

Getting off the bus

- In the morning, when the bus drops you off at school you must go into school and not go to the shops.
- When your stop is next, ring the bell once. If this has already been done, you do not need to ring it again.
- Do not restrict the ability of pupils to get off at their designated stops.
- If you have to cross the road after you get off the bus, wait until the bus has moved off and you can see the road clearly in both directions, or go to the nearest available crossing.

Do not run across a road without looking and be particularly careful if you are crossing a road from behind a bus.

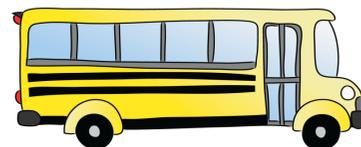


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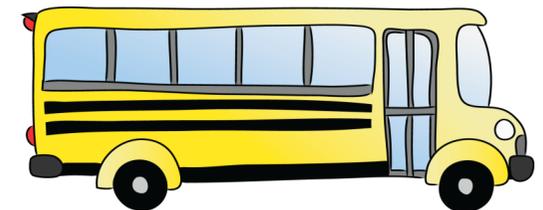
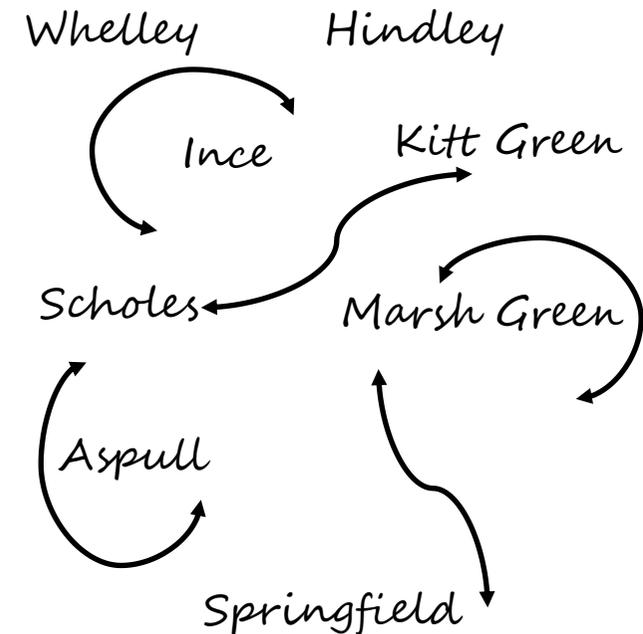
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Please contact your Head of Year if you have a problem with the school bus.



CODE OF CONDUCT ON THE SCHOOL BUS



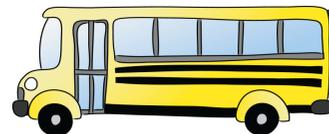
Introduction

We know that the vast majority of pupils behave well on school transport but, occasionally, the behaviour of a few can make the journey unpleasant for everyone, This can sometimes endanger others and negatively impact on the school's reputation. We have this code of conduct relating to travel on school buses because we want everyone to stay safe and travel in comfort. To make sure this happens we need all young people to follow our code of conduct.

Our code of conduct does give you a clear idea of what is expected of you and, if you follow the guidelines it contains, your journey to school will be safe and enjoyable. We all have a responsibility to make sure this is the case. If you don't keep to the code of conduct you will potentially face a range of sanctions.

Waiting for the bus

- Arrive promptly at the bus stop. The buses have to leave on schedule and it is your responsibility to get there as soon as possible at the end of the school day
- Queue sensibly, keep away from the road. Be careful not to block the path for members of the public. If the bus is late be assured that the school will do everything it can to get you home as soon as possible. Please don't take your frustrations out on school staff and the driver.
- Always get on the bus calmly, without pushing.



On the bus

You must present your bus pass or correct fare to the driver. Try to have these ready before getting on the bus.

- Treat the driver and all other passengers with respect. Do not use foul or abusive language.
- Find a seat and stay seated for the journey. If you have been told to sit in a particular seat, please respect this decision.
- Do not distract the driver unless in an emergency.
- Do not damage the bus or graffiti.
- Always behave sensibly throughout your journey. You must not throw any items on the bus at other pupils or from the bus at members of the public.
- Never touch the emergency exit.
- Never leave your bag in the aisle.
- Take any litter home with you.
- On school trips you could be asked to fasten your seatbelt. Please remember that this is a legal requirement.