

Parent Letter

Team Chesterfield families,

The Transportation Department has started utilizing an automated routing system in support of its work to identify efficiencies related to school bus transportation. This optimization process utilizes a computer software product that looks at active student residences and attempts to program stops on a bus run in a manner that more effectively transports students to and from school.

The Transportation Department is completing a review of our school's current bus runs, and believes there may be smarter routes that can be used. During the next few weeks, the transportation team will review potential changes to help determine the accuracy of the computer-generated ride patterns.

If there are more efficient, effective routes determined through this review, the Transportation Department will generate a letter for families with the adjusted route information. It is possible that a route number, bus stop and/or pickup/drop off time could change. However, no changes would be made until after Spring Break, and no changes would be made without several days' notice to families.

Our school is one of a small number of schools where routes could be optimized soon based on the current review of bus runs. Again, this letter is simply to inform you that the Transportation Department is currently reviewing routes at our school. This is not a formal notice that your child's bus route is changing. If a bus route your child is assigned to does change, the Transportation Department will generate a letter with the adjusted route after Spring Break.

As always, thank you for your support of our schools as we all work to provide the best possible level of service for our students and families.

Sincerely,

Principal Name