

**South Wasco County  
School District 1**

Code: **EBCD**  
Adopted: 2/04/97  
Readopted: 12/11/13  
Orig. Code(s): EBCD

**Emergency Closures\*\***

In case of fog, snow, ice or other hazardous or emergency conditions the superintendent may alter school and bus schedules as are appropriate to the particular emergency. Such alterations include closure of the school, delayed opening of school and early dismissal of students.

The superintendent will develop and maintain such plans and procedures as are necessary to carry out alternate school and bus schedules.

Students, parents/guardians and staff will be informed at the beginning of each school year of the procedures which will be used to notify them in case of an emergency closure.

Each day will be considered separately and school **will** be in session, unless an announcement is made that it will not.

In the event of a situation beyond the control of the Board which requires the closing of the schools, the school year will, absent of Board action, be extended to compensate for the number of days lost.

Licensed and classified staff will adhere to the language set forth in the contract.

END OF POLICY

---

**Legal Reference(s):**

[OAR 437-002-0360](#)  
[OAR 437-002-0377](#)  
[OAR 581-022-1420](#)  
[OAR 581-022-1620](#)  
[OAR 581-053-0004](#)

**Cross Reference(s):**

EEAC - School Bus Safety Program