Cornerstone Christian School

Cancellations and School Closing Information

Severe weather can cause conditions that require the school to be closed – or to close early after the children are already at school. Examples of severe weather may include snow, ice conditions, hurricanes, and flooding.

We follow East Ramapo School District delays and closings as our school is located in this district. Parents should check the following for announcements about Cornerstone.

TV: **NEWS 12**

CCS WEBSITE: www.ccsny.org
SOCIAL MEDIA: FB - Facebook

SCHOOL PHONE: Message on Phone Voicemail

ONE CALL NOW: Phone Messaging System

Early School Closing While School is in Session

There may be a need to send the children home early. The school district bus companies will alert the CCS office if they are picking up students early due to the weather.

An attempt will be made to contact parents using the "One Call Now" phone messaging system with the two phone numbers you have given us, as well as, e-mails from CCS office, Facebook, and our CCS website. All bused students will be sent home on their bus when it arrives at CCS, unless previously notified that the student will be picked up.

Important Notice

- When you receive a message, in order to leave the phone lines open, we ask that you do not call the office, instead please listen to the message first.
- Parents should have an <u>ALTERNATE PLAN</u> in the event that someone is not home when a student arrives home due to an early school closing.
- Students should know in advance where to go if no one is home or whom to call once they are home. Kindergartners are not allowed off the bus if no one is at the stop to receive them. If no one is at the stop, the student will be brought to the Bus Transportation Center or sometimes back to school for parents to pick him/her up.
- Parents who plan to have other CCS parents pick up their child on an early dismissal should have a note on file in the CCS office.

^{**} Even if you don't see much snow a prediction of worsening conditions can still close school.

^{**} A delayed opening may change to a school closing, so check again before you send your children out to the bus stop or drive to school.