

INSTRUCTION

School Closure

The superintendent may order the closure of schools in the event of extreme weather or other emergency, in compliance with established procedures for notifying parent(s) or guardian(s), students and staff.

School closures for reasons other than extreme weather or temporary emergencies must follow state law, which requires citizen involvement through public hearings.

Legal References:	RCW 28A.150.290(2)	State superintendent authorized to make rules regarding emergency school closure
	RCW 28A.335.030	Emergency school closures exempt from RCW 28A.335.020
	WAC 392-129	Finance – Emergency School Closure

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