

Read transportation instructions carefully and share with others who might drop off or pick up your child/ren. Use care and be patient when entering and exiting the parking lot.

STUDENT TRANSPORTATION

Morning Transportation-Bus

This option is available for students living within the Forest Lake School District #831 busing area. Buses will pick your child up at the end of your driveway or at a nearby location designated by the bus garage. All elementary-aged students (from LILA, St. Peter's, and Central Montessori) will sit in the front few seats of the bus, near the driver. All elementary students will transfer to a shuttle bus at one of the Junior High schools. All LILA students will transfer to a LILA shuttle bus, which will bring students directly to Lakes International Language Academy. During the first week of school, LILA volunteers will be stationed at the junior highs to assist students transferring to shuttle buses. If you think you may *ever* want your children to take the bus this year, we strongly encourage you to have them use the bus right away, while we have parents and teachers helping at transfer points.

Morning Transportation-Drive-Through Drop Off

Vehicles enter at the main entrance (archway) parking lot (the west end of the building) and follow the lanes of orange cones or watch for the people in the orange vests to direct you to the next available drop-off site. Parents are encouraged to remain in the vehicle and allow the people with the orange vests to help child/ren out of the vehicles. When your child/ren are out of your vehicle please follow the other vehicles and exit at the furthest west exit. Please do not block the ambulance garage doors and always yield to the buses. All students arriving at 7:50 a.m. or after must be signed-in by their parent/guardian at the front desk through the main entrance.

Morning Transportation-From Amigos

Students who are signed in at Amigos before school will be allowed to go their classroom at 7:30 a.m.

Morning Transportation-Other

Due to our increasing numbers of students and our limited number of parking spaces, this option is discouraged for all but kindergarteners in the first two weeks of school, and students who, periodically, have a large project or heavy item they need help carrying. This option allows you to walk your children to their classrooms. Please use crosswalk area when crossing traffic. Parents walking their child/ren to class will need to put on a visitor's badge and sign in. For safety reasons we ask that you do not park on 11th Avenue or down the side streets.

Afternoon Transportation-Bus

Students riding the bus in the afternoon will get on a shuttle bus at LILA. All elementary students from the three elementary schools using this bus system will be shuttled to the Forest Lake High School, where they will transfer to their home buses. Younger children will be assigned a "bus buddy" from LILA to help them find their home buses. In addition, during the first two weeks of school, teachers and parent volunteers will be stationed at the high school, actively helping our students find their home buses. Again, if you plan to ever have your child use the bus this year; please do so right away to take advantage of all the adult help available to busers in the first week.

Afternoon Transportation-Drive-Through Pick-Up

Vehicles enter at the main entrance parking lot (the west end of the building) and follow the lanes of orange cones or watch for the people in the orange vests to direct you to the pick-up site. Parents are encouraged to remain in the vehicle and allow the people with the orange vests to bring their child/ren to the vehicle. When your child/ren are in your vehicle please follow the other vehicles and exit at the furthest west exit. Please do not block the ambulance garage doors and always yield to the buses.

Afternoon Transportation-To Amigos

Students who are registered for Amigos will be brought to Amigos by their teachers.

Afternoon Transportation-Other

Due to our increasing numbers of students and our limited number of parking spaces, this option is discouraged. This option allows you to enter the school on the WEST (changed from what was noted in your Bienvenidos Conference packet) end of the building to sign out your child/ren. Please use the crosswalk when crossing traffic. For safety reasons we ask that you do not park on 11th Avenue or down the side streets.

Drop Off Pick Up Map

