

Inclement Weather

Parents or guardians should judge the advisability of sending children to school during adverse weather conditions. Parents may choose to keep their children home or pick their children up from school during adverse weather whenever they feel it is in the best interest of the child. Children will not be counted absent when parents report that school was missed because of adverse weather; however, students will be responsible for all work missed.

If the Superintendent decides to cancel school, a bulletin will be aired on television, radio, and through a District wide mass communication system and it may be before 6:30 a.m. In case of dismissal decisions made after school has started, the Superintendent will air announcements immediately following the decision to dismiss school and send children home.

Legal References: SDCL 13-26-1 through 13-26-2; 13-26-4 through 13-26-4.1; 13-26-9 through 13-26-17

Contract Reference: BHEA Master Agreement

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