Grossmont Union High School District Transportation News – 2025/2026 Updates

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are excited to share important updates and reminders regarding school transportation for the 2025/2026 school year. Please review the following information carefully to ensure a smooth start for your student:

Bus Pass Application Process

- Apply or Re-Apply Online: To order a new bus pass or ride tickets, please visit <u>www.guhsd.net</u> and complete the online application.
- Notification and Payment: Once your application is processed, you will receive instructions for payment. Bus passes and tickets will be provided to students by their bus driver after payment is received.
- No Longer Need Transportation? If your child no longer needs bus service, notify our office immediately.
- Routing: Students will not be routed until payment is received.
- New Pass Required: All student riders must have a new 2025/2026 bus pass to board the bus.

Stop Assignments

- Seating: Seating is determined by vehicle capacity.
- Changing Stops: Requests to change stops are not guaranteed.
- Stop Times:

The listed time is when the bus departs the stop—arrive at least 10 minutes early. Buses cannot wait for late arrivals.

Stop Time Changes & Route Assignments

• New Routes/Changes: All changes begin on Mondays or the first school day of the week.

• Posting:

Routes and times are posted on the last school day of each week on the Transportation Department's page at <u>www.guhsd.net</u>.

• Address Changes: Update address information in Infinite Campus before requesting a change in stop location.

Bus Passes

- Mandatory Possession: Students must have their bus pass with them at all times.
- Card Scanning: Students are required to scan their card when boarding and exiting the bus.

Important Dates

- 1. July 1, 2025 Fall bus pass applications available (online only).
- 2. August 1, 2025 Application and payment deadline for guaranteed service on the first day of school.
- 3. August 8, 2025 Fall route times posted.
- 4. August 11, 2025 First day of school.

Please note:

Posted stop times are approximate and may vary by up to 5 minutes. If your bus is more than 5 minutes late, please check the Stopfinder application before contacting dispatch.

If you have any questions or need assistance with the application process, please contact the Transportation Department.

Thank you for your cooperation. We look forward to a safe and successful school year!

Sincerely, Grossmont Union High School District Transportation Department