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## MEDIA ALERT

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### DELAYED SCHOOL DISMISSAL IN THE CHAMBLEE, DUNWOODY, CROSS KEYS FEEDER PATTERNS

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To DeKalb County Parents,

There was a fatal airplane crash today on I-285 and Peachtree Industrial Blvd. According to police and fire reports, I-285 East and West bound in DeKalb County has been shut down for at least 8 hours. This accident is having a severe impact on traffic and will impact dismissal from numerous schools in the northern region including the Chamblee, Dunwoody, and Cross Keys feeder pattern within the DeKalb County School District.

Buses have been deployed however we are expecting major delays due to gridlock on and around the northern perimeter. **The school day will be extended until every child has been transported by bus or picked up by a parent or guardian.** Our number one priority is to ensure the safety of our children. Therefore, school staff will continue to provide supervision, food, and shelter.

We encourage all parents to monitor all communication devices to remain abreast of any District updates or announcements.

We want to assure all parents that our number one priority is the safety and well-being of our students.

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