

## **1. Policy Information**

Section: Temporary School Closure  
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Policy Name: TG10 Temporary School Closure

## **2. Rationale**

The Simcoe County Student Transportation Consortium (SCSTC) policy for Temporary School Closures identifies that in the event of a temporary school closure, student transportation will be coordinated by the SCTSC following the direction of the respective member district school board.

## **3. Policy Statement**

It is the policy of the SCSTC to follow Member District School Boards' policies and procedures as it relates to home-to-school student transportation in the event of a temporary school closure.

## **4. Overview**

- 4.1. The decision to close a school(s) is made by the respective Member District School Board as per their established process.
- 4.2. When a temporary school closure is identified to the SCSTC by the respective Member District School Board, the SCSTC shall:
  - 4.2.1. Arrange for and communicate the cancellation of school vehicle service at the direction of the respective Member District School Board.
  - 4.2.2. Arrange transportation to/from the closed school to an alternate location or to the students' assigned PM school bus stops at the direction of the respective Member District School Board.
  - 4.2.3. Co-ordinate the required transportation with the affected school vehicle operator(s) in an effective and efficient manner.

## **5. References**

SCDSB Policy 2410 – Transportation  
SCDSB Policy 4470 – Temporary Closing of Schools  
SMCDSB Policy GP – 13.

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