School Closings and Delays

Occasionally, inclement weather or mechanical issues may force the district to delay the opening of school, close school or send children home early. This happens when, in the superintendent’s judgement, it is in the best interest of the health and safety of the students to do so.

**It is extremely important that you make sure:**

* The Guidance Department has up-to-date contact information for your child’s parents/legal guardians.
* Your Child knows what to do if school is cancelled, delayed or dismissed before the regularly scheduled time.

The district uses School Messenger to contact parents/legal guardians by phone in the event of a closing, delay or early dismissal. If you have not received a call from the district, school will be in session. Notice is also posted on the district website ([www.richfieldcsd.org](http://www.richfieldcsd.org)) and sent to the following media outlets:

* **Television:** WKTV, YNN, WUTQ, WSKG, WFXV, WSYR, WUTR
* **AM Radio:** WDOS 730, WIBX 950
* **FM Radio:** WSRK 103.9, WZOZ 103.1, Big Frog 104, Lite 98.7, Oldiez 96.1, KISS 97.9, Big Country 104.3, WVTL 104.7
* **Web:** [www.thedailystar.com](http://www.thedailystar.com), [www.uticaod.com](http://www.uticaod.com), [www.richfieldcsd.org](http://www.richfieldcsd.org)

These rules not only apply to the district but to Head Start.