



London Christian Elementary School

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To all (Busing) Parents:

Several times we have had students wishing to ride on other buses than their own, or wishing to be dropped off at other stops than their regular one. To ensure safety for all students, please note the following:

1. Students **must** have written permission from their own parent(s) to ride a bus other than their own, or, in the case that they don't normally ride the bus, to ride home with a bus friend.
2. Parents should not assume that permission would be granted. There are often factors such as space availability that would result in permission being denied.
3. If your child wishes to have a group of friends ride the bus, written notes from **each student's** parent(s) must be submitted. Please remember, no note, no ride.
4. In a situation where a group of students (2+ students) is hoping to ride on the bus (such as for a birthday party), advance notice would be greatly appreciated, and, again, permission should not be assumed, due to possible lack of space on the bus.
5. Students will not be dropped off at stops other than their own, except with written permission from their own parent(s). Please note that bus drivers cannot change their bus routes to accommodate these needs.

Below is a copy of a busing permission form. Further copies can be found on the school website at www.londonchristian.ca for you to print out and sign.

Thanks for your assistance!
The LCES Transportation Committee

Permission Request to Ride on LCES Bus
Please give this request to the bus driver

_____ (Name of child/children) Date ride is required _____

_____ (Name of route that child is requesting to ride on)

This student normally rides the bus _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, which route? _____

Please provide phone number in case contact needs to be made:

_____ (Name of parent)

_____ (Day time & cell phone number)

_____ Parent Signature