



Pre-K / Kindergarten Transportation



Greetings!

If you are the parent, guardian or sitter of a Pre-school or Kindergartener, please review these helpful tips.

Pre-school and Kindergartners are often unsure of the big yellow bus. This is why we do everything possible to work with you in order to make them feel more comfortable.

With educational training that is fun and exciting, students receive training on how to ride the school bus and how to make sure they know what is needed to help keep them safe.

Do I need to be at the bus stop?

YES! The drivers would like for you to meet the bus so that they know the student is now in the hands of a reliable adult and that the student is safe after drop off.

My little one is on an IEP why are they not given special treatment?

Chardon Local Schools follows the state requirements for pre-school transport as it is not a requirement to transport pre-school. However, pre-school aged students are subject to the same transportation requirements as a regular education student. Kindergarten students who are on an IEP that have special requirements in there IEP under section 8 will be reviewed and accommodation per the students IEP will be met.

Why does my little one have to walk so far to get to the bus stop?

It is important to understand that for student's safety the state recommends that you walk with your student to the bus stop. However, please note that we try to keep pre-school and kindergarten students as close to their place of residence as possible.

If you have any other questions regarding the above topics or need more assistance, please reach out to our transportation department.