Transportation Update - Sept. 9, 2020

Due to some unexpected changes in student numbers and transportation staffing our transportation consortium, which provides busing to all four local school boards, has been required to make some last minute changes to its busing plans for the beginning of school.

This means that there could potentially be changes to your child's school busing service, including routes, schedules and to any seating assignments that may have already been communicated. We expect that some buses may be running late, so please be patient tomorrow morning.

The consortium is doing its best to avoid cancelling routes and making significant changes, but for the interim, we would strongly suggest that you check the consortium's web site every morning before taking your child to the bus stop to ensure that there have not been any interruptions to your service.

The consortium's website can be found at buskids.ca

Any bus cancellations will be posted on the main page of the website, but parents should also log in to their mybusinformation account on <u>buskids.ca</u> on a regular basis to verify if their bus numbers, routes or schedules may have changed.

In conclusion, we apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. We appreciate your ongoing patience and understanding as we navigate our way through this situation.

Return to School Transportation Protocols

Windsor-Essex Transportation Services, which provides busing to all four local school boards, has finalized its protocols for returning to school. You can read them <a href="https://example.com/hereita-new-market-new-mar

Transit Windsor

Transit Windsor has updated its schedule to include Secondary School Extras that accommodate our schedule. You can view the schedule here.

Please note that Transit Windsor indicates that the extras are subject to change without notice, and may be cancelled with no advance notice due to circumstances beyond their control.

School Transportation September 2020 Opt-Out Form

Students who were eligible for transportation last year are not required to re-register for the bus. You only need to re-apply for transportation if you have changed addresses or changed schools.

If your children are eligible for transportation but will not be riding the bus this year, we would appreciate you filling the opt-out form which can be found at buskids.ca by scrolling down to the bus registration section.



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Are buses running?

http://www.buskids.ca/

Which School should I attend?

https://geoquery.buskids.ca/



