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FRANKLIN CUSD #1 WINTER WEATHER PROTOCOLS 1-6-26

SNOW DAY POLICY

Now that we are entering the Winter Weather portion of the school year, I wanted to share our Snow Day Policy with you. In the event of a snow event, we will be following weather forecasts and make the best decisions possible. Again, this year we will be taking traditional "Snow Days" when weather dictates. We will do our best to call school the night before; however, it is sometimes impossible to do so with late developing storm systems. We will definitely call school or declare a "Late Start" by 6 am. This news will be posted on News Channel 20's web page, Jacksonville radio stations, WLDS/WEAI, WJIL and WRMB, the Franklin web page, Facebook and an All-Call will be sent out. We have built in 5 snow days into our school calendar at the end of the year.

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Late Start School Day Policy

A Late Start school day may be initiated on days when the weather is threatening with snow, ice, or extreme wind chills, but conditions are expected to get better as the day progresses. The decision will be made the night before, if possible, or at least by 6:00 a.m. that morning. Parents will be notified as soon as possible using our automated phone system. The Late Start time for Franklin JH/HS, Franklin Elementary and East Grade will be 10:05 a.m. The bus fleet will start their routes on Late Start days between 8:00 and 8:30 a.m. On Late Start days, there will be no morning Pre-K classes. All Staff will be at school by 9:40 am. Doors will open at 9:45 am at all buildings. School will begin at 10:05 am.

Late Start Schedule for Jr-Sr High:

10:05 am students report to their 3rd Hour Class. It will be a shortened period. The rest of the day will be a regular schedule.

Extracurricular Events:

As a general rule, if school is cancelled due to weather, all events / practices will be cancelled. There may be some exceptions that will be decided on a case- by- case basis.

Great things happen when we work together!