

Whitehall-Coplay School District

Transportation Department



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Supervisor of Transportation Services

Guidelines for Non Public transportation of students who live in Whitehall Coplay School District:

Transportation is provided to all students to their prospective schools as long as that school is within a 10 mile radius to home district.

All safety and bus rules are to be followed as explained by the bus driver. Any infractions will result in a bus conduct sent directly to the student's principal. All students are expected to be at their assigned stop 5 to 10 min. prior to their assigned pick up time. In the past your child's bus driver may have picked students up at their homes, this habit is in direct violation of School District Policy. All students, whether they be non public, or public students MUST use approved school bus stops, to explain a bit further, state regulations indicate that students can be required to walk up to a maximum of 1 to 1 1/2 miles from their residence to the bus stop. The parent or legal guardian is responsible for the student to and from the bus stop. Those established stops are then communicated to our bus drivers and used by all students attending all schools.

Transportation will be provided to and from school unless otherwise noted. In some cases transportation will require a transfer from one bus to another.

If your child does not require transportation for any reason please contact this office at 610-437-4780. If we do not take them to school we will not pick them up in the afternoon unless we receive a phone call asking us to do so. If your child is not at his or her assigned stop for 3 days in a row we will no longer go to that stop unless we receive a phone call asking us to do so.

In cases of inclement weather you must follow Whitehall Copley's schedule. If we are closed there will be no transportation provided. If we are on a delay your child's transportation will also be on a delay. If we dismiss early your child will be picked up early, in most cases early dismissals will start at 11am, please follow the middle school dismissal time as your guide for you child's dismissal. If Whitehall has no delays or is open but your school is on a delay we will honor that delay.

We will do our best to honor your school's calendar and provide transportation as requested.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact this office at 610-437-4780.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

WHITEHALL-COPLAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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NON-PUBLIC/PAROCHIAL SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION REQUEST
SCHOOL YEAR _____

Students' Name _____ D.O.B. _____

School _____ Grade _____
Last First M.I.

Home Address _____
Street Address City/Town

Home Phone _____

Parent Names _____ Phone _____

Email address _____

_____ Phone _____

Email address _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT (Other than Parents)

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____

Transportation requested beginning _____

Note: The Whitehall-Coplay Area School District requires three (3) working days after
The request is received to update rosters and provide student transportation
arrangements. The bus information will be provided to the school to which
your child is assigned.

Transportation request is for: Morning only _____

Afternoon only _____

Both Ways _____

Special Arrangements: (Complete only if transportation is to sitter, or childcare
Location)

Babysitter/Childcare Arrangements

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Other information:

Parents' Signature

Date