



### **OSSE Division of Student Transportation Continues to Monitor Hurricane Sandy**

There is a strong possibility that the DC Metropolitan region may experience a severe rain/wind event early next week as Hurricane Sandy moves up the East Coast.

As a reminder, The OSSE Division of Student Transportation will follow DCPS during periods of inclement weather. The policy applies to ALL public, charter and non-public schools. If DCPS is closed, OSSE-DOT WILL NOT provide transportation services for any students on that day.

If DCPS has a delayed opening, OSSE- DOT WILL provide transportation services, but the student's pick up time will be based upon the DCPS delayed start.

If your school chooses to remain open when OSSE-DOT is not providing services, parents will need to make alternative transportation arrangements. We encourage parents and school staff to monitor the local news as the storm progresses for school closings and to check the OSSE website at [www.osse.dc.gov](http://www.osse.dc.gov) as well as the DCPS website at [www.dcps.dc.gov](http://www.dcps.dc.gov) for further updates.