



Service de transport de
Wellington – Dufferin
Student Transportation Services

NEWSLETTER 2023-2024

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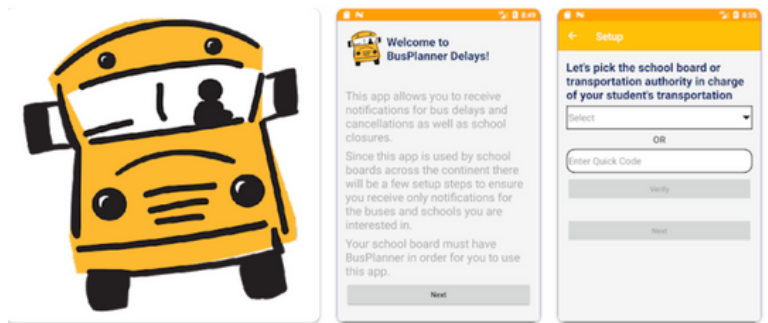
We offer a subscription service through the **Parent Portal** which will notify you via e-mail when your child's bus has been cancelled or delayed. Click [HERE](#) to subscribe!
Need help subscribing to the Parent Portal? Click [HERE](#).

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR FALL OF 2023!

BUSPLANNER DELAYS APP - NEW FOR 2023-2024

BusPlanner Delays App is available on both [IOS](#) and [android](#) devices. Please visit your app store to download!

We will be releasing this app to all parents and schools in Late August. Instructions for set-up will be posted at: stwdsts.ca and findmyschool.ca



OPTING OUT OF BUSING!

If your child is eligible for transportation and you do not plan on your child riding the bus in the Fall of 2023, please let us know by filling out our online [opt-out form](#). If you already opted your child out of busing in the past, you do not need to complete the Opt-Out Form again.

All opt-out status' are carried forward yearly but can be reversed at any time upon notification that transportation is required. Please call STWDSTS at 519-824-4119 and our staff would be happy to assist you. Please note this may take up to 5 business days to process.



BUSING INFORMATION

AND HOW TO FIND IT!

FOR NEW STUDENTS

If your child is new and has been registered at their school, please go to findmyschool.ca and create an account under Parent Portal to obtain your child's busing information.

Transportation information for Fall 2023 will be available after **Tuesday August 22, 2023.**

FOR EXISTING STUDENTS

If your child is an existing student, please go to findmyschool.ca and create an account under Parent Portal to obtain your child's busing information.

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BUS TAGS



Bus Tags assist drivers in identifying students who are required to be met by a parent or guardian when they are getting off the bus or transferring at a school.

Students in JK, SK and Gr 1 who ride a school bus will receive a tag from their school (at the beginning of September) showing the student's afternoon bus route number and bus stop location.

The tag should be attached to your child's backpack everyday throughout the year.

FIRST-TIME RIDER SAFETY PROGRAM!

The First-Time Rider Safety Program is booked (with wheelchair accessible sites), **Tuesday August 29, 2023!**

Registration opens in June 1, 2023.

For more information please visit:

<https://stwdsts.ca/home/firstrider/>

