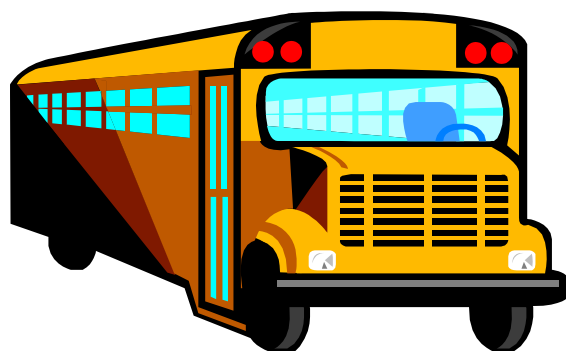


Student Transportation



Webster Central School District
Transportation Department
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Welcome

The Webster Central School District, with a student population of approximately 10,000 students, is Monroe County's second largest school district. Located 8 miles outside Rochester, New York, Webster is bordered by scenic Lake Ontario to the north and Irondequoit Bay to the west. It covers 52 square miles and includes all of Webster, and portions of Penfield, Ontario and Walworth.

Pupil transportation is an integral part of the total school program. The time that children spend on buses has an important influence on their physical, mental and moral well being.

The major focus of any transportation program is the safe transportation of children. This Department has an outstanding record for busing over 1.8 million students per year, traveling in excess of 2.0 million miles and doing so with an exceptional record of cost effectiveness and safety.

The District owns one hundred-twenty one (121) full size buses and fifty-one (51) small buses. We travel to forty-six (46) different schools every day. Our department consists of seven (7) office staff members, seven (7) school bus mechanics and one hundred-seventy five (175) school bus drivers.

The Transportation Department is located at 1000 Document Drive, just off the 800 block of Hard Road. As always, you are welcome to stop in to see the operations in the Transportation Department. If you have any questions, please call and speak to anyone in the office. We will be happy to answer any questions.



Daily School Times

Webster Schroeder High School	7:30am	2:30pm
Webster Thomas High School	7:30am	2:30pm
Webster Spry Middle School	8:20am	3:20pm
Webster Willink Middle School	8:20am	3:20pm
Dewitt Rd Elementary School	8:00am	2:30pm
AM Kindergarten	8:00am	10:30am
PM Kindergarten	12:00pm	2:30pm
Klem Road North Elementary School	8:00am	2:30pm
AM Kindergarten	8:00am	10:30am
PM Kindergarten	12:00pm	2:30pm
Klem Road South Elementary School	8:50am	3:20pm
AM Kindergarten	8:50am	11:20am
PM Kindergarten	12:50pm	3:20pm
Plank Road North Elementary School	8:50am	3:20pm
AM Kindergarten	8:50am	11:20am
PM Kindergarten	12:50pm	3:20pm
Plank Road South Elementary School	8:00am	2:30pm
AM Kindergarten	8:00am	10:30am
PM Kindergarten	12:00pm	2:30pm
Schlegel Road Elementary School	8:50am	3:20pm
AM Kindergarten	8:50am	11:20am
PM Kindergarten	12:50pm	3:20pm
Statz Road Elementary School	8:00am	2:30pm
AM Kindergarten	8:00am	10:30am
PM Kindergarten	12:00pm	2:30pm

Eligibility for Transportation

Transportation is provided for students whose legal residence is in the Webster Central School District.

Eligibility is based on the distance between the student's residence and school, and between the student's residence and the bus stop.

District Regulation 5701;

- ❖ Elementary school students whose residence is 0.25 miles or more from the school they legally attend shall be eligible to receive transportation.
- ❖ Middle school and High school students whose residence is 0.70 miles or more from the school they legally attend shall be eligible to receive transportation.

Nonpublic Schools Transportation

Education Law section 3635;

- ❖ Nonpublic school students whose residence is 15 miles or less from the school they legally attend shall be eligible to receive transportation.
- ❖ Applications for transportation to a nonpublic school must be submitted to the Transportation Department by April 1st of each year. Forms are available on the District's web site.

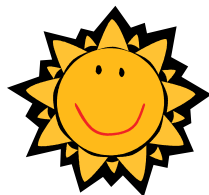
Note: Webster does not provide transportation to nonpublic schools on days when Webster is not in session due to scheduled breaks, workshops or emergency closings.

Childcare Transportation

If we will be transporting your child to any address other than home then you will need to fill out the Child Care Transportation Application. The applications must be submitted to the Transportation Department by April 1st for transportation in the subsequent school year. The childcare facility must be located within the Webster Central School District. Forms are available on the District's web site.

Emergency Closings

The decision to cancel school due to weather related conditions is done with the safety of the students in mind. Road conditions, visibility, forecasts and other factors are considered before deciding the best course of action. The Superintendent of Schools will make the determination in a timely manner after consultation with town officials, police, and the weather bureau. Parents will be notified through Blackboard Connect. Every effort is made to notify the local media by 6:00am.



Lost and Found

Busse are checked several times a day for articles the children may have left behind. They are immediately turned into the respective school. Items such as cell phones, keys, wallets and eye glasses are turned into the transportation office for safe keeping. Have your child first check with the driver for any missing or lost items.

Strive for 5 for School Bus Safety

The Transportation Department staff takes the children's bus ride to and from school very seriously. To help its newest riders feel more at ease on their first day of school, we have created a school bus safety program specifically for kindergartners and their parents.

Held in August, each student that will attend kindergarten in the fall will be invited to the Webster Transportation Department's annual school bus safety program. We call it; Strive for 5 for School Bus Safety. We are confident that you will find it most beneficial as your child begins their school experience.

School Bus Safety Rules

The District is committed to assuring that all students have a safe and pleasant ride on the school bus. Each student is expected to display good bus behavior daily. Good pupil conduct contributes to safety. Procedures require all students to conduct themselves with the safety of others in mind. The Webster Transportation Department will take a positive approach to any disruptive behavior and disrespect on our school buses. We hope you will join us as partners to eliminate all disrespectful incidences in our schools.



Dedication

The Webster Transportation Staff is dedicated to making your child's bus ride an encouraging experience. Our enthusiastic team of drivers is committed to a safe, reliable service for your family.

Each day, as your child steps onto the school bus, we hope they have a positive first impression of this department and of the Webster Central School District.

