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Weather Class Cancellation Policy

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Bethany Theological Seminary and Earlham School of Religion jointly adopt the following policy regarding winter weather class cancellation. The policy shall apply to all classes, and replaces the current system of individual class cancellations determined by faculty members.

1. The schools will cancel or delay classes in accordance with Earlham College cancellations or delays.
2. The schools will also cancel classes in the event of a declared "snow emergency" by the city of Richmond, even if Earlham College classes are not canceled. Classes will remain canceled until the snow emergency is lifted.
3. The schools may cancel classes on other occasions as determined by the President or Academic Dean of Bethany, and the Dean of ESR or the Dean's designee. No classes will meet during a cancellation. Decisions to cancel classes will be made by 7 a.m. Cancellation announcements will be broadcast on WKBV 1490 AM, WFMG 101.3 FM, WHIO TV-7, & Whitewater Community Television (cable 11, 20 & 21). Notice of the cancellation will also be available by recorded phone message at (765) 983-1423 and (765) 983-1800.
4. On occasions of bad weather when the schools remain open, individual faculty members may choose to cancel their own classes when that is the appropriate decision for their particular classes. Notification of persons involved in these classes will be the responsibility of the faculty member through the office of Academic Services.

