



PENNSBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Pennsbury Families,

I hope you are enjoying your summer. We are busy preparing for the return of our students and staff in late August. One of the areas we are working on is transportation. We transport almost 9,000 students daily, and our primary concern is their safe and timely travel.

As part of our work in transportation, please be aware of the following:

- **Some bus routes and drivers are changing.** We recognize the important relationships that many students have with their drivers, but this is a necessary change as we work to improve travel times.
- To improve student safety, we have added cameras and audio on all district buses.
- We have partnered with [BusPatrol](#) to identify vehicles that pass our buses when children are being picked up or dropped off, potentially causing a safety issue.
- We have refined [Stopfinder GPS Tracking](#) for our buses. Look for an email from the transportation department the week prior to the start of school with details on how to register for Stopfinder. If you signed up last year, you do not need to sign up again.
- **Bus stop and route information will be available online on or about August 22.** Details will be shared in the coming weeks.

Not riding the bus this year? To help the district's transportation system operate in the most cost-effective manner possible, families have the option of waiving transportation services for the 22-23 school year. [Please complete the 2022-23 Transportation Opt-Out form](#) if your child is currently eligible for busing and will not ride the bus this year. If you are eligible for busing and wish to continue to use the service, there is no need to complete the form.

We have excellent, caring drivers whose goal is to transport our students safely to and from school each day. Please help support their work by watching our [bus safety video](#) with your child.

Be on the lookout for additional return to school updates starting next week. In the meantime, enjoy the rest of your summer vacation.

Sincerely,

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