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**All Richmond County School System Schools Will Dismiss Normally, Anticipate Bus Delays**

(AUGUSTA, GEORGIA) – The Richmond County School System (RCSS) is aware of the possibility of inclement weather impacting our area this afternoon. After monitoring weather conditions and communicating with local and regional emergency officials, all RCSS schools and offices will dismiss on their normal schedule. All outdoor extracurricular activities will be canceled or moved indoors when possible.

With heavy rain and strong winds expected to begin around dismissal time for many of our schools, the Transportation Department is taking additional safety precautions for after-school travel. As a result, some buses may experience delays this afternoon.

Families are encouraged to use the Stopfinder Bus app to track student transportation in real time. More information is available at [www.rcboe.org/stopfinder](http://www.rcboe.org/stopfinder). The Transportation hotline is also available for questions at (706) 796-4777.

Weather updates will continue to be posted on the district's inclement weather landing page at [www.rcboe.org/weatherupdates](http://www.rcboe.org/weatherupdates), through the Infinite Campus Parent Portal, on official social media channels, and via local news outlets. Parents and guardians are encouraged to verify their contact information in the Parent Portal at [www.rcboe.org/parentportal](http://www.rcboe.org/parentportal) to receive important updates.

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