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Dear Parents/Guardians:

The New Bedford Public Schools wants to remind you that the Superintendent’s Office is responsible for determining whether school is cancelled or if we need to dismiss our students earlier during inclement weather or other emergencies. We will try to make these decisions as early as possible to accommodate our working families. When an “EARLY DISMISSAL” schedule is announced, the following release times will apply:

**ELEMENTARY SCHOOL** – No afternoon Pre-K on Early Dismissal Days

- 11:30 AM  Students (except Pulaski School)
- 12:00 PM  Students at Pulaski School

**MIDDLE SCHOOLS**

- 10:55 AM  Students

**HIGH SCHOOLS**

- 10:35 AM  New Bedford High Students
- 10:10 AM  Whaling City Jr./Sr. High School
- 10:10 AM  Trinity Day Academy
- 10:10 AM  Parenting Teen Program

Information about “Cancellations”, “Early Dismissal” will be posted / broadcasted at the following:

- New Bedford Public Schools’ website: [www.newbedfordschools.org](http://www.newbedfordschools.org) and Facebook page, Local Cable Channel 9, The Standard-Times’ website: [www.s-t.com](http://www.s-t.com), Channel 4 WBZ-TV/1030 AM, Channel 5 WCVB-TV, Channel 6 WLNE, Channel 7 WHDH-TV, Channel 10 WJAR, Channel 12 WPRI, FOX 25 WFXT, Radio Station WRKO AM, Radio Station WSAR, Radio Station WBSM, Radio Station FUN 107

Thank you.

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