

Banks School District 13

Code: **EBCD**
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Orig. Code(s): EECB

Emergency Closures

The superintendent is empowered to close the district schools or to dismiss them early in the event of hazardous weather or other emergencies which threaten the health or safety of students and personnel.

In making the decision to close schools, the superintendent shall consider many factors, including the following principal ones relating to the fundamental concern for the safety and health of students:

1. Weather conditions, both existing and predicted;
2. Driving, traffic and parking conditions, affecting public and private transportation facilities;
3. Actual occurrence or imminent possibility of any emergency condition which would make the operation of schools difficult or dangerous;
4. Inability of teaching personnel to report for duty, which might result in inadequate supervision of students.

Information concerning school closures will be broadcast on area radio stations.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

OR 437-002-0360
OR 437-002-0377
OR 581-022-1420

OR 581-022-1620
OR 581-053-0002

Cross Reference(s):

EEAC - School Bus Safety Program