

## 2014-2015 MPS TRANSPORTATION REGIONS

ELEMENTARY REGIONS SCHOOLS								
must live over 1 mile and within the school region boundaries unless indicated as exception below								
VINCENT REGION	CUSTER REGION	MARSHALL REGION	RIVERSIDE REGION	WASHINGTON REGION	SOUTH REGION	HAMILTON REGION	BAY VIEW REGION	CITYWIDE REGION
Bruce K-5	©Auer Av K-8	Browning K-5	Carver K-8	Bethune K-8	Allen-Field K-8	Academy of Acc. Learning K-5	Burdick K-8	ALBA K-5
Bryant K-5	Barton K-6	Carson K-8	Cass St K-8	©Brown St K-5	Doerfler K-8	Alcott K-8	Clement Ave K-8	B.E.A.M. K-8
Engleburg K-5	Clemens K-5	<b>Congress K-8</b>	KT Daniels K-8	Burbank K-8	Forest Home K-5	Curtin K-8	Cooper K-8	Elm K-5
Goodrich K-5	Franklin K-8	81 <sup>st</sup> St K-8	Gaenslen K-8	Clarke St K-8	Grant K-8	Fairview K-8	Dover K-5	Fratney K-5
Kluge K-5	<i>Hawthorne K-5</i>	Emerson K-5	*Hartford K-8	*Hawley K-5	Greenfield K-8	Honey Creek K-5	Garland K-5	French Imm K-5
Maple Tree K-5	©Obama K-8	53 <sup>rd</sup> St K-8	Holmes K-8	<b>Hi Mount K-8</b>	Kagel K-5	Manitoba K-8	HumboldtPk K-8	German Imm K-5
Sign Language k-8	<i>©Silver Spring K-5</i>	Grantosa K-8	©Jackson K-8	©Hopkins-Lloyd K-8	Lincoln Ave K-5	Morgandale K-8	Lowell K-8	Hayes K-5
Parkview K-5	Thoreau K-8	Hampton K-5	©Keefe Ave K-8	Metcalfe K-8	Longfellow K-8	Whitman K-6	Trowbridge K-8	IDEAL K-8
Rivertrail K-8	Thurston Woods K-8	Kilbourn K-5	©King Jr K-8	Neeskara K-5	Mitchell K-8	Zablocki K-5	*Victory K-8	Golda Meir 3-8
Stuart K-5		Lancaster K-5	©Lafollette K-8	*Starms ECC/DLC K-8	Riley K-5		<b>Whittier K-8</b>	Milw Chinese K-8
		95 <sup>th</sup> St K-5	<b>Milw College Prep K-4</b>	Story K-8	Rogers St K-8			Spanish Imm K-5
		<b>Sherman K-8</b>	Pierce K-8	Townsend K-8	Vieau K-8			Tippecanoe K-8
		65 <sup>th</sup> St K-8	Siefert K-5	Westside I&II K-8				WCLL K-12
MONTESSORI SCHOOLS								
must live over 1 mile and within 5 miles of school for transportation								
Craig K-8	L Barbee K-5	Craig K-8	Maryland K-8	MacDowell K-12	Kosciuszko K-3	Fernwood K-8	Fernwood K-8	
							Howard K-1	
TRADITIONAL MIDDLE SCHOOLS								
must live over 2 miles and within school region boundaries								
			Audubon	Audubon	Audubon	Audubon	Audubon	Lincoln MS
NW Secondary	NW Secondary	NW Secondary	NW Secondary	NW Secondary				Roosevelt MS
			Wedgewood Pk	Wedgewood Pk	Wedgewood Pk	Wedgewood Pk	Wedgewood Pk	

©- Cluster School: busing provided if resident address over .5 miles and under 2 miles of school

\*- Neighborhood Specialty School: busing provided if resident address more than 1 mile and under 7 miles of school

**Bold** - indicates NO busing available

*Italics* -indicates Year Round School

### Selecting Elementary or Middle Schools in Your Transportation Region

The **elementary schools** in MPS are divided into eight transportation regions. The regions are coded according to high school areas. Regions run north-south through the city. If you select a school outside of your attendance area but in your region, you will be provided transportation if you live outside of the walk zone, a one-mile radius from the school. If you select a school outside of your region, you must provide transportation unless the school is citywide. Citywide schools transport children from all regions. Charter Schools have their own transportation rules. Always ask about transportation if you choose a Charter School.

