



Kinomaugewgamik

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SNOW DAY POLICY SHAWANAGA FIRST NATION EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Our Shawanaga First Nation Education Department will follow the Near North District School Board (NNDSB) snow days. The Shawanaga First Nation school bus is part of the **WEST PARRY SOUND DISTRICT**.

Snow storms/ice storms resulting in school bus cancellations are communicated *via* local radio stations early mornings on the day of the storm(s). The Parry Sound Radio Station, Moose FM 103.3 starts these broadcasts as soon as they are notified; usually any time after 6 a.m., this also includes posting on their Facebook page.

Parents/guardians of the Shawanaga Kinomaugewgamik elementary school must:

- Listen to the Parry Sound Moose FM 103.3 radio station to listen for bus cancellations. Moose FM also announces cancellations on their Facebook page.

When the Shawanaga School bus is announced as cancelled on the radio, this will also include the Shawanaga Kinomaugewgamik Elementary school van. Therefore, for overall safety reasons Shawanaga Kinomaugewgamik School van will **NOT** be available on these days for student transport when buses are cancelled for the West Parry Sound District.

No staff member is liable or responsible for notifying parents, guardians or community members of bus cancellations and the school van cancellations.

All NNDSB schools remain open for students that can get there safely. Our Kinomaugewgamik elementary school will remain **OPEN** for all staff members and students that can travel to school safely. Parents of our elementary school students are to make themselves available upon notice should the Shawanaga First Nation Administration buildings close on demand due to increased weather hazards.