



May 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

## **Re: Bus Travel Application 2024-25**

Welcome to Ivybridge Community College!

If you live within the school catchment area but more than a certain distance from the school, you will be entitled to free transport through Devon County Council. You will need to apply for a place through DCC and can find all the details that you need know on this link <https://new.devon.gov.uk/educationandfamilies/school-information/school-and-college-transport>

If you do not live in the school catchment area, the college operates a number of bus routes that you can book a place on for an annual fee.

The annual charge for the 2024/25 Bus Service is £893.00 (this works out at £4.70 per day). As a College we make every effort to minimise the cost and the College continues to subsidise this service as much as possible.

### **How to pay**

Bus charges can either be paid by monthly standing order or termly payments through ParentPay.

### **Standing Order Payments**

If you would like to pay by this method you will need to set up the standing order with your bank for 10 monthly payments of £89.30 from 7 August 2024 – 7 May 2025. Our bank details are as follows:

<b>Bankers</b>	<b>Lloyds Bank</b>
Account name	Westcountry Schools Trust – School Fund
Sort Code	30-94-58
Account number	25142960

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## Termly Payments

If you choose to pay termly please note that our payment terms are settlement of deposit by 7 August 2024 and the remaining termly balances one month after the start of each term.

Term	Amount £	Payment Deadline
Autumn Deposit	89.30	7 August 2024
Autumn Final Balance	253.80	7 October 2024
<b>Autumn Total</b>		
Spring	272.60	3 February 2025
Summer	277.30	20 May 2025
<b>Total</b>	<b>893.00</b>	

## Application Process for school operated routes

The application process will open on the 3rd June. Please complete the bus application at:  
<https://www.ivybridge.devon.sch.uk/page/?title=Bus+Routes&pid=10>

We strongly recommend that you submit your application as soon as possible, the closing date for applications is Monday 1st July 2024. Unfortunately, we cannot guarantee a seat due to the high demand for the service. Should there be no seat available for your chosen route, we will be in contact to discuss alternative options.

Once you have completed your application, please make payment of £89.30 by 7 August 2024, either by standing order or by payment of the autumn deposit on ParentPay. We will endeavour to get the charge onto your ParentPay account as soon as possible following your application.

Our Terms and Conditions are on the website and I would suggest that you read these, as by proceeding with your payment you are accepting these conditions.

Following receipt of the £89.30 deposit, a bus pass will be posted to you before the start of the Autumn term. Your child must carry the bus pass with them on every journey, as we operate a strict NO PASS NO TRAVEL POLICY.

Please note priority will be given to those students requiring full time travel

## BUS ROUTES

The current routes are detailed below. Please make your 2024/25 application based on this information.

**Due to changing demand, there may be some alterations to the current bus routes. These will be finalised after 1 July when the application window closes.**

All changes will be communicated as soon as possible.

If you have any queries, please contact [buses@ivybridge.devon.sch.uk](mailto:buses@ivybridge.devon.sch.uk) or call Gaynor Salt on 01752 691000.

Yours faithfully  
Mel Haymes  
**Business Accountant**

## Bus Routes Information (Updated MAY 2024)

Route and Point number	Plym 1 (Derriford, Estover and Plympton South)	Pick-up time
1.1	Derriford Road	07:48
1.2	Rogate Drive	07:51
1.3	Thornbury Park/Thornbury Primary	07:52
1.4	Asda ( Top of Keswick Crescent )	07:54
1.5	McDonald's Plymouth Road	08:02
1.6	Opp St Mary's Church	08:06
1.7	Plympton library (Ridgeway)	08:07
1.8	Dark Street Lane (Mudge Way)	08:08
1.9	George Hotel	08:10
1.10	Wain Park	08:11
1.11	Chaddlewood Triangle	08:13
1.12	St Maurice View	08:15

Route and Point number	Plym 2 (Plympton North)	Pick-up time
2.1	Woodford Avenue	07:56
2.2	Great Woodford Drive/Harvester	07:58
2.3	Larkham Lane	07:59
2.4	Dingle Road	08:00
2.5	Colebrook Tunnel	08:02
2.6	Opp Lord Louis	08:04
2.7	Westfield	08:06
2.8	Glen Road Subway	08:08
2.9	Glen Park School	08:10
2.10	Clement Road	08:11
2.11	Chaddlewood Shops	08:12
2.12	Sandy Road	08:13