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HIGH SCHOOLS		
Northside Attendance Area HS	Southside Attendance Area HS	Citywide HS
Must live over 2 miles, outside of school's attendance area & North of Lincoln Avenue for busing	Must live over 2 miles, outside of school's attendance area & South of Capitol Drive	Must live over 2 miles
Madison North Division School of Career & Tech Ed Vincent Washington	Bay View 6-12 Hamilton Pulaski South Division	ALAS Alliance 6-12 Audubon Bradley Tech Carmen Community Groppi Intl Peace Aca Milw HS of the Arts Milw School of Entrepreneurship Milw. School of Languages 6-12 Morse 6-12 New School for Comm. Service Professional Learning Institute Project Stay Reagan Riverside Rufus King 6-12

### Selecting High Schools in Your Transportation Region

Transportation is provided as follows:

- **Attendance Area School** — You must live more than two miles from the school, in the school's region (N or Lincoln or S of Capitol), *and* outside of the school's attendance area to be provided transportation.
- **Citywide School** — You must live more than two miles from the school to be provided transportation.
- **Charter School** — Check with the school. Charter schools set their own transportation rules.

Students eligible for transportation either ride a yellow bus or receive a weekly bus pass for Milwaukee County Transit System. Students may have to walk up to one mile to a yellow bus stop. See the individual school listing for more information.

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The transportation provided to school children differs according to grade levels. See the Transportation heading in the elementary, middle, and high school sections of this catalog. Charter schools set their own transportation areas. Check with the school before selecting it if your child will need transportation.

### Moving Household

If you move outside of your elementary or middle school transportation region, your child will be provided transportation only if a bus stop for the school currently exists near your new home. If there is no existing bus stop, you must either provide transportation or change your child's school. You will be asked to select a new school for your child for the following year or to sign a contract that says you will provide transportation.

### Special Education/Access for Persons with Disabilities

All district schools serve children with special needs; however, not all services are available at all schools. Parents are advised to work closely with their child's Individualized Education Program (IEP) team, and the receiving principal/building administrator, to determine which schools are best equipped to meet the needs of the child. Children with disabilities must follow the same rules for transportation as other children, unless the IEP identifies a specialized transportation need or modification.

Parents of children with limited mobility should review the accessibility key (\*) for each school and discuss the accessibility needs of the child with the principal/building administrator of the school they wish the child to attend. Children with special needs are also eligible for the Chapter 220 Voluntary Student Transfer Program and for Public School Open Enrollment. See Other Options on page 62.

### Homeless Students

All MPS schools strive to remove barriers to academic success for homeless children. That is why MPS has a Homeless Education Program office in Parent and Student Services and a school-based homeless contact in every MPS school to assist homeless children and families.

The McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act defines the homeless as "individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence." This definition includes children and youth whose family has lost housing due to economic difficulties and is sharing the housing of others (doubled-up); who are living in motels, hotels, transitional or emergency shelters, or whose nighttime residence is a place not normally used for housing. Unaccompanied youth and migratory children, who qualify as homeless because they are living in circumstances described above, have the same rights.

Homeless children have many rights and are eligible for many services under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act. Examples include: homeless children and youth have the right to stay in the school they attended prior to becoming homeless (the school of origin); transportation from their temporary residence to the school may be provided; homeless students are eligible for free lunch; and homeless children have the right to waivers of school fees and to school supplies. Parents/guardians of homeless children or unaccompanied youth should discuss the situation with the school-based homeless contact or with the homeless liaisons in the Homeless Education Program at Parent and Student Services so eligibility can be determined and services coordinated. Call (414) 475-8911 for more information.

### Bus Stops for K3 to K5 pupils

**Half-day a.m.** – Are picked up at the closest safe corner stop in the morning and dropped off at that same corner mid-day.

**Half-day p.m.** – Are picked up at the closest safe corner stop at mid-day and dropped off at that same corner in the afternoon.

**All-day** – Are picked up at the closest safe corner in the morning and dropped off at the closest safe corner in the afternoon.

**Pupils in Grades 1–5 are expected to walk up to 1/4 mile to a safe corner stop.**

**Pupils in Grades 6–12 are expected to walk up to 1/2 mile to a safe corner stop.**