

Parents and Guardians:

It is our hope that your child(ren)'s ride to and from school will be enjoyable and safe.

In order for our bus driver's to stay on schedule we request that you have them at their designated bus stop 10 minutes prior to pick up in the morning and be there for them 10 minutes prior to drop off in the afternoon. The bus driver's will do their very best to keep to the schedule. We appreciate your patience and understanding in those circumstances when the bus may be slightly later due to unforeseen circumstances.

If you would like your child(ren) to walk to and from the bus stop unsupervised by yourself or responsible adult you will need to write a letter to the school providing your consent for them to do so.

**If your child(ren) do not have consent to walk to and from the bus stop unsupervised and there is no one at the bus stop to pick them up, your child will remain on the bus until the completion of the route and returned to the school. We will notify you of this and make arrangements for them to be picked up.**

Students are expected to ride on their designated bus at all times. Due to the number of students riding the bus this year we are not able to accommodate students switching busses. You will need to make alternate arrangements for your child to visit friends, attend birthday parties, and so on.

Alternate arrangements for student pick up/drop off must be made by parents/guardians contacting the school directly well ahead of time. **The deadline for after school arrangements must be received by the office no later than 1:00 pm.** The office is a very busy place, particularly in the afternoon, and we want to ensure that students are prepared for their safe return home.

If you are running late or tied up in traffic please notify the school as soon as possible. If you are unable to pick up your child(ren) as a result of such incidents you are responsible to make alternate arrangements for them to be picked up and notify the school of such arrangement.

Last, but not least, your child(ren) are very important to us. Together we can ensure that their travel to and from school is enjoyable and safe.