<b>Route and Point number</b>	<b>Plym 3 (Mannamead)</b>	<b>Pick-up time</b>
3.1	Manadon Wood	07:47
3.2	Weston Park Road	07:50
3.3	St Martin's Avenue	07:52
3.4	Thornbury Park Road	07:53
3.5	Peverell Pk Methodist Church	07:54
3.6	Hyde Park Shops	07:55
3.7	Thorn Park	07:58
3.8	Whiteford Road	07:59
3.09	Hartley Reservoir	08:01
3.10	The Drive	08:02

<b>Route and Point number</b>	<b>Plym 4 (Central)</b>	<b>Pick-up time</b>
4.1	Windsor House	07:40
4.2	Tamar Pub	07:45
4.3	Torr Lane (Morrisons)	07:48
4.4	Weston Park Road	07:50
4.5	Peverell Corner	07:51
4.6	Opp. DHS For Girls	07:53
4.7	Home Park	07:55
4.8	Milehouse Central Park	07:57
4.9	Opp Cuffe Road (Alma Road)	07:58
4.10	Plymouth Railway Station	08:00
4.11	Opp Jurys Inn, Exeter Street	08:03
4.12	Opp. Astor Field	08:06
4.13	Prince Rock School	08:07
4.14	Lanhydrock Road	08:09
4.15	Laira Flyover	08:10
4.16	Military Road	08:12

<b>Route and Point number</b>	<b>Plym 5 (Eggbuckland)</b>	<b>Pick-up time</b>
5.1	Henders Corner Shops	07:48
5.2	Bluebird Inn	07:50
5.3	Fort Austin Av Garden Centre	07:58
5.4	Widey Cross	08:00
5.5	Great Berry Road	08:02
5.6	Manadon Roundabout	08:03

<b>Route and Point number</b>	<b>Plym 6 (Yelverton)</b>	<b>Pick-up time</b>
6.1	Yelverton Roundabout	07:40
6.2	Moorland Garden Hotel	07:44
6.3	Clearbrook Turn	07:45
6.4	Bickleigh Turn	07:48
6.5	Roborough	07:50
6.6	Roborough Footbridge	07:51
6.7	George Junction	07:56
6.8	Mercedes garage	08:00
6.9	William Prance Road	08:02

<b>Route and Point number</b>	<b>Plym 7 (Wembury)</b>	<b>Pick-up time</b>
7.1	Hollacombe	07:45
7.2	Brownhill Lane	07:52
7.3	Seaview Drive	07:54
7.4	Southland Park Road	07:56
7.5	Odd Wheel	07:59
7.6	Crossroads Garage	08:05
7.7	Elburton Church	08:08
7.8	Elburton School	08:10

Route and Point number	Plym 8 (Woolwell)	Pick-up time
8.1	Church Park Road	07:48
8.2	School Drive Woolwell Road	07:50
8.3	Ferndale Close Woolwell Road	07:52
8.4	Woolwell Roundabout	07:55
8.5	Powisland Drive	08:00
8.6	Charlton Road	08:03

Route and Point number	Plym 9 (Heybrook Bay)	Pick-up time
9.1	Heybrook Bay	07:38
9.2	Down Thomas Village Hall	07:41
9.3	The Mussel Inn	07:42
9.4	Greenhill Close	07:47
9.5	Green Park Road East	07:49
9.6	Green Park Road West	07:51
9.8	Great Churchway	07:53
9.9	Reservoir Road	07:56
9.10	Stentaway Road	07:58
9.11	Saltram Meadow	08:00

Please note -

- All transport arrives at the College car park at approximately 8.20am
- The return journeys start at 3.25pm
- The bus does the return stops for Plym 3, Plym 4 and Plym 5, Plym 9 in the **same** order as the pick-up route.
- The bus does the return stops for Plym 1, Plym 2, Plym 6, Plym 7, Plym 8 in the **reverse** order as the pick-up route.

## **Minibus Routes Information:**

**The current stops are listed below. Exact routes, timings and stops will be finalised when the application window has closed**

<b>Current Stops</b>
Dartington
Harberton Village 'The Bus Stop'
Diptford Farm
Diptford School
Salmon's Leap
Dart Bridge Rd Steam Railway
Plymouth Road, Buckfastleigh
Buckfast Dean Forge
Harbourneford Phone Box
South Brent , London Inn