



King Springs K-1 and 2-5

Transportation 2016-2017

I hope everyone is having a wonderful summer resting, relaxing, and reading. Here at King Springs, the teachers and staff are hard at work preparing our schools for our students. We have met with county transportation supervisors and have determined processes and procedures that will ensure the safety of our students. Safety is the number one driving factor for these new procedures, which is why we must have your full cooperation in implementing the plan. This year we will have seven busses with no second runs.

BUS TRANSPORTATION

Questions regarding bus routes, bus drivers, and pick up and drop off times should be directed to Cobb County School District's Transportation Department. Please call 678-594-8000.

To view the most current bus route information for your address visit <http://bit.ly/ccsdtransportation>.

Kindergarten/1st Grade Bus Ride Along

Kindergarten and First Grade students along with their parents are invited to ride the bus on Friday morning, July 29th, as a practice run prior to the first day of school. Buses will run at the regular scheduled morning pick up times and parents/students should be at the bus stop at least 5 minutes early.

Due to limited space, we ask that you limit the number of additional family members riding. Only school-age children are allowed to ride as our regular buses are not equipped with car seats. The bus will follow the planned route to school, and will immediately return everyone to their assigned bus stop.



BUS RIDERS

Students attending King Springs K-1 and 2-5 campus will catch the bus at the bus stop assigned by Cobb County Transportation. Buses will travel first to Kings Springs 2-5 campus to drop off students for this campus. Students attending King Springs K-1, will remain on the bus and will be transported to the K-1 campus. Staff members will be in place to ensure each child remains on the bus and arrives to their appropriate classroom.

Please note: If you have a child at the K-1 campus and you would like, he/she may catch the bus at the 2-5 campus no later than 7:10 A.M. You will be expected to walk your child to the bus boarding station and stay with them until students board the bus. This boarding station will be located on the bus port parking lot, near the playground. If you wish to utilize this form of transportation you must enter from the Gann Road entrance.

BUS PICK-UP

Students should arrive at the bus stop no later than 5 minutes prior to the pick-up time and are to wait in an orderly manner. Parents should provide supervision at the bus stop. Buses are not considered late until 5 minutes after the scheduled pick up time has elapsed. Please keep up to date on possible bus route changes (especially at the beginning of the school year) by visiting <http://bit.ly/ccsdtransportation>.

BUS DROP-OFF

Students will be returned to the King Springs 2-5 campus if the bus driver determines there is not adequate supervision for students at home. Families are responsible for ensuring arrangements have been made for students once they are off the bus. If students are returned, the school will make every effort to contact a parent/guardian. If no contact can be made, the student will be placed in ASP, resulting in a \$7.00 charge, and an additional \$10.00 charge if the student has not been registered.



Car Riders

If you drive your student to school you must use the carpool line. You may not park and walk your student to his/her classroom. Unfortunately, we will not have adequate parking to facilitate this for parents.

MORNING CARPOOL

Students should be dropped off in the carpool line and in class before 7:50 at both the K-1 and 2-5 buildings. If the carpool lane is closed (oops...the bell has rung!) park and accompany your child into the building, check in at the office, and child(ren) will be provided a tardy slip. **As instructional time has started, you may not walk your child to class.**

AFTERNOON CARPOOL

Dismissal time for the K-1 campus is 2:00 and 2:20 for the 2-5 campus. Students must be picked up by **2:35** at the K-1 campus and **2:45** at the 2-5 campus. Students at the King Springs 2-5 campus will be placed in ASP and charged the daily rate, and application fee if not already registered. This is not an option at King Springs K-1 campus as ASP does not operate at that facility.

Car Pool tickets are numbered tags to be displayed in the vehicle each time a child is picked up in carpool. Each family will receive one number and two tags.

