

Your child uses school bus transportations

WHAT TO DO IF...

**Your child is not at their bus stop on
time in the morning?**

IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO DRIVE THEM
TO SCHOOL. The driver will not wait for them
as this would delay all the other students.

Please DO NOT CONTACT the busing
company.

**There is a change for their return
home** (they will attend the After-School
Program, you or an authorized friend or family
member will be picking them up, etc.)?

YOU MUST NOTIFY THE SCHOOL
SECRETARY BEFORE 2:00pm.

**A last-minute setback changes the
conditions of your child's return
home?**

BEFORE 2:45pm, call the school office at (709)
754-8000.

BETWEEN 2:45pm and 4:00pm, call the school's
emergency phone number at (709) 697-0815.

**You have any questions or comments
about the routes, the pick-up/drop-
off locations and times, or the bus
driver?**

Submit them in writing to the CSFP by mail or
email.

NEW ADDITIONS OR ADDRESS CHANGES

If you wish to register your child to
the School Transportation service,
change your current address or
request service for a second address,
please contact the school office.

CONTACT INFORMATION

School Office
École des Grands-Vents
(709) 754-8000
Emergency – (709) 697-0815
65 Ridge Road, Main Floor
St. John's, NL A1B 4P5
ecole-gv@csfptnl.ca
www.csfp.nl.ca/grands-vents

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WHO DOES WHAT?

THE CSFP IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ORGANIZING AND MANAGING THE SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION SERVICE.

It is the CSFP who determines the bus routes as well as the pick-up and drop-off locations, taking into account the students' safety according to government standards.

The CSFP also ensures that each bus driver has provided a police issued Criminal Record Screening Certificate and Vulnerable Sector Check.

Moreover, on a daily basis,

ÉCOLE DES GRANDS-VENTS IS RESPONSIBLE FOR...

- the students' safety, from the moment they step off the bus in the morning, until they depart by bus in the afternoon.
- enforcing the safety regulations as well as the behaviours expected on the school bus.
- determining if the school will be closing due to inclement weather.

THE BUSING COMPANY IS RESPONSIBLE FOR...

- the safety of the students, from the time of pick-up to their arrival at the school; and from the school to their drop-off location, after school.

Your children take the bus?

Between the house and the bus stop, you, parents, are responsible for the safety of your children, morning and afternoon.

You are equally responsible for providing the information required to organize the bus routes.

Your children do not take the bus?

You are responsible for the safety of your children outside school hours, which is to say before 8:30am and after 3:00pm. You must advise the school before 2:00pm if someone else will be picking up your child from school.

Please note that no organisation or individual is responsible for monitoring the students before the doors open to the school and to the Centre des Grands-Vents, at 8:30am.

The government regulations for School Transportation in Newfoundland, in summary

- School Transportation is available to all students living more than 1.6km from their school.
- The students may be required to occupy a bus stop located at a maximum of 400 metres from their house.
- Transportation is provided for a single address. Any other arrangement must be authorized by the CSFP.

Is the school open or closed?

When we must close the school due to inclement weather, we will inform you by as many means as possible : Synervoice, email, CBC, Radio-Canada (Halifax), VOCM, OZ FM, Facebook and on our website www.csfp.nl.ca/grands-vents.