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To: School Administration Offices, Principals and Superintendents

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The Simcoe County Student Transportation Consortium (SCSTC) has developed a

**New Website:**  [www.simcoecountyschoolbus.ca](http://www.simcoecountyschoolbus.ca)

**Key Features:**
- Daily identification of Bus **Cancellations**
- Simcoe County **student transportation information**

**Website details:**
- Clicking through to [www.simcoecountyschoolbus.ca](http://www.simcoecountyschoolbus.ca) will provide you with a single source to confirm any bus cancellations throughout Simcoe County.
- Individual **school Weather Zone assignments** are easily identified.
- By clicking through to the SCSTC Home page, additional student transportation information is available – including SCSTC transportation FAQ’s, policies and contact information.
- Please note **bus delays are not listed on this site** - Delays will continue to be announced through the local media.

**Action items:**
- Please send the attached letter home to your families.
- Secondary schools - a script for the syner-voice is also attached.
- Elementary schools - please provide a count of bused families (youngest or only child) to Karen Miller ([kmiller@scstc.ca](mailto:kmiller@scstc.ca)) prior to Monday November 7 to ensure adequate website communication materials are available for your school.

Questions and comments can be directed to the SCSTC – attention: John Barbato, Supervisor Administration ([jbarbato@scstc.ca](mailto:jbarbato@scstc.ca))

Thank you for your continuing support.

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