

The length of the school day for staff and for students shall be published on the school's website and each year as part of the school district handbooks which are approved by the Board. The district operates a full day kindergarten and half-day pre-school.

The annual hours of direct pupil instruction will be computed utilizing the days of student attendance and the daily instructional schedules. The instructional schedules shall omit those times, such as lunch, specifically not allowed by state guidelines.

Cancellation of school days due to inclement weather:

1. When school is closed due to inclement weather prior to the buses making their morning pick-up, the following shall prevail:

a. No activities shall be scheduled prior to 12:00 noon.

b. When weather conditions improve prior to 12:00 noon, the school principal shall confer with the district administrator and provide notice to the athletic director whether an afternoon or evening activity could be scheduled. Student participation in practice on these days is not required.

2. When school is closed due to inclement weather, after school has commenced, no school-sponsored activity will be held after dismissal.

The District works with Weather Central, which contacts the Superintendent when the weather forecast calls for snow, sleet, hazardous conditions due to blowing and drifting, and temperatures/wind chills below zero. The Superintendent makes the decision after consulting with the Transportation Supervisor, other area superintendents, and Weather Central.

Schools are closed when actual air temperatures are 20 degrees below zero, or wind-chill factors of 30 degrees below zero.

Legal Reference: Wisconsin Statutes 121.02 (1) (f), 120.12 (15)

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