



SCHOOL DELAY/CLOSURES FOR INCLEMENT WEATHER

The **primary notification method for delayed starts and closures will be via a text message** from 1-833-568-6892. We will also provide an email, along with messages on our school website and Facebook page. Secondly, we will notify local television stations 5/30, 11, 13, and 21 as well as most major Colorado Springs radio stations.

PPCS will place a great deal of reliance on the road conditions information gathered by Districts 11 and 20. We must, however, make PPCS decisions based on the entire local area because of the large number of our families living outside the district in which the school resides.

Delayed start classes will begin at 10:00 am. Parents should have alternate plans as there will be no school, Day Care, or Detention prior to 10:00 am on days with delayed starts. Morning Preschool will be dismissed at 12:00 pm instead of 11:30 am on delayed start days. Middle/High school students should report to their first period classes when PPCS has a delayed start.

PPCS does not delay or cancel school solely due to cold temperatures. This is due to PPCS students being transported by parents or guardians vs a bus system or walking regularly to school.

Parental discretion is always advised as to whether conditions are sufficiently safe to bring students to school.

The tardy and missing assignment policies will be relaxed whenever weather conditions affect the time a student arrives.

Athletic Events

Decisions regarding scheduled sports activities are made on a case-by-case basis. Decisions to cancel evening sports activities are made by 2 pm on game days, upon mutual agreement by the athletic directors. The Athletic Department will communicate cancellations via email and the sports schedule on our webpages.