





INCLEMENT WEATHER BULLETIN - for PARENTS

FOREST PINES DRIVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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If inclement weather occurs, listen to local television and radio stations for information regarding school closings, delays, or early dismissals. We do not receive notification any earlier than the news media. If you do not have access to television/radio, you can also check WRAL.com, WCPSS.net for announcements, or our Twitter feed @FPDES. Further information follows:

- ❖ If Wake County Schools are closed due to inclement weather, Forest Pines Elementary will be closed.
- ❖ If Wake County Schools are delayed due to inclement weather, Forest Pines Elementary will delay as well.
- If schools are delayed:
 - Sometimes the first message to go out is a delay (one to two hours) and then the decision will be made to close school. Continue to listen to the news to be sure there is not a change.
 - The Before School Care program will also be delayed for the same amount of time.
 - o Any meeting scheduled before school will be cancelled and rescheduled.
 - No breakfast will be served in the cafeteria.
- ❖ In the event of early release due to inclement weather:
 - o It is imperative that you have a back-up plan for your child (a neighbor, for example) in case your child gets home before you do due to an early closing. Reminder, all K-1st students must have a responsible adult waiting for them at their bus stop. This plan should also include which parent will contact the school if changes are to occur.
 - o Please call the school only if your child's mode of transportation changes.
 - If school closes early or after school activities are cancelled, the YMCA is closed. The director of the YMCA contacts parents to inform them. Parents need to contact Forest Pines Elementary to inform us of the student's new mode of transportation.
 - Any meeting scheduled after school will be cancelled and rescheduled.
- ❖ If your child receives transportation from other before or after school programs, please contact them directly.

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