



# News Release

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## **BUS CANCELLATION DURING SECONDARY SCHOOL EXAM SCHEDULE**

The Lambton Kent District School Board and the St. Clair Catholic District School Board have developed the following plan, which is to be followed in the event of disruptions to the examination schedule, due to inclement weather.

### **Bus cancellation due to inclement weather**

If buses are cancelled due to inclement weather, exams will be cancelled for the day and the exam schedule will be delayed by one day (i.e. the whole block of exams will be moved back one day). This applies only to the area of the district for which the buses are cancelled (i.e. if buses are cancelled in Sarnia–Lambton but not in Chatham–Kent, exams in Sarnia–Lambton will be delayed one day and exams in Chatham–Kent will proceed as scheduled, and vice-versa).

### **Delay and Cancellation due to fog**

If fog occurs, buses transporting secondary students will be delayed two (2) hours. A further announcement will be made at 7:28 am that will indicate either buses are cancelled or will run late.

If buses run, students will arrive at school by 10:00 am and the exam(s) will proceed as scheduled with a delayed start time. If buses are cancelled, exams will be cancelled for the day and the exam schedule will be delayed by one day. Again, this applies only to the area of the district for which the bus delay or cancellation is in effect.

### **More than one day of cancellations during exam week**

If buses are cancelled for two (2) or more days during exam week Senior Administration will determine appropriate action to address the lost time and second semester start-up.

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