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MEDFORD AREA PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

DATE ADOPTED:	**February 19, 1980**	**FILE SECTOR:**	**SUPPORT SERVICES**
DATE REVISED:	**December 19, 1991**	**POLICY TITLE:**	**EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSING**
DATE REVISED:	**March 19, 1998**		
DATE REVISED:	**January 17, 2000**		
DATE REVISED:	**December 16, 2004**		
DATE REVISED:	**January 17, 2013**		
DATE REVISED:	**August 21, 2014**		
DATE REVIEWED:	**June 23, 2016**		
DATE REVIEWED:	**June 22, 2017**		

The district administrator or his/her designee shall have the authority to close, evacuate or delay openings in one or more of the district schools in the event of inclement weather or other emergencies which threaten the health or safety of students and staff or property of the district.

Area radio and television stations shall be notified as early as reasonable on any day that schools are closed, evacuated, or under a delayed start due to inclement weather or other emergency. Information will also be available on the district website and/or by email or text notification.

The district administrator or his/her designee shall develop other necessary plans for the closing, evacuation or early dismissal of schools. Inclement weather days and days missed due to other emergencies leading to school cancellation or evacuation may be made up upon review by the board of education.

CROSS REFERENCE: EBCE, JFI, & KKA, & Employee Handbooks
LEGAL REFERENCE: §115.01(10) and §121.02(1)(f), Wis. Stats., PI 8.01(2)(f), Wis. Admin. Code