



EAST ALLEGHENY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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To: All Parents/Students
From: Jamie Griesbaum, Secretary to Superintendent
Date: February 8, 2021
Re: **Transportation Procedures; Inclement Weather**

With the implementation of Flexible Instruction Days at the EASD, we have determined that clarification regarding cancellation/delay of transportation to outside schools is necessary. A new procedure has been developed to help alleviate some of the problems that recently were encountered.

Mr. Alan Johnson, EASD Superintendent, will make calls due to inclement weather that will affect transportation to school. Students living within our District and being transported to your school by ATS, Inc. will be affected.

Any information regarding EASD transportation decisions will be posted and shared via robocall/email/text, on news stations: WPXI, WTAE and KDKA, our website and our facebook page.

Please note that the EASD will NOT be directly informing students enrolled in outside schools of transportation cancellation or delays.

The following procedure will be followed:

- Mr. Johnson will, whenever possible, and with the help of local police departments and ATS, Inc. decide on cancellations and/or delays of school by 5a.m.
- There are **4 options** that will be utilized to communicate the decision regarding closures/delays:
 1. **Remote, NO transportation.** – EASD students will be on a Flexible Instruction day. And will participate via remote instruction following a regular schedule. *There will be NO transportation to any outside schools.* This day will not need to be made up by EASD students.
 2. **School Closed** – EASD will be fully closed. No remote instruction for EASD students, *No transportation for any outside schools.* This day will need to be made up.
 3. **Remote, 2 hour delay for transportation** – EASD students will be on a Flexible Instruction day and will participate in learning via remote instruction following a regular schedule. *Private/Parochial/Charter school transportation will be on a 2 hour delay.*
 4. **2 hour delay** – Transportation for EASD and all outside schools is on 2 hour delay.

If you have any questions regarding transportation calls, please contact the bussing company, ATS, Inc.

We recommend and request that you please communicate this information to your East Allegheny District students.

Thank you.