

## ***Inclement Weather - No School Announcement***

**When the City of Quincy declares NO SCHOOL due to inclement weather, Quincy Catholic Academy does not have school.**

**Quincy Catholic Academy will NOT be announced separately.**

**If Quincy Public has no school, Quincy Catholic Academy has no school.**

NO SCHOOL announcements will be made over AM radio stations WJDA (1300), WRKO (680), WBZ (1030), and television stations 4, 5, and 7. School closings can also be viewed online at WBZ Storm Center - <http://wbz.com> or WHDH Stormforce - <http://www1.whdh.com>.

When there is a delay called in the city of Quincy, Quincy Catholic Academy will open at the following times:

One-hour delay, school doors open at 8:15 a.m.

One and one-half hour delay, school doors open at 8:45 a.m.

Two-hour delay, school doors open at 9:15 a.m..

Please do not call the school, rectory, police, or fire stations concerning no school due to inclement weather.

### ***Immediate Response Information System (IRIS)***

Quincy Catholic Academy can quickly send messages by phone and e-mail with this system to all Quincy Catholic Academy families. This service will be used for school closings, delayed openings, early dismissals due to inclement weather, activity cancellations, etc. (A test message was sent in September and families were asked in a notification letter to let us know if they did not receive the test message and adjustments were made.)

### ***Early Release During Inclement Weather***

Quincy Catholic Academy will not cancel school early during the school day due to inclement weather. Should a storm arise during the school day, parents are more than welcome to dismiss their children early if they feel it would be a safer option, but we will not cancel school once it has started.

### ***Cancellation of Extended Day***

The Quincy Catholic Academy Extended Day Program will not operate on days when Quincy Catholic Academy, following Quincy Public Schools, is closed because of inclement weather.

If serious weather develops during the school day and it is determined by the Extended Day staff that the program should be cancelled, parents will be notified during the day, as early as possible. (Hopefully by 12:00 noon)

For the safety of the children, should inclement weather develop later in the day, we ask parents to pick up their children from the Extended Day program as soon as possible.