

June 21, 2024

## Dear Parents and Guardians:

As some of you might be aware, transportation to and from the John McGivney School Authority (JMSA) is facilitated via the Windsor-Essex Student Transportation Services, which provides services to all the local school boards.

This year, due to increased student transportation needs across the city and county, JMSA bussing times have been impacted, and therefore, our school start and end times need to be changed for September 2024. Starting in September, our school start time will move from 9:00 am to 9:10 am, and our dismissal time will move from 3:00 pm to 3:10 pm.

How will this affect your child starting in September of the upcoming school year? Buses will run approximately 10 minutes later in the morning and drop off 10 minutes later in the afternoon. Approximate bus times will be shared with families through the school office before the start of the school year.

If you are seeking information about bussing, including pick-up and drop off times, or would like to sign up for school bus delay notifications, please do so via the website link below:

## https://buskids.ca

Click the "BusPlanner My Bus Information" icon (shown to the right) to log in or create an account.



JMSA understands that adapting to changes can be easy and challenging, depending on each individual's circumstances. This letter notifies all JMSA students and families affected, with a 10-week window to prepare for the new bell time change.

If you have any questions or need clarification, please contact the school directly.

Sincerely,

Mike Wilcox, Principal

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John McGivney School Authority