
Date: November 14, 2018

To: The Parents and Guardians of Students Who Reside in the Hancock ES/MS/HS School Districts

From: Pupil Transportation Office

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT INCLEMENT WEATHER DECISIONS IN THE “HANCOCK WEATHER ZONE”

The Washington County Public School System has in place an inclement weather zone in the Hancock area. Establishing this inclement weather zone will allow the school system more flexibility to delay or possibly close the Hancock Weather Zone, while allowing the rest of the county schools to open on time.

The **Hancock Weather Zone (HWZ)** is defined as the attendance area for Hancock Elementary, and the Middle/High school. This area will impact all students that live in in the HWZ, including those who are enrolled in a school or program outside of this area.

The following scenarios are possible:

Two Hour Delay for the HWZ Only - All students will be transported two-hours later than normal. Students attending schools outside of the Hancock attendance zone will also be transported on a two-hour delayed schedule. Parents can choose to transport their students for normal arrival at schools outside of the Hancock attendance zone.

School Closed for the HWZ Only – No transportation will be provided to students. Parents can choose to transport their students for daily attendance at schools outside of the Hancock attendance zone.

Two Hour Early Dismissal for the HWZ – All students will be transported two hours earlier than normal. Students attending schools outside of the attendance zone will also be transported two hours early.

If you have any questions regarding this communication, please contact your student(s) school or the Pupil Transportation Office at 301.766.2902.