

PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Be the first to know!



Get text alerts about school closures, delays, emergencies and school events: Text YES to 68453

Stay connected to your school.

Recibe alertas a través de mensajes de texto sobre casos de emergencia, cierre y retrasos en las escuelas:

Manda un mensaje de texto con la palabra YES al 68453

Nhận thông báo qua tin nhắn văn bản về việc đóng cửa, chậm trễ, trường hợp khẩn cấp của trường và các sự kiện tại trường:

Gửi tin nhắn có nội dung YES đến 68453

获取有关学校关闭、推迟、紧急情况 and 学校活动的短信提示：
发送短信YES到68453

Получайте СМС-оповещения о закрытии школ, задержке занятий, ЧП и школьных мероприятиях:

Отправьте СМС (текст) YES на номер 68453

Hel qoraal fariin wargelin ah oo kusaabsan xiritaanada, dib u dhacyada, xaaladaha degdega ah iyo dhacdooyinka iskuulka:

Qoraal fariin YES u dir 68453



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In a world where 90% of American adults own a cell phone, Portland Public Schools is excited to launch a multi-year initiative to shift family and staff communication to mobile devices.

“Mobile First” also gives families school news the way they want to receive it. A majority of PPS families said in the Successful Schools Survey they want school news electronically.

Mobile First also will provide families, including historically underserved families who may not own home computers, instant access to emergency alerts, weather closures, and school news.

You will hear more about Mobile First soon. But first: Want to receive fast, accurate information about emergencies and important district events — as they happen? Text YES to 68453 to opt in now to receive SMS text messages.

What are SMS texts?

SMS stands for Short Message Service of up to 160 characters. You will receive texts from PPS and your school but be unable to text them back.

Who can receive texts?

Students with cell phones, PPS and school staff, and parents and guardians of students. In addition to opting in to receive texts, parents, students and staff must make sure their cell phone numbers are listed on the student registration form.

What if I change my mind after opting in?

Opt-out at any time by replying STOP or NO to any text message.

Will it cost me anything?

Check with your cell phone service provider as additional charges may apply, depending on your service plan.

What if I forgot to opt in?

The company providing SMS texting to PPS will send a one-time text to every cell phone registered in the Student Information System and in Peoplesoft on Sept. 28 asking if you want to receive texts. Text YES if you do.

Additional questions?

Email pubinfo@pps.net.