Updated bus timetables, including dedicated school buses starting Monday 25 October 2021

Transport Canberra's dedicated school bus services will recommence on Monday 25 October 2021. This includes 'S' trips that divert into schools.

Please plan ahead as timings have changed for both dedicated school services and the regular timetable. We are strongly encouraging families to check their <u>school pack</u> and plan ahead.

Special Needs Transport continues to run for those families that need this service.

A range of <u>COVID-safe measures</u> are in place to help keep students safe on public transport. Please familiarise yourself with these measures and talk to your children about them before the return to school.

The <u>revised interim timetables</u> are online.

COVID Safe travel for school students

Transport Canberra's highest priority is the safety of our customers and our workforce and increased cleaning at stops and stations and on board is being carried out every day.

When travelling with us we ask that you practise good hand hygiene, don't travel if you feel unwell and spread out where possible.

To help keep everyone safe we ask students to always:

- Wear a face mask if 12 years or over
- Use Check In CBR on board if you are 16 years and over
- Don't forget your MyWay card! Cash is not being accepted on buses this doesn't mean you
 travel for free. Using a registered <u>MyWay card</u> remains important and helps with contact tracing.
- Use the rear doors on the bus unless you require low floor access
- Don't sit in the front seat on the bus or light rail these seats remain closed to provide distance for our drivers

Consider walking or riding to school - or using a part way point

Parents and carers may consider alternative ways to get their children to school. If they live close by, they can take advantage of the warmer spring weather and walk, ride or scoot to school!

Part way points are also a great way to get some exercise into children's days for families that live a little further away and this also helps to ease congestion around schools. Parents or carers can simply drop their child at a point, or park and walk the rest of the way with them.

Park safely and legally

All 40km/h school zones are in place between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday to Friday. Speed limits in school zones are there to ensure the safety of children by allowing motorists extra time to stop in an unexpected situation.

Parking across pedestrian crossings, corners, verges and double parking can block kids seeing the road.

Questions?

For enquiries, customers are encouraged to visit <u>Transport Canberra</u> or call 13 17 10.