

# Transport to The Mountbatten School For children within and out of catchment

## Local Authority Transport provided for those attending the catchment school

Your child will qualify for free Local Authority transport on school buses from near your home to and from secondary school,  $\underline{if}$  they attend the catchment school  $\underline{and}$  the distance (measured by the shortest available walking route) is more than three miles. The Local Authority transport is provided by:

The Passenger Transport Group, Environment Department, Winchester SO23 8UD Tel: 01962 846924, 01962 845391, 01962 845332

You apply online here via our website:

https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/schooltransport/parent-carer/eligibility

### **Privilege Seats (Local Authority Transport)**

If your child does not qualify for free travel (as above), you may apply for them to be a 'privilege' passenger on Local Authority transport. This will depend on whether there are spare seats and only applies if the vehicle is contracted by Hampshire County Council to transport children. The privilege place can be withdrawn at short notice if it is needed for a child who qualifies for free transport.

Distance to Travel	Annual Charge	Termly Cost		
Up to 5 miles*	£600	£200		
5.01 to 7.5 miles*	£831	£277		
7.51 to 10 miles*	£1,164	£388		
Over 10 miles*	£1,330	£443		

**N.B:** If there is a public bus route available, you will be unable to apply for a privilege seat.

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## Out of Catchment Transport ROMSEY AREA

The Mountbatten School runs an out of catchment bus for the Romsey/Awbridge/Sherfield English Area. The cost is an initial payment of £75.00 and then 10 monthly payments of £75.00 per month. Once your child has a place confirmed at the school, if you would like to apply for the bus please telephone the school on 01794 502502 and ask for Ms Connors or email <a href="mailto:samantha.connors@mountbatten.hants.sch.uk">samantha.connors@mountbatten.hants.sch.uk</a> for a Romsey Area bus application form.

#### **LORDSHILL AREA**

The Lordshill area is serviced by the new Bluestar Mountbatten 654 bus route in addition to the public Bluestar 4/504 route:

#### Route 654

		B*4		B*4	
Southampton Vincents Walk		0700		0725	
Central Station		0706		0731	
Shirley Precinct	0716		0741		
Maybush Corner	0722		0747		
Lordshill Centre Library		0729		0754	0759
Nursling The Balmoral		0733		0758	0803
North Baddesley Fleming Avenue Shops	0743		8080		
Luzborough Roundabout	0751		0816		
Mountbatten School Grounds					0820

All student passes can be purchased directly through https://passes.gosouthcoast.co.uk/

Further information at: www.bluestarbus.co.uk or telephone: 0845 072 7094