
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

February 6th, 2017

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As you know, we are experiencing rather extreme weather conditions and the forecast is calling for substantially more snow on Monday night. We will make every attempt to keep our schools open on Tuesday; however, normal school activities may need to be adjusted if all staff cannot travel safely to work.

Safety is our priority and I ask that parents use extreme caution during this treacherous time and if it is deemed that a child cannot travel safely to school, that advance alternate arrangements be made for their child. Student absences due to unsafe travel to school during inclement weather conditions will be excused.

Once again, in rare instances where a school closure is warranted, the decision will be made by 6:30 a.m. at the latest and will be announced over the radio stations CKNW AM 980 and CKWX AM 1130. We will also post all closures on our website <http://newwestschools.ca/>

We encourage parents to make advance alternate plans in the event of an unexpected school closure.

If you have any questions, please contact your school principal.

Sincerely,
Pat Duncan
Superintendent of Schools