

# BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

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RESOURCES/COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE

## **WORK DAYS - INCLEMENT WEATHER**

### A. PURPOSE

To provide information and guidance regarding the operation of schools, Central Office, and satellite offices during periods of inclement weather.

### B. ISSUE

Inclement weather may impact transportation, safety, and operational issues. As a result, it may be advisable that Anne Arundel County Public Schools and offices delay opening, dismiss early, or close their facilities.

### C. POSITION

- 1. Safety of students and staff is the foremost concern and consideration when determining the impact inclement weather has on school and office openings.
- 2. Clear communication shall be provided to students, staff, and parent(s)/guardian(s) regarding delayed openings, early dismissals, or closures of schools and/or offices as a result of inclement weather.

#### D. IMPLEMENTATION

The Superintendent is authorized to develop regulations to implement this policy.

Policy History: Adopted on 09/02/15

Note previous policy history: Replaces Policy 800.08, adopted <u>09/03/74</u>