

Seymour Community School District
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Dear Parent/Guardian:

As we look forward to the upcoming 2019 – 2020 school year, the Seymour Community School District is working with Kobussen to transport students who sometimes require a change in their bus route home. These changes are for the safety and security of the students riding the bus.

First, if a student who is eligible for daily transportation needs to go to a different address, a note will be required from the parent stating that they give their permission for the student to be dropped off at that address for that day. These changes should be a rare exception, not a common occurrence. Long-term changes should be made with Kobussen so the student has a defined bus route to ride. This allows the school and bus driver to know who is on the bus and that the parent is aware of the change. As a reminder, students who are eligible for transportation reside two miles or more from the public school which they attend. Students living within the two-mile limit will be furnished transportation if the area has been designated "hazardous" by appropriate traffic officers and approved by the state.

Second, only students who are eligible for daily transportation will be allowed on school bus routes. The busses are scheduled to seat close to maximum capacity, so adding students can cause the bus to become overcrowded. Also for this reason, multiple students will not be allowed to be dropped off at an address. For example, if there is a birthday party at a house, Kobussen will not transport students who are not on that specific route normally.

If you have any questions regarding these changes, please feel free to contact Kobussen Bus at (920)221-1029.

We thank you for your cooperation in helping keep our students safe and accounted for while our district continues to be fiscally responsible. We wish you and your students the best for the upcoming school year!

Sincerely,

Pete Kempen

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Business Manager
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