

JERICHO UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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To Private and Parochial Schools:

In preparation for the coming school year, 2021-2022, we have provided you with the Jericho School District calendar. In order to provide students with efficient transportation we are requesting your school's 2021-22 calendar. Please send your calendar to the Transportation Office by June 30, 2021.

Residents of the Jericho School District, whose children will be attending a private or parochial school during the 2021-22 school year must prove residency in our High School Guidance Office and submit a transportation application to the Transportation Department on or before April 1, 2021. Failure to submit the application by April 1st could jeopardize their ability to qualify for transportation. Please inform any new applicants that transportation applications can only be obtained through the Jericho School District.

Transportation is not provided for schools over 15 miles from the student's residence. Late buses are provided if there are five or more students who will ride the bus on a daily basis. It is understood that transportation will not be provided on the following days: Columbus Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day and day after, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day, President's Day, Memorial Day and Labor Day. "In addition, each general election day, and any day appointed by the president of the United States or by the governor of New York State may be declared public holidays." There will be no bus service for orientation days. Please keep this letter in your files as we will not be sending out monthly letters.

If Jericho Schools are closed due to inclement weather, there will be no transportation for any schools. If the district is operating with a delayed opening, then all schools will be transported on a delayed schedule. School closing information can be found on our website at www.jerichoschools.org. Please refer to the district calendar for further information.

All new residents and students who move within the Jericho School District must prove residency. You can reach us at (516) 203-3600, Ext. 3244, if you have any questions concerning the registration procedure.

A separate transportation application must be submitted each year for each child. Jericho residents must use our application as we will not accept the private/parochial school's application. Eligible children must be five years old no later than December 1, 2020. Public school age requirements govern all transportation eligibility.

Thank you,

Lori-Ann Savino
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