

Lakeland Board of Education

Monitoring: Review: Annually, in September	Descriptor Term: Emergency Closings	Descriptor Code: 1.8011	Issued Date: 03/17/14
		Rescinds:	Issued:

1 The Board authorizes the superintendent to close schools in the event of hazardous weather or any other
2 emergency which presents a threat to the safety of students, staff members or school property.¹

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4 As soon as the decision to close schools is made, the superintendent will notify the public media and
5 request that an announcement be made.

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7 If school is not in session or is dismissed early due to snow or inclement weather, the superintendent
8 in consultation with the principal(s) of the impacted school(s) shall determine if all scheduled activities
9 in which students are involved shall be postponed or canceled.

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Legal References:

1. TCA 49-6-3004(e)(1); TRR/MS 0520-1-3-.02(1)(b)