

## **Bohally Intermediate School Bus Information**

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

The Ministry of Education, through Ritchies, provide bus transport to and from school for those students who are eligible. Buses travel from Witherlea, Spring Creek and Grovetown.

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Any queries regarding if you are eligible or which bus your child will be on contact Ritchies on 578 5467

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### **Witherlea Buses**

The **Witherlea East** bus travels along Redwood Street, then onto Wither Road and down Scott Street towards school.

Witherlea East Bus Stops: 183 Redwood Street and 98 Wither Road.

Students need to be at their bus stop no later than 8:20am.

The **Witherlea West** bus travels along Wither Road towards school.

Witherlea West bus stops: 38 Wither Rd and 18 Wither Road. In the afternoons the bus stops opposite 18 Wither Road and 38 Wither Road.

Students need to be at their bus stop no later than 8:20am.

### **Spring Creek Bus**

Boys are picked up at Spring Creek School.

Girls are picked up at the Old Spring Creek Post Office (By Swampy's Backpackers).

Students need to be at their bus stop at 8.05am.

### **Grovetown Bus**

All children are collected at the Grovetown Hall.

Students need to be at their bus stop at 8.05am.

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After school all buses leave Bohally at 3:10pm. Students need to be at the school bus stop in front of the Marlborough Technology Centre before 3:10pm to ensure they catch their bus.

If your application is accepted your child will be issued with a bus pass on the first day of Term 1.

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If your child travels more than 2.4km to the school bus stop you may be eligible for a Conveyance Allowance. Please pick up a **Ministry of Education School Transport Assistance Form** from the school office to fill out.

Yours sincerely,

Dan Hammond,  
Bus Controller.



## **Bohally Intermediate Bus Travel Application**

Given that my child lives at the following address I am applying for her/him to travel to Bohally on the bus.

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

My child will be on the **Witherlea East/Witherlea West/Spring Creek/Grovetown** bus (Circle one)

## **Bohally Intermediate Code of Conduct for Bus Travel**

This Code of Conduct is between \_\_\_\_\_ (student),  
\_\_\_\_\_ (the student's caregiver), Mr Hammond (Bus Controller), Ritchies Coachlines and Bohally Intermediate School.

Parents/caregivers and students should ensure they have read and understood this document, which is to be adhered to for the safety of the bus driver and all students travelling on the school bus.

I, \_\_\_\_\_(student), agree to abide by the behavioural expectations described below:

- When I am a seated passenger, I will remain in my seat for the whole journey.
- I will not eat on the bus or throw anything inside or out of the bus.
- I will respect other students and their property at all times (this includes pushing, verbal or physical abuse, or any other behaviour that may distract the driver).
- I will use socially acceptable language when conversing with the driver and/or other students and I will not speak at a volume that may distract the driver.
- I will observe the requirements and instructions of the bus driver and the teacher/s responsible for bus duty at all times.
- I understand that any damage I cause to the bus will result in my caregiver being billed for the cost of repairs.

### **If this Code of Conduct is broken:**

- Your child may not be allowed to ride the bus for a period of time. Alternative transport to school will be needed.
  - Where there are ongoing or extreme behavioural concerns the privilege of travelling on the school bus may be withdrawn completely.
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### **Agreement**

I have read and discussed the Code of Conduct with my child and we agree to the consequences should the Code of Conduct not be followed.

Parent/Caregiver Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_