



We Are Your Schools

How FWCS makes weather-related decisions



We prepare

We watch the forecast and track weather systems, often days in advance.



We consult

We consult with local police departments, highway departments and nearby school districts.



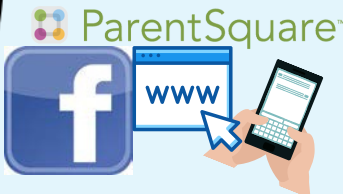
We check the roads

Beginning at 4 a.m., Transportation staff members drive various types of roads (city, rural, highway) in various areas of the district to determine if conditions allow for safe travel.



We decide

The decision to delay must be made by 5 a.m. before buses leave for the day. Closures are determined by 7 a.m.



We deliberate

The Transportation Director consults with staff and district administrators. The decision is shared with the Superintendent.



We consider

- Student safety
- Modes of transportation
- Current conditions
- Forecast conditions
- Temperature



We communicate

- By 5:30 a.m., we post on:
- FWCS website
 - Social media
 - ParentSquare
 - Local news

eLearning/Remote Learning

If in-person learning is canceled, students will have an eLearning or Remote Learning day. Teachers will post assignments to Schoology for students to complete.

Parent Prerogative

If parents believe their child's route to school is not safe, students will be granted an excused absence. Parents must call the school to notify them the student will be absent because of severe weather.