

NORTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: OPERATIONS

TITLE: SCHOOL DAY

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804. SCHOOL DAY	
1. Purpose	The normal school day for the instruction of the pupils of this district shall be in accordance with law and with the following guidelines.
2. Authority SC 1504 Title 22 Sec. 4.4, 11.2, 11.3	<p>The Board shall fix the times of daily sessions of the schools of the district.</p> <p>The regular school session may be temporarily altered when such alteration is in the best interests of the district by the Superintendent.</p>
3. Delegation of Responsibility	The Superintendent may close the schools, delay the opening of schools, or dismiss school early for emergency reasons and to protect the health and safety of students and staff members, and shall prepare rules for the proper and timely notification of concerned persons in the event of such emergency closing but in all cases, inform the Board President as soon as possible.
4. Guidelines	<p>Whenever the school district is closed due to inclement weather or other emergency conditions, all home school events, i.e., extracurricular activities and interscholastic contests, shall be postponed.</p> <p>If either school involved in a game is not in session due to inclement weather, a scheduled game is automatically postponed, unless both schools mutually agree to play the game as scheduled. The Superintendent or designee shall be involved in this decision. This does not include district or state playoff games because they are under P.I.A.A. control for scheduling purposes.</p> <p>All other school events may be scheduled for the next earliest feasible date.</p> <p>Community use of school district buildings shall be cancelled for the day or days that schools are closed due to emergency or inclement weather conditions.</p>

<p>School Code 1504</p> <p>PA Code Title 22 Sec. 4.4, 11.2, 11.3</p>	<p>Early dismissal of students on a district level due to emergency or inclement weather conditions shall constitute the same "conditions" that apply to school closings: all school events, extra-curricular activities, interscholastic contests, practices, etc., shall be postponed.</p>
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