



Inclement Weather/Emergency Policy

The decision to open late or close due to inclement weather will be made no later than 6:00 AM. It will be communicated to local media outlets and a recorded message will be available at **202-395-4873 (DC) or 301-543-8040 (MD)**. The delay or closing will be posted by site as follows: CentroNía – DC or CentroNía – MD.

**Note that sites may have different Inclement Weather postings depending on local weather conditions.*

CentroNía will also communicate decisions to close or delay opening in the following ways:

1. Pre-recorded messages via phone
2. Announcement via Class Dojo app
3. Update on CentroNía (www.centronia.org) website homepage
4. Posts on CentroNía social media platforms:
 - a. Facebook: www.facebook.com/theCentroNia
 - b. Twitter: @CentroNia

The following are the types of decisions and a brief description:

Delayed Opening:

In the case of a delayed opening, CentroNía's sites:

- CentroNía in D.C. will open to receive children at 10:00 AM. There will be no breakfast, before-care, or drop-off services offered on these days.
- CentroNía in MD will open at 10:00 AM.

Closing Decision:

CentroNía will be closed to all children, families and staff.

Closing During the Course of the School Day:

In the event of an emergency during the school day we will make every effort to have the information available through local media as stated above. We will also make every effort to call parents via automated phone system. Please be sure we have your most current day time phone number and email address so we can contact you. For information please call 202-332-4200.