



2012 - 2013

Anacortes School District ADVERSE WEATHER INFORMATION

Please keep this card in a safe, convenient location for future reference throughout the snow/ice season.



ADVERSE WEATHER BUS ROUTE CHANGES

Note: The Bus that stops at the adverse stops may be a different bus than your normal route bus in some instances.

- Timing at adverse stops could be several minutes earlier or later than normal stop times. Please be aware of this and plan accordingly.
- Special Needs Riders will be given information for changes to their bus stop in case of adverse weather as needed.

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| 1. Padilla Heights Rd. | Students catch bus at Padilla Heights Rd. and Reservation Rd. |
| 2. Satterlee Rd. from Gibraltar to Christensen | Students catch bus at Satterlee & Christensen |
| 3. Biz Point Rd. | Students catch bus on Rosario Rd. |
| 4. Sharpe Rd. | Students catch bus at Lake Erie Store or on Rosario Rd. |
| 5. Rosario Rd. from Lake Erie Store & Rosario Wye | Students meet bus at Lake Erie Store. |
| 6. Yokeko Drive or Deception Rd. from Hwy. 20 to Yokeko Dr. | Students catch bus at Yokeko Drive & Deception Rd. |
| 7. Dewey Crest, N. Dewey & Central area | Students catch bus on Deception at South end of Central |
| 8. Hwy 20 South of N. Dewey | Students catch bus at the Fire Station |
| 9. Thompson Rd. | Students catch the bus at Summit Park & Thompson |
| 10. Upper and Lower Skyline & Cedar Glenn area | Students catch bus on Anaco Beach Rd. at Sunset, Sterling & Anaco Beach Rd. or Kingsway & Anaco Beach Rd. |
| 11. Highland-Piper to Bryce | Students catch bus at Highland & Anaco Beach Rd. or Bryce & Anaco Beach or Kingsway & Anaco Beach |
| 12. Clearidge Area | Students catch bus on Oakes at the Clearidge entrance or Highland & Anaco Beach Rd. |
| 13. W. 12th Area Stops | Students catch bus at W. 5th & Kansas or Oregon & West 12th |
| 14. W. 2nd & Jackson | Students catch bus at W. 3rd & Illinois |
| 15. 41st & "D" Court | Students meet bus at 41st & "H" or 42nd & "A" |
| 16. Whistle Lake area | Bus route will be run in reverse with no stops at Haddon and "O" at the top of the hill |
| 17. Guemes Island | All students must meet at ferry dock. Contact bus driver or bus garage for more information |
| 18. Gibraltar Heights area (Carolina & Nebraska) | Students catch bus at Gibraltar Dr. & Gibraltar Rd
A parent should meet younger students |
| 19. Cougar Gap Rd. | Students catch bus at 15159 Rosario Rd. |
| 20. 18th & "C" or 21st & "C" | Students catch bus at 23rd & "D" |
| 21. Out of District Spec. Ed. | Listen to the radio for information |
| 22. Preschool at Whitney | Listen to the radio for information |
| 23. Marine Hts. Spec. Ed | Student meets bus at Marine Hts & Anaco Beach Rd. |
| 24. Gibraltar Hts. Spec. Ed | Student meets bus at Gibraltar Rd. & Gibraltar Dr. |

During the icy and snowy weather, schedules for schools and buses may change. For announcements on school or bus schedule changes, call our adverse weather voice mailbox at 293-1201, mailbox number 423 (or ICE) or listen to one of the following radio stations. Adverse route information may also be accessed on the internet at <http://schoolreport.org> or www.asd103.org. Information will be broadcast on Seattle Television Stations - Channel 4, 5, & 7.

AM RADIO STATIONS

KWLE	AM 1340 (Anacortes)	KJR	AM 950
KBRC	AM 1430 (Mt. Vernon)	KING	AM 1090
KAPS	AM 660 (Mt. Vernon)	KIXI	AM 880
KOMO	AM 1000	KVI	AM 550
KIRO	AM 710		

Radio stations may broadcast one of the following messages:

SCHOOLS CLOSED: School is not in session. All student activities are cancelled for one day only. (260 day employees report to work at the normal time.)

LIMITED BUS TRANSPORTATION: Schools are in session. Buses will travel adverse weather routes. Buses will travel at slower speeds.

SCHOOLS ONE (or TWO) HOURS LATE: Schools begin 1 (or 2) hours late. Buses will make stops 1 (or 2) hours later than normal. School employees report to work the normal time. Buses will travel adverse weather routes. No out of district transportation. No buses travelling off island.

If no messages are broadcast, schools will operate as normal and buses will make stops at the regular scheduled times. Please do not call the radio stations for information.

Please note that on any day that the roads are slick, buses may arrive at bus stops slightly later than normal because they travel at slower speeds.

In case of Guemes Island Ferry emergency shutdown, please listen to KWLE (1340) radio station for information.

Emergency bus route schedules are in effect for the morning bus routes and may continue through the afternoon route if adverse conditions persist.

STUDENT SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS DURING ADVERSE WEATHER

1. Students must stand well away from the street while waiting for the bus. Cars may slide on slick roads and injure students who are too close to the roadway.
2. Wait safely at the bus stop. Throwing snow or ice may injure other students and may cause an accident if thrown at passing cars.
3. Use the handrail when getting on and off the bus. Bus steps may be slick.
4. Dress warmly. Buses may arrive at the stop a little later than usual because of slower driving speeds.

Parents should meet younger students at the adverse weather stops. Younger students may not be allowed to get off bus if they are unsure of how to get to their house or do not have an older sibling or neighbor to walk with.

PARENTS of Younger Students: Please wait with or meet your child at the adverse stop.