

# Bus Transportation

Transportation website: [asd20.org](http://asd20.org) > Parents > Transportation  
Student Route Info: [asd20.org](http://asd20.org) > Logins > Extended Parent Portal > Bus Routing



*Where can I find my student's current bus assignment?*

Check the Bus Routing link shown above, open Aug. 1 – last day of school.

*If my child attends the neighborhood school, do I qualify for school bus service?*

Students living in the school neighborhood but outside the “walk zone” are eligible for bus transportation. The Board approved walk zone is 1.5 miles for elementary students, and 1.75 miles for middle and high school students.

*If I choose to enroll my students at a school, do I qualify for school bus service?*

Only specific elementary and middle schools within District 20 qualify for choice bus transportation. A list of qualifying schools can be found on the Transportation website page.

*If my students are choice enrolled in a school that qualifies for transportation, where are the bus stops?*

District 20 provides choice stops at various locations throughout the district for choice-enrolled students, usually at or near an elementary school. Choice busing is considered a shared responsibility between families & Transportation, so there is no guarantee of walkable distance.

*How do I sign up for bus service?*

In District: Eligible neighborhood and choice students will be automatically assigned to the appropriate stop nearest your address. It will be visible on the Bus Routing link starting August 1 every year.

Out of District: You may request an existing stop within the district using the ‘Space Available Request’ (see below).

*Is there a fee for bus service?*

Academy District 20 charges a nominal fee for bus transportation. Semester passes and single-ride coupon books are available. Information on the 20Ride fee system and payment options, including a FAQ list, is available at on the Transportation website page.

### **Student Route Info & Space Available Request: [asd20.org](http://asd20.org) > Logins > Extended Parent Portal > Bus Routing**

Students may ride only the bus and stop to which they are assigned.

Changes to a student's assigned bus stop may be requested using this Space Available request.

A new request must be made every year; approved requests are good only until the end of the school year.

The Space Available Request link opens the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in July (add an annual reminder to your calendar!).

If you don't know your username and password for Extended Parent Portal, contact [help@asd20.org](mailto:help@asd20.org).

*“The mission of the Academy District 20 Transportation Department, a team of highly skilled, dedicated, and service-oriented professionals, is to provide safe, reliable, and efficient student transportation services in a nurturing and respectful environment, so that students arrive at their destinations in a timely manner ready to engage in learning.”*