

Friday, August 16, 2024

Bear Creek Community Charter School is implementing a new Emergency Alert System through PowerSchool's School Messenger software. This system will send alerts to anyone who is listed as an emergency contact in your PowerSchool Parent Portal. Alerts will be sent for emergency situations, inclement weather delays and closures, and similar events.

If you were to make a change to your child's emergency contacts in PowerSchool's Parent Portal, within 24 hours, those changes would take effect as it relates to emergency alerts. Please be sure that your child's emergency contacts are current and updated in your PowerSchool Parent Portal account.

The system will go live on Friday, August 16, 2024. On Friday afternoon, everyone listed as an Emergency Contact in the PowerSchool Parent Portal will receive a text message from 67587 that reads

You're registered 4 SchoolMessenger messages. Txt STOP to quit, HELP 4 help. Std msg/data rates may apply. Freq varies. schoolmessenger.com/tm".

<u>You do not have to do anything when you receive this text message</u>. This message is only a confirmation that the cell phone number is registered to receive alerts.

