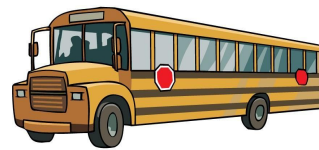


TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION FOR SLC FAMILIES



BUSING: Schoolcraft works with ISD 31 for busing.

Option 1 - Students, in the mornings, are eligible to be transported from their home (unless you live beyond the ISD 31 borders-in this case they will pick up at a “border” stop) to the Bemidji Middle School, transferring to one of 3 buses driving out to Schoolcraft. In the afternoons the process is reversed, Schoolcraft to BMS to home.

Option 2 - Students may also be dropped off at Bemidji Middle School (BMS) to take one of the 3 buses to Schoolcraft. Students should be there by 8:10 a.m.. The reverse also applies at the end of the day. Parents may pick up at 3:15 p.m. - walk up to their bus to get them. **If you choose to utilize dropping off and picking up at BMS, please know our students are NOT ALLOWED to go into BMS to wait.**

Option 3 - Students may wait with parents at the Turtle River Town Hall for one of the SLC buses to pick them up (8:30 a.m.) on their way into SLC. In the afternoon parents may wait for their student and pick them up (2:45 p.m.) from the town hall. Dropping off and picking up at Town Hall avoids the long drive in to SLC. **It is essential if you choose this method of transportation to be there early for drop off and pick up times.** There is NO supervision provided in the parking lot.

DRIVING:

Parents may drop students off at SLC at 8:30 a.m. at the Paris parking drop off area. **DO NOT drop students off in the lower campus.** School starts at 8:50 a.m..

Classes end at 2:45 p.m. . Parents are welcome to pick students up, if you want to follow the buses, pick up 2:45-2:50 p.m. OR if you wish to be ahead of the buses come at 2:35 p.m. and park on the exit curve. If you do this, you will need to *leave before the buses or they will be unable to get around you.* Parking here is NOT an option if you do not leave before 2:45 p.m..

New Families or Families with Address/Daycare Drop Changes: Please be sure to call ISD 31 transportation, (218) 333-3225, to confirm your address, contact information and need to be transported to Schoolcraft.

If your student will be arriving late:

- Call 586-3284 or email (attendance@schoolcraft.org) the front desk to inform us and **also** to tell us if your student will be having hot or cold lunch.
- Once at school, come to the front desk in Paris and sign them in. **It is very important not to drop them off and leave. We need you to sign them in and then for us to locate their class** (classes may have changes in their schedule and we do not want a student to go to an empty classroom and be left unattended).

If your student has a different transportation plan for the end of the day, please call/email (attendance@schoolcraft.org) the front desk by noon.

If your student will be leaving early:

- Let us know, by noon, when they will be leaving and we will have them at the front desk.
- Come to the front desk and sign them out.

Thank you for your help!