



INCLEMENT WEATHER PROCEDURES

East Texas weather is unpredictable and, from time to time, requires closing of school. There are several factors considered before a decision is made to close school for the day, delay opening or dismiss early. The primary factors are 1) health and safety of students and staff; 2) transportation of students from home to school and back; and, 3) the disruption caused by closing school or starting the day late.

If inclement weather moves into the Nacogdoches ISD area, the Superintendent will make a decision to delay or cancel school on the day in question. If conditions worsen during regular school hours, a decision will be made as soon as possible to determine if early release is needed. Because of the vagaries of forecasting – particularly during an East Texas winter – sometimes the decision must be made at the latest possible time.

Decisions made by the Superintendent regarding closing school or delaying the start time will apply to students and all NISD staff, except for certain pre-notified personnel.

Below is the Nacogdoches ISD procedure for inclement weather:

- After reaching an assessment of weather conditions utilizing our contacts with Texas Department of Public Safety, Nacogdoches County, Nacogdoches Police Department and the National Weather Service, the Superintendent will determine by 4 a.m. whether school will be delayed or canceled outright. While road conditions may vary based on location, the Superintendent's decision will be based on conditions within the entire district.
- By 5 a.m., NISD will make every effort to begin notification of students, parents and staff.
- Once the decision is made, the information will be distributed through:
 - NacISD.org website
 - Facebook @nacogdoches.isd
 - Twitter @NacISD
 - District call-out using the School Messenger alert system. (Please make sure your contact information is updated with campuses.)

TELEVISION STATIONS: KTRE (Channel 9), KETK (56), KLTV (7), CBS-19.

RADIO STATIONS: KSWP 90.9 FM, KLDN 88.9 FM, KYKS 105.1 FM, Q107.7 FM, KSML 101.9 FM, KYBI 100.1 FM.