

Term 3 update

RIDING SAFELY IN WET WEATHER

With wet and cold weather over the winter months, please remind your students to take extra care on our services. Bus floors and surfaces may be wet, and the roads can be slippery. Students can stay safe by moving down the bus and take a seat if they can. If a seat is not available, students should hold on to grab rails or poles in case a bus needs to brake suddenly.

Students should also allow plenty of time for the driver to stop safely by pressing the bell early and waiting until the bus comes to a complete stop before moving towards the door.

Thanks for keeping your school community updated about the information below:

SCHOOL SAFETY POSTER COMPETITION

Our school safety poster competition opens to all Victorian primary school students from 26 July. This year's themes are wet weather bus safety and safe behaviours around bus stops. Please encourage your students to enter. Competition details can be found at www.transdevmelbourne.com.au/poster-competition.

WEAR A MASK

All students above the age of 12 must wear masks on all public transport services. Our buses continue to be thoroughly cleaned each day to help prevent the spread of COVID-19 and protect your students.

TOUCHING ON IS IMPORTANT

Students are required to have a valid myki when travelling on our school services. We no longer accept cash on board, so students must ensure they have topped up their myki prior to travelling. Touching on ensures students are accurately counted on board our services and helps the Department of Transport plan school services.

Please encourage your students to register their myki. This may help with COVID-19 contact tracing and helps ensure the balance is protected if the card is lost or stolen.

LEAVE SOMETHING BEHIND?

If students leave anything behind on the bus, please contact 1800 718 121 (Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm) or 1800 800 007 (6am-midnight daily (all night Friday and Saturday)), or complete our online enquiry form at www.transdevmelbourne.com.au.

WE'RE HERE TO HELP

For all other enquiries such as early finishes, charter requirements, student free days, school term dates and feedback please contact Joseph Yokneh via melbourne.schools@transdev.com.au.

Stay safe,

Transdev Schools Team



SCHOOL SERVICES