

Creswell School District 40

Code: **GCKC/GDKC**
Adopted: 4/10/91; 5/8/91
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Orig. Code(s): 3420, 3421; 4450-4453

School Closure

The Board authorizes the superintendent to close schools in the event of hazardous weather or other emergencies which present threats to the safety of students, school staff or school property. This may apply to all schools or to an individual school.

When a decision is made to close school or have a late opening when employees are at home, they will be notified through phone trees set up at each building. School closure information will also be broadcast over area radio stations. However, depending on each employee's own circumstances, he/she must individually decide if it is safe to attend school.

When schools are closed the following guidelines will apply:

1. Employees expected to report to work will be contacted by the building principal regarding delays or closures;
2. Time missed by an employee due to school closure or late opening will need to be made up through arrangement with the building principal;
3. An employee failing to report or make up time missed will not be paid for that day.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

OAR 437, Subdivision 2/Z
[OAR 581-022-1420](#)
[OAR 581-022-1620](#)
[OAR 581-053-0002](#)