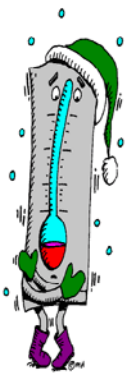


## Some important reminders:



### **Winter is here and temperatures are changing . . .**

Our students still go out for outdoor recess when air temperatures begin to change. Please be sure to dress your child according to the weather – coats, mittens, scarves, hats, etc.

Procedures to follow if school is delayed in opening, closed for the day, or closing early for the day.....

**Families will receive a call from the “One Call Now System” regarding school closing information.**

The school building personnel do not make the decisions regarding school closings. **Therefore, it is very important the school telephone lines remain open during weather emergencies so important weather related information can be received.**

**This is what you can do in a snow emergency:**

- **CALL** the Upper Moreland School District Emergency Info-Line @ **215-830-1508**.
- **WATCH** Comcast cable channel **60** or Verizon cable channel **37 Bear News Network** for the most up-to-date information.
- **LISTEN** to **KYW News Radio 1060** for our Emergency Number **310**.
- **TUNE** your television to one of these stations and watch for “Upper Moreland School District”: NBC Channel **10**, WPVI Channel **6**, KYW Channel **3**, or Fox Network’s “Good Day Philadelphia”, Channel **29**.
- **VISIT** any of these websites:
  - [www.kyw1060.com](http://www.kyw1060.com)
  - [www.WPVI.com](http://www.WPVI.com)
  - [www.NBC10.com](http://www.NBC10.com)

### **Students in the Before Care Program:**

In the event that there is a delayed opening due to weather conditions, our Before School Program will follow the delayed schedule. Example: If the district is opening on a 2 hour delayed schedule, the Before Care Program will be open at 9:15 AM; if the district is opening on a 1 hour delayed schedule, the Before Care Program will begin at 8:15 AM. Parents are asked to bring their children to the Cafetorium on those days to be sure supervisory personnel are present. **If school is closed due to weather conditions, the Before School Program will not be held.**

### **What will happen in the event schools would need to close early due to an emergency or inclement weather during school hours . . . .**

**Again, families will receive a call from the “One Call Now System” regarding school closing information.**

**The office and teachers will follow the EMERGENCY DISMISSAL plan you chose on the Student Information Sheet that was completed at the start of the school year.**

**No phone calls will be made by the school staff nor can any changes to the dismissal plan be changed by the teachers or office staff regarding the early dismissal. Please review the plan you chose with your child.** If you need to check on the dismissal plan you chose, please feel free to call the office on a non-emergency dismissal day. If the plan you chose does not work out after experiencing an emergency early dismissal, please contact the office to complete a new Student Information Form.

**It is very important the school telephone lines remain open during weather related or emergency early dismissals so that information can be received by the police department, school administration, etc.** Please follow the directions for what you can do during a snow emergency for information.

If you have any change to work phone numbers, cell phones, or contact information, please write a note addressed to the office with this information and send it in with your child. New forms will be sent home and your help in completing the forms and returning them to the school promptly is appreciated as emergency situations are unpredictable.