



801.5AP Emergency School Closure

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LEGAL REFERENCE:

- Education Act, Section 62

CROSS REFERENCE:

- [701.11AP Jurisdictional Bus Cancellations](#)
 - [701. 12AP Bus Contractor/Driver Bus Cancellations](#)
 - [801.4AP Emergency Procedures](#)
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PROCEDURES

1. If a closure is necessary, the principal will contact the Superintendent, who shall decide on the school closure.
2. If it is safe, one staff member shall be assigned to remain in the school during regular school hours to ensure that students have access to shelter.
3. The principal shall ensure that parents/guardians are notified of school closures.
4. If students are unable to return home, safe accommodation will be arranged and the parents/guardians will be notified.