENTS**

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HORICON Horicon, Wisconsin

















## **Inclement Weather Procedures**

Inclement weather\* may force school authorities to delay school starting times, cancel school or dismiss school early. Delays are used because the two greatest hazards to driving in inclement weather are darkness and lack of visibility due to weather conditions. Consequently, when conditions warrant, you will be advised by Radio, Television [and their websites] along with School Messenger Alerts that school starts are to be delayed **two hours**.

1. In the event of inclement weather, please tune into the following radio and television stations for delayed starts, closings and early dismissals.

**RADIO** 

WBEV-AM 1430 WMDC-FM 98.7 **TV STATIONS** 

WTMJ-TV (NBC 4) WITI-TV (FOX 6) WISN-TV (ABC 12)

The first alert prior to 6:00 a.m. will either cancel school or give information regarding a late start. If we announce a late start busses will run approximately two hours later than normal. A second alert (no later than 8:00 a.m.) may be made to cancel school. Delayed openings will result in school beginning two hours later than normal start times. **AM 4 year old Kindergarten will not** be held on weather related late start days. All students will be dismissed at the usual times should delayed starts be necessary.

2. Should weather conditions force <u>early dismissal</u> of students, Radio, Television [and their websites] along with School Messenger Alerts will advise parents when school will be dismissed.

You may be assured that in all cases of closings, delayed starts or dismissals, the safety of children will be considered first. The normal procedure is to check with law enforcement agencies, the bus company and the weather service. Further, the school is tied into the Dodge County Weather Alert System.

Sincerely,

Rich Appel

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District Administrator

<sup>\*</sup>Dense fog may be considered inclement weather in addition to snow, ice, etc.