

Transportation Policy For Snow Days and Delayed Openings

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The cancellation of school or delayed openings will vary according to out of town programs and their policies as well as Arlington's own decisions.

Cancellation: All bus routes will follow Arlington's decision if school is cancelled. That means even if we transport students attending another school district where school has not been cancelled transportation will be suspended for the day.

Delayed Openings: All bus routes will follow Arlington's decision if school is delayed. This will affect all students transported. A one hour delay or two hour delay reported in Arlington will also carry over to all out of town programs or schools transported.

Pre-School Programs: Transportation for Arlington Heights Nursery, Menotomy Pre-School, Integrated Pre-School and Dallin Pre-School "Am" programs only will be cancelled during any delayed openings. "Pm" transportation will remain on schedule.

Lexington LABB: A one hour delay reported from Lexington will not affect transportation to the LABB program. All students will be transported according to their regularly scheduled pick up times. However, for a two hour delay, students will be picked up one hour later than normally scheduled. The reason for this change is because all Lexington High School schedules begin at 7:30 am, one hour before LABB is scheduled.

Please Note: Throughout the winter months pick up times may vary due to traffic conditions, road blocks, or icy streets. Please be patient and have your student ready to avoid more delays. Afternoon storms or heavy accumulations of snow may be cause for an early release schedule from school or cancellation of afternoon programs. Please make sure a parent or guardian is available to receive children when the bus arrives home early on these days. Students living in inaccessible areas or on steep hills may have to make arrangements to meet their bus at a different location, please speak to your driver for these changes. Make sure all your emergency phone numbers or work numbers are updated at your school and the transportation office so we can notify you of any changes or emergencies. The transportation office may be reached by calling Karen Tassone at (781)-316-3505 8:00 am - 4:00 pm or leave a voice message at (781)-316-3503 anytime after hours.