

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE	INSTRUCTIONAL <b>DELAY-CANCELLATION OF CLASSES DUE TO ADVERSE WEATHER</b>	Procedure 5.02.05.01
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The following procedure will be observed for adverse/inclement weather; however, regardless of College announcements, commuters should exercise personal judgment concerning highway road conditions, particularly those from other counties or remote areas. If the College is open, no announcement will be made.

- A. Announcements concerning College operation will be made by 6:30 a.m. when possible via SCC Alert to text, email, voice calls and push notifications to students and employees as well as on the television/radio stations and via the onlinedigital/social media resources listed below. However, if a delay is announced initially, and if weather conditions worsen after the 6:30 a.m. announcement, an additional announcement closing the College for the day will be made no later than 8:30 a.m. Announcements concerning evening classes will be made no later than 3:00 p.m. The following types of announcements may be made:
1. **Delayed Start:** If the College ~~is~~has a delayed start, the campus will open at 10:00 a.m. Students should report to the class/lab/clinic they would be in at 10:00 a.m. on a regular day. All instructional time missed in a delayed start will be made up.
  2. **College Closed:** This means there are extremely hazardous conditions and **no one** should report to work or class.
  3. **Early Dismissal:** Early Dismissal will be announced through the same means when weather conditions dictate the early dismissal of this action for day or evening classes. This type of announcement will be made by telephone to a designee in each building on campus, who will communicate the early dismissal information to the occupants of the building.
- B. Communication Resources

#### Radio Stations

99.9 FM - WKSF, Asheville      104.5 FM - WHLC, Highlands  
 95.3 FM - WCQS, Asheville      1320 AM - WKRK, Murphy  
 1590 AM - WBHN, Bryson City      95.9 FM - WCVP, Robbinsville  
 1400 AM - WGHC, Clayton, GA      540 AM - WRGC, Sylva  
 104.1 FM - WRBN, Clayton, GA      104.9 FM - WQNS, Waynesville  
 1050 AM - WFSC, Franklin  
 96.7 FM - WNCC, Franklin

#### Television Stations

ABC - WLOS, Asheville  
 FOX - WHNS, Greenville, SC  
 NBC - WYFF, Greenville, SC  
 CBS - WSPA, Spartanburg, SC

#### Online / Social Media Resources

All active employee and student cell phones & southwesterncc.edu email accounts (via SCC Alert)

www.southwesterncc.edu

twitter.com/southwesterncc

~~twitter.com/scc-critical~~

www.facebook.com/sccnc1

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