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Discretionary Subsidised Transport – Borderbus students – 2015/16

Frequently Asked Questions

Is a place guaranteed?

Every effort will be made to provide transport for all students who want to attend Sir John Lemman High School & Sixth Form. However, this cannot be guaranteed, particularly from some rural areas.

Will the transport continue to be provided?

The school recognises the importance of reliable, ongoing arrangements and we will do our best, once a discretionary subsidised transport place has been offered, to maintain that arrangement for the student throughout their time at the School and Sixth Form. Unfortunately a guarantee cannot be given that a transport place will not be withdrawn at some future date. If this should become necessary, we will give at least one clear term's notice of our intentions to enable parents to make alternative arrangements.

Will the cost of subsidised transport increase?

Whilst we will make every effort to maintain costs at the lowest level possible, a guarantee cannot be given that the cost will not increase at some future date. If this should become necessary, we will give at least one clear term's notice of any increase.

What are the conditions of travel?

All students must behave in accordance with the Discipline and Pupil Behaviour Policy. This includes during the school day and whilst travelling to and from school. Appropriate action will be taken against students whose behaviour is unacceptable and in extreme cases this could involve the withdrawal of discretionary subsidised transport.

What if I forget or lose my bus pass?

It is important that bus passes are shown on each journey and have adequate credit at all times.

However, we have negotiated with Borderbus that no student will be left in a vulnerable position, either on the way to or from school. In this instance, an 'emergency' journey will be permitted with the details being advised to the school who will liaise with parents/carers to resolve the situation.

Who do I contact for further information?

Please contact Mrs Sue Booker on 01502 713223 or xsjb@sjlhs.suffolk.sch.uk

