

School Closures

School Closure Message 206-463-2882 ext 3
District Office 206-463-2121
Bus Garage 206-463-2525

During periods of extreme weather and/or power outages, radio/TV stations will report closures and changes of schedule. You may access the latest information at www.vashonsd.org or www.schoolreport.org. You can call Chautauqua, or the School District Office, or the Bus Garage for a recorded message with updated information on school closures. You can also listen to the following radio and/or television stations for updated information:

- **AM STATIONS:**
 - KCIS 630, KIRO 710, KIXI 880, KOMO 1000, KYCW 1090, KLAY 1180, KRKO 1380
- **FM STATIONS:**
 - KPLU 88.5, KSER 90.7, KVTI (I-91) 90.9, KLSY 92.5, KUBE 93.3, KMPS 94.1, KUOW 94.5, KBSG 97.3, KAYO 99.3, KMTT 103.7, KCMS 105.3, KRWM 106.9
- **TELEVISION STATIONS:**
 - KOMO TV 4, KING TV 5, KONG TV 6, KIRO TV 7, KCPQ TV 13

If information regarding Vashon Island Schools is not mentioned, school will be held as usual and transportation will not be changed. The following are the options when it becomes necessary to close schools or change the starting time for the day.

- **Schools Closed** This announcement means all schools will be closed for one day. When schools are closed, all activities planned for public school buildings will be canceled, including meetings, field trips, after-school activities, etc.
- **Emergency Bus Routes** This announcement means that emergency bus routes are operating.
- **2 Hours Late** Chautauqua Elementary School starts at 11:00 am (Tardy at 11:10)

Half-day Kindergarten and Preschool Program classes may be in session dependent on the weather, transportation and other conditions that are the cause of the late start. Bus transportation will also depend on the conditions. Full day Kindergarten will be in session according to the announcement. Check the emergency bulletins for specific information.

DUE TO ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS, PLEASE ADVISE CHILDREN TO STAND IN A VISIBLE LOCATION AS FAR AWAY FROM THE ROAD AS POSSIBLE. SLIPPERY SURFACES CREATE HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS FOR BUSES WHEN COMING TO A COMPLETE STOP.