

Dear Parents and Guardians,

## School Transport – Autumn Term 2021/22

Please find enclosed details of Kilgraston School's proposed bus services for the coming term.

Following the guidance from Scottish Government and Education Scotland we are delighted to be communicating that our bus routes can be operated on a relatively normal basis as we return to School on the 26<sup>th</sup> August.

We will, of course, be continuing with our Covid-19 mitigation measures throughout the School establishment for all staff and pupils including hygiene, ventilation, improved cleaning regimes (including regular and thorough cleaning of surfaces) and regular handwashing with this also being extended to the School transport. Hand sanitizing will be required for everyone on every entry to dedicated school transport. Drivers and passengers aged 12 and over will be required to wear face coverings at all times.

Our policy on charging remains unchanged in so much as it is intended to only recover the operational costs incurred in the provision of this service and as such we have calculated these indicative costs based on assumptions of number of passengers and length of journey (using a combination of journey time and miles travelled). If we are successful in generating a higher uptake in the use of this service then we can and will review the charges downwards. Please note, if there are additional pick-up / drop off points that would be beneficial then please let us know and we will give this due consideration.

We will invoice the cost of the minibus use in arrears as we currently do for all other extras. Morning use of the bus will be on a per term basis, afternoon use of the bus will be charged on a pro-rata basis depending upon usage.

We are trialing a new booking system this year so towards the end of next week you will receive a further email with a e-form for completions if you are wishing to book your child(ren) onto the service. We ask that all families wishing to use the bus complete the form even if you have been a regular traveler in the past as it will ease the collation of our registers.

Should you have any queries, or would like to discuss the service in more detail, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Moira Mackie Head of Finance



Kilgraston School Bridge of Earn Perth, PH2 9BQ, UK Please find below our dedicated school minibus routes. Please note these timings are indicative and subject to change. Please ensure you confirm the timings with your driver.

Bus Route options:

☐ Dunkeld: Dunkeld North Car Park, Luncarty, Inveralmend

Pick Up / Drop Off Location	AM	PM	Charge per term one way (double for return)
Dunkeld Car Park North	07:55	18:10	£297
Luncarty	08:15	17:55	£177
Inveralmond	08:20	17:50	£144
Kilgraston School	08:35	17:35	-

☐ M90: Ferrytoll Park and Ride, Halbeath Park and Ride, Kinross Service Station, Milnathort

Pick Up / Drop Off Location	AM	PM	Charge per term one way (double for return)
Tesco, Ferrymuir, Sth Queensferry	07:15	18:25	£441
Ferrytoll Park & Ride	07:30	18:10	£374
Halbeath Park & Ride	07:45	18:00	£320
Kinross Services	08:05	17:55	£177
Milnathort	08:15	17:50	£156
Kilgraston School	08:35	17:35	-

☐ Crieff: Crieff, Crieff Road (Tesco), North Muirton, Perth Railway Station

Pick Up / Drop Off Location	AM	PM	Charge per term one way (double for return)
Crieff	07:25	18:30	£342
Perth (Crieff Road – Tesco)	07:55	18:05	£165
Perth - North Muirton	08:05	17:55	£138
Perth – Railway Station	08:15	17:45	£110
Kilgraston School	08:35	17:35	<del>-</del>

☐ North Fife: Newport-on-Tay, Balmullo, Cupar Railway Station, Lindores, Abernethy

Pick Up / Drop Off Location	AM	PM	Charge per term one way (double for return)
Newport-on-Tay	07:30	18:35	£418
Balmullo	07:40	18:25	£353
Cupar Railway Station	08:00	18:10	£287
Lindores	08:20	17:55	£198
Abernethy	08:30	17:45	£135
Kilgraston School	08:35	17:35	-



☐ Blairgowrie: Blairgowrie High School, Coupar Angus, Scone, Gannochy

Pick Up / Drop Off Location	AM	PM	Charge per term one way (double for return)
Blairgowrie – High School	07:30	18:30	£342
Coupar Angus	07:50	18:15	£265
Scone – Park and Ride	08:00	18:05	£170
Scone – opposite Scone Arms	08:05	18:00	£167
Gannochy	08:10	18:00	£149
Perth – Keir Street	08:15	17:55	£133
Perth – Isle of Skye Hotel	08:20	17:50	£110
Kilgraston School	08:35	17:35	-

☐ Dundee: Birkhill, Slessor Gardens, Invergowrie Slip Road, Longforgan, Inchture, Glencarse

Pick Up / Drop Off Location	AM	PM	Charge per term one way (double for return)
Birkhill	07:30	18:35	£353
Slessor Gardens	07:45	18:20	£325
Invergowrie Slip Road	08:00	18:10	£297
Longforgan	08:05	18:05	£270
Inchture Hotel	08:10	17:55	£163
Glencarse	08:25	17:45	£110
Kilgraston School	08:35	17:35	-

☐ A9 South: Stirling, Dunblane, Aberuthven, Auchterarder, Dunning

Pick Up / Drop Off Location	AM	PM	Charge per term one way (double for return)
Stirling – Craigforth Junction	07:10	19:00	£441
Dunblane	07:40	18:25	£374
Auchterarder	07:55	18:15	£198
Aberuthven	08:00	18:05	£187
Dunning – Kirk Wynd	08:15	17:50	£133
Forteviot	08:20	17:45	£100
Forgandenny	08:25	17:40	£67
Kilgraston School	08:35	17:35	-





