



WAUSAU SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dr. Keith W. Hiltz, Superintendent of Schools

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Dear Wausau School District Staff:

Happy Thursday!

We have a couple of important reminders to share with you:

First: Tomorrow, January 12, is the end of the quarter. That means there are no AM/PM Pre-K Classes and our elementary schools will dismiss for the day at 11:30 a.m. for record-keeping purposes. Our secondary schools will have classes as normal. Monday, January 15, is a Professional Development Day so there are no classes for ALL students.

That said, as you are probably aware, there is a potential winter storm headed our way for tomorrow (1/12). We want you to know that we are monitoring the situation, with the help of local meteorologists, as well as the National Weather Service. We're also in contact with First Student, our busing company, as well as other local school districts and will be throughout the day. While we don't know what tomorrow looks like just yet, from a school standpoint, we want you to know that your safety and the safety of our students is and will always be our top priority. Keep in mind that if we do need to cancel school because of the weather, it will be a traditional snow day. That means NO virtual learning. If that ends up being the case:

- Teachers, Clerical, Para and Nutrition staff do NOT report to school for work.
- Custodian and Maintenance staff are to report to work at their regular location, unless assigned to an alternate location from the Director of Buildings and Grounds, as soon as safety allows.

We also want to remind you about how snow-day communication works. We will ALWAYS call you and send you an email. If you don't answer, it's okay. The system will leave you a voicemail, too. We will also post any school closings on our social media channels, including Facebook and Instagram, as well as our website - wausauschools.org. School closings will also be available on our local TV channels, (WAOW, WSAW, and WJFW), as well as local radio stations, and newspapers.

If you are not receiving our communication, please respond to this email and/or reach out to communications@wausauschools.org right away. We will immediately work to figure out what's going on so that you start receiving information again.

As always, thank you for everything you do! We're so fortunate to have you on our team!

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