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Exams – Zone 5 Weather Contingency

Dear Parents and Guardians;

The purpose of this communication is to share an additional item regarding exams and contingencies for inclement weather in the event of bus cancellations or delays for students in **Zone 5**.

As was communicated in the previous memo on this topic, our board has established contingencies in the event of bus cancellations or delays during exams. However, there is an additional consideration for your family as the bus that transports your child originates in Kent County (Zone 5) and could be canceled or delayed while all other St. Patrick's buses originating in Lambton County are running normally. Because all Lambton County buses are running normally, all St. Patrick's exams would then still proceed as scheduled. The challenge for your child would be that they would not have transportation to and from the school and thus would not be able to write their exam on this particular day.

Should this occur, we would like all families to know that the safety of your child is paramount. Arrangements will be made through your child's Vice Principal so that your child can write the exam on an alternate date and time. If you choose to drive your child to school, it would be at your discretion; however, please note that it would not be necessary.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact your child's Vice Principal.

Sincerely,

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