

August 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The school along with Stagecoach Bus operate a daily bus service directly to the school, that can only be used by our students.

The route and indicative times for this bus is: (*indicative times not provided by Stagecoach)

Inbound Trip	Time
Mickle Trafford, School Lane	07:34
Mickle Trafford, Crossroads	07:39
Green Lane/Melrose Avenue	07:49
Hoole Lane/Pipers Lane	07:52*
Hoole Lane/Canadian Avenue	07:55*
Newton Lane/Hoole Road	07:57
Wealstone Lane	08:00*
Neston Drive	08:02*
Dicksons Drive – The Bears Paw	08:05
Liverpool Road/Brook Lane	08:10*
The Catholic High School	08:25

Return Trip	Time - Monday	Time - Tuesday to Friday
The Catholic High School	14:15	15:15
Liverpool Road/Brook Lane	14:30*	15:30*
Dicksons Drive/The Bears Paw	14:35	15:35
Neston Drive	14:38*	15:38*
Wealstone Lane	14:40*	15:40*
Newton Lane/Hoole Road	14:42*	15:42*
Hoole Lane/Canadian Avenue	14:43	15:43
Hoole Lane/Pipers Lane	14:46*	15:46*
Green Lane/Melrose Avenue	14:53	15:53
Mickle Trafford, Crossroads	15.03	16.03
Mickle Trafford, School Lane	15.08	16.08

The bus will be numbered C3 and will stop at all stops on the route, not just those mentioned. A map of the route can be found at the end of this letter.

Payment will be collected throughout the year and is priced at £125 per half term with a 10% discount for each additional child booked onto the bus to be paid through ParentPay (sibling discount will be applied once the academic year starts)

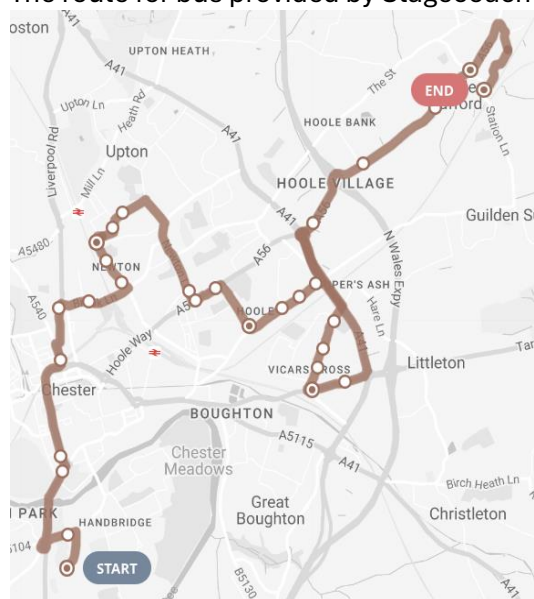
Payment plans are available, with the amount paid in instalments to suit your individual circumstances, meaning monthly, weekly, or termly payments will be fine.

This figure includes each journey to and from school as well as unlimited bus travel at any time of day including evening, weekend and school holidays (excluding Summer) on Stagecoach buses in the Chester area. Each student will be issued with a Smartcard that will be for their use only, this will need to be shown to gain access to the bus. If your child loses their pass during the year, they will not be allowed to get on the bus until a new pass has been issued to them by the school office. A small fee may be payable should your child lose their pass.

The Smartcard pass will be issued from school once the initial payment has been made the pass can be collected from the school office from Wednesday 4th September onwards. For Year 7 students, they will receive their pass via their form teacher. Please note that the bus service starts on Thursday 5th September, so if applicable, alternative transport arrangements will need to be made for Wednesday 4th September.

If at any point in the year you no longer need the pass, then please return it to the school office and we will arrange for your account to be closed at that point and we will you inform you of any outstanding costs that need to be made.

The route for bus provided by Stagecoach



The bus will start and finish at School Lane in Mickle Trafford and the 1st section of the route up to the A56 will be a hail and ride section.

If you have any further queries regarding this bus, then please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrew Kilcoyne".

Mr A Kilcoyne
Business Manager