

WARWICK SCHOOL DISTRICT

Transportation information for all Warwick School District public school students will be available via the parent portal only. The portal can be accessed through the Warwick School District website.

Parents, guardians and students, please use your login and password. If you should have problems, please contact your student's individual school. Parents will not be able to access busing information without logging into the portal. This is the same location you would access your student's grades, attendance, etc.

As a reminder, not all bus stops and schedules remain the same from year to year. Please be aware of any changes from last year and abide by where your student's bus stop is located. All students need to be at their scheduled bus stop 5-10 minutes before their bus arrives. We ask all parents to work with your students in order to help drivers keep students on correct buses and on time.

BRIDGE and ROAD CONSTRUCTION, please note this will be an issue again in our district this year for some bus routes. Please be patient as we all work together through these projects with PennDot. Also, there will be borough and township construction projects that will take place in our school district.

All bus information will become available in August on the portal. As always, please allow a 5-10 minute variation from times listed on the portal, meaning have your student at the bus stop 5-10 minutes before the scheduled time. Transportation questions may be directed to Sarah Dombach - Transportation Coordinator, at sdombach@warwicksd.org or 717-626-3734 ext. 3880, or Dr. Ryan Axe - Director of Secondary Education, at 717-626-3734.

Special Bus Information

Students are permitted to ride **ONLY** the bus to which they are assigned. Also, students are permitted to get on or off the bus only at the stop to which they are assigned. Bus drivers will monitor this closely. Changes in transportation arrangements for emergency reasons must be made through the school. Notes signed by parents will **NOT** be accepted by bus drivers, no exceptions. A copy of the guidelines explaining this procedure can be picked up at each school office. Please remember that students should be at their assigned bus stop at least 5-10 minutes before the scheduled time.

Discipline

A bus driver's first responsibility is to drive your student to school and home safely. Their responsibility is not to monitor 60-70 students on a bus while driving safely. Please take some time to speak with your student(s) regarding acceptable behavior on a school bus. Bus drivers have permission to issue bus conduct reports for behavior that is not acceptable.

- Students are not allowed to get off at a bus stop that is not their scheduled bus stop.
- Students are not allowed to ride a bus they are not scheduled for.
- Students are not allowed to have food/drink on the bus.
- Students are not allowed to change seats on the bus, stand on the bus while it is moving, climb over the seat, or sit in the aisle.
- Students are not allowed to smoke on the bus.
- Students are not allowed to use profanity.
- Students may not open the back door of the bus or go out the back door of the bus.
- Students may not yell on the bus.

If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact the transportation office. Please go over this information with your student. There is more information in your student handbook.

Have a great school year!