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## CCPS to Close Tuesday, January 29 Due to Inclement Weather

**JONESBORO** - The leadership of Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) has been intently monitoring the potential development of wintry weather that has been forecast for Clayton County and Metro Atlanta through reports from the National Weather Service, regional media outlets, and Clayton County Emergency Management.

"As a result of our review of forecasts and discussions with local agencies, and in collaboration with Governor Brian Kemp's decision to close state offices in 29 counties, including Clayton, we are announcing that all schools and district offices will be closed for Tuesday, January 29," said Dr. Morcease J. Beasley, Superintendent/CEO. "This decision extends to all extra-curricular activities and school system-related programs, including the State of the Schools presentation."

"This decision reaffirms our commitment to the safety of our students and their families as well as our employees," Dr. Beasley said. "We encourage our parents and guardians, our employees and all citizens of Clayton County, to be safe and to be aware of any information that is shared regarding this wintry weather system. We will continue to monitor, discuss all applicable options and will share more information as it becomes available as to the impact on the status of school in the coming days," he concluded.

We encourage everyone to be safe and to stay connected for updated information regarding any potential wintry weather and the status of our schools and related events through the following methods:

- Our weather stations of record, WSB-TV (Channel 2) and WSB radio (750 AM and 95.5 FM)
- CCPS SchoolMessenger phone and email
- CCPS Infinite Campus portal
- CCPS Information e-blast to employees and stakeholders
- CCPS Channel 24
- CCPS Website: www.clayton.k12.ga.us
- CCPS Social Media platforms and CCPS Mobile APP

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