



YONKERS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Transportation Fact Sheet



- Transportation will only be provided to regular education students who attend a school within the City of Yonkers and reside one and one-half (1 ½) miles or more from the school they attend.
- Special education students receive transportation as specified in their Individual Education Plan (IEP).
- Students eligible for transportation will be notified before school begins in September.
- Students attending parochial schools within the City of Yonkers must submit an application for transportation every year by April 1.
- High School students must pay for bus transportation; eligible students must purchase a monthly Yonkers Public Schools Bus Pass/Student MetroCard.

Elementary and Middle School Students

- Transportation is available to students in grades prekindergarten through eight and reside one and one-half (1 ½) miles or more from the school they attend.

High School Students

- High School students must pay for bus transportation to public and parochial high schools.
- To be eligible for a Yonkers Public Schools Bus Pass/Student MetroCard students in grades nine through twelve must reside one and one-half (1 ½) miles or more from the school they attend.
- High school students eligible for transportation can purchase, at their high school, a Student MetroCard for public transportation (Bee-Line Bus) or a Yonkers Public Schools Bus Pass (bus sticker) for yellow school bus transportation that is designated for specific areas of the City.
- The cost for the Yonkers Public Schools Bus Pass/Student MetroCard is \$25.00 each month (\$250 for the school year September to June) for students eligible for transportation. Families that meet the District Policy and provide documentation from the Department of Social Services indicating qualifying family income may receive transportation free of charge.
- There will be a \$10 charge for all lost student metro cards.

For further information, contact the Transportation Department at 376-8015.

