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# Weather Delay Schedule

## Information for Identified Schools

In an effort to increase student safety during winter months, Denver Public Schools would like to remind you of its Weather Delay Schedule for identified schools. **This schedule will delay schools that start at or after 8:30 a.m. for one hour. All other schools will proceed with their normal schedule.**

Your family is receiving this information because your student's school may be impacted by the Weather Delay Schedule. For a full list of identified schools, visit [weather.dpsk12.org](http://weather.dpsk12.org). The purpose of the Weather Delay Schedule is to provide school buses additional time to pick up students and reduce student wait time in severe weather. The decision to close or delay school will be made by the Superintendent based on information provided by representatives from the DPS Transportation Services, transportation agencies and the weather bureau.



### **If DPS schools are on a Weather Delay Schedule (start time is at 8:30 a.m. or later):**

- Morning school buses will run the delay schedule and begin pick-ups at bus stops one hour later than the normal pick-up time. (Example: If your morning school bus pick-up time is 7:55 a.m., your bus will pick-up at 8:55 a.m.)
- Students walking, biking, carpooling or taking RTD are encouraged to leave home one hour later than they would normally leave for school. (Example: If student leaves home at 7:45 a.m. for school, he/she would now depart at 8:45 a.m. to arrive on time to school.)
- ECE and kindergarten: Morning (AM) kindergarten will not be canceled. They will run in accordance with the delay. Afternoon (PM) preschool students will attend school and have bus service on their normal schedule.
- Breakfast will still be served to students as they arrive to school.



### **If DPS schools remain open during severe weather:**

- The district will monitor the weather throughout the day to ensure student safety.
- The required transportation will be provided. However, services may be modified to ensure bus driver and student safety.
- Traffic conditions may require students to spend additional time in route to school, special activities, programs or at home.
- If severe weather begins during the school day, a decision may be made regarding early dismissal.
- Bus routes will run in the same order as normally followed in the afternoon. Depending on conditions, arrival times at home may vary.
- After-school activities (athletic events, enrichment programs, etc.) may be modified or canceled as a result of the weather conditions.



### **If DPS schools are closed due to severe weather:**

- Transportation will not run any buses.
- All after-school activities, which include middle and high school sports, are canceled and transportation will not be provided for these activities.
- Please make the necessary plans for the care of your student in the event that school is canceled.



### **How will you be informed:**

In the event of inclement weather, district officials will make the decision by 5 a.m. If the decision is made to close or delay school, local television and radio stations will be notified immediately and broadcast regular announcements of school closures or delays. You can also visit the [thedenverchannel.com](http://thedenverchannel.com), [9News.com](http://9News.com), [kdvr.com](http://kdvr.com) and [denver.cbslocal.com](http://denver.cbslocal.com). Notifications in Spanish will be made on radio newscasts on 1150-AM, 1280-AM and 1090-AM.

**Bus Bulletin** - In the event that a Weather Delay or School Closure is called, families of transportation-eligible students will receive a Bus Bulletin notification. Families of transportation-eligible students are automatically enrolled to receive notifications. For more information visit [transportation.dpsk12.org/bus-bulletin](http://transportation.dpsk12.org/bus-bulletin). Email [transportation@dpsk12.org](mailto:transportation@dpsk12.org) with any questions.

**Weather.dpsk12.org** - Emergency school closures or weather delays will be posted on here and on [transportation.dpsk12.org](http://transportation.dpsk12.org).

**Social Media** - Announcements to close or delay school will also be posted to [Facebook.com/DenverPublicSchools](https://www.facebook.com/DenverPublicSchools), as well as @DPSnewsnow and @DPSschoolbus on Twitter.

**Hotlines** - A message denoting the closure or late start will also be left on the school district's closure hotline at 720-423-3200, as well as on the DPS Transportation hotline at 720-423-4600.



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<b>SCHOOL NAME</b>	<b>AM Bell Time</b>	<b>PM Bell Time</b>
Academia Ana Marie Sandoval	8:50 a.m.	3:50 p.m.
Asbury Elementary School	8:30 a.m.	3:15 p.m.
Bradley International School	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Bromwell Elementary School	8:30 a.m.	3:15 p.m.
Brown International Academy	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Carson Elementary School	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Charles M Schenck (CMS) Community School	8:55 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Collegiate Preparatory Academy	8:40 a.m.	3:55 p.m.
Cory Elementary School	8:45 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
Denison Montessori School	8:45 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
DS of Innovation & Sustainable Design	8:30 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Eagleton Elementary School	8:30 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
Edison Elementary School	8:45 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
Escalante-Biggs Academy	8:30 a.m.	3:10 p.m.
Fairview Elementary School	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Gust Elementary School	8:45 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
Hallett Academy	8:45 a.m.	3:50 p.m.
High Tech Elementary School	8:30 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Joe Shoemaker School	9:05 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Kaiser Elementary School	8:55 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Kunsmiller Creative Arts Academy ES	8:30 a.m.	3:50 p.m.
Kunsmiller Creative Arts Academy MS	8:30 a.m.	3:50 p.m.
Lena Archuleta Elementary	8:45 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Lincoln Elementary School	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Manual High School	8:45 a.m.	3:40 p.m.
Montclair School of Academics and Enrichment	8:50 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Palmer Elementary School	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Pascual LeDoux Academy	8:30 a.m.	3:10 p.m.
Place Bridge Academy	8:45 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Polaris Elementary School	8:45 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
Sabin World School	8:30 a.m.	3:15 p.m.
Sandra Todd-Williams Academy	8:30 a.m.	3:10 p.m.
Smith Elementary School	8:45 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
SOAR at Green Valley Ranch	8:40 a.m.	3:40 p.m.
Southmoor Elementary School	8:50 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Stedman Elementary School	8:45 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Stephen Knight Ctr for Early Education	8:30 a.m.	3:10 p.m.
Swigert International School	8:30 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
Traylor Academy	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
University Park Elementary School	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Valdez Elementary School	8:45 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Westerly Creek Elementary	9:00 a.m.	3:45 p.m.