

Dear ACS Parents,

The cold weather season has arrived! As a reminder, **please send your children with coats, hats, and gloves.** Outside recess will take place if the temperature feels like 20° and the condition of the playground area is acceptable. At the teacher's discretion the students may go out for a special activity or for a short amount of time to have some fresh air and exercise. Also during the winter months please take extra precaution at the drop off and pick up areas. It can become slippery and ice can build up on the inclined areas.

School closings and delays are another feature of the winter season – **delay procedures are on the back of this notice.** If your district of residence issues a school delay and no delay has been issued for ACS, please arrive to school based on the specifications of the delay. I will try to let you know as soon as possible if school is closed. As usual, all after school activities will be cancelled. If your district of residence issues a school closing and ACS remains open, you have the option of keeping your child(ren) at home or coming to school when the conditions improve.

School closing information will be communicated in the following ways: on the ACS website – <u>www.ashlandchristian.org</u>, a text message from me, and the following TV & radio stations: WMFD – TV, WVNO Radio, iHeart Radio Stations, WVMC Radio – 91.1, WKYC-TV3 (wkyc.com), Newsradio WTAM 1100 AM (wtam.com), WCRF 103.3, News Channel 5 (newsnet5.com), Cleveland's 19 – WOIO-WUAB 19ActionNews (19ActionNews.com/schoolclosings), and Fox 8 – WJW Cleveland.

Please contact the school office if you have any questions. Have a blessed and safe winter.

In Christ, Mrs. Carr