

Allerton Grange School



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Dear Parent/ Carer

Re: School Minibuses

The school minibuses have been operating before and after school runs for 7 years and we have reached the point where both buses are massively oversubscribed with a waiting list. In the interests of fairness and ensuring our youngest and most vulnerable students can access school transport, we have drawn up a hierarchy of how places will be allocated. Places will always be allocated to students who need a full time place first.

1. Students in Year 7 with no older siblings and high needs SEND students
2. Students in Year 7 with older siblings
3. Students in Year 8 with no older siblings
4. Students in Year 8 with older siblings
5. Students in Year 9 with no older siblings
6. Students in Year 9 with older siblings
7. Students in Key Stage 4

Where there is more than one student per place, seats will be allocated based on the furthest distance between home and school.

There are two routes which are able to alter slightly depending on where students live and additional stops can be added. When requesting a place, please let us know of alternate pick up/drop off points and we will accommodate these wherever possible. The final route and timings will be confirmed by the end of this half term once we have allocated places.

Bus 1:

- 7.45 Shadwell Lane/Emville Ave bus stop
- 7.47 Shadwell Lane/Red Lion bus stop
- 7.52 Shadwell bus turning circle beyond Shadwell Primary School
- 7.56 Shadwell Lane/Gateland Lane bus stop
- 8.02 Wike Ridge Estate
- 8.05 Plantation Gardens bus stop close to Wigton Lane
- 8.10 Moortown Primary School



Bus 2:

- 7.45 Kings Lane/Alwoodley Medical Centre bus stop
- 7.55 High Ash Drive – bus stop next to Wigton Lane.
- 7.57 High Ash Drive opposite the shops
- 8.00 Plantation Gardens/Silverdale Avenue junction
- 8.02 Shadwell Lane/Darkwood Way bus stop
- 8.04 Shadwell Lane/Birchwood Hill bus stop
- 8.06 Shadwell Lane/Linton Ave bus stop
- 8.07 Shadwell Lane/Shadwell Medical Centre bus stop

The minibus operates at cost and this will be £3.10 per day for the 2024-25 school run. This is payable via Parent Pay in instalments of your choosing as long as your account is up to date at the end of each half term.

In the case of non-payment, the place will be offered to the next student on the waiting list.

In order to allocate places, please email agadmin@allertongrange.com with the name of your son/daughter, year group in September, and preferred pick-up point, by Friday 17 May. We will then allocate places before the half-term break.

Yours faithfully,



Michaela Child
Assistant Headteacher