



RTHS Bus Rider Expectations 2025-2026

We are excited to offer students the opportunity to ride the bus. We expect students to maintain themselves in such a way as to deserve the privilege of riding our new bus!

RTHS Bus Routes and Times 2025-2026

AM RTHS Bus Stops	AM Time	PM Blue Bus Stops	Regular PM Time	Friday	Early Release Days	Transportation # :
3021 S. Miami Blvd (World Overcomers Church/Sheetz)	7:17 AM	3021 S. Miami Blvd (World Overcomers Church/Sheetz)	3:50 PM	2:35 PM	1:25 PM	984.888.7156
101 Ganyard Farms Way (Dollar General)	7:27 AM	101 Ganyard Farms Way (Dollar General)	4:00 PM	2:45 PM	1:35 PM	
107 N. Driver St./Main St (Shepherd's House Church)	7:39 AM	107 N. Driver St./Main St (Shepherd's House Church)	4:12 PM	2:57 PM	1:47 PM	
904 W. Chapel Hill St. (Emily K Center front Lot)	7:49 AM	904 W. Chapel Hill St. (Emily K Center front Lot)	4:22 PM	3:07 PM	1:57 PM	
4215 University Dr. (At Home Store Parking Lot)	7:59 AM	4215 University Dr. (At Home Store Parking Lot)	4:32 PM	3:17 PM	2:07 PM	
1305 Odyssey Dr. (Kings Park Church Parking Lot)	8:11 AM	University & Shannon (Bank Of America 2100	4:35 PM	3:20 PM	2:10 PM	
		1305 Odyssey Dr. (Kings Park Church Parking Lot)	4:47 PM	3:32 PM	2:22 PM	
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PROCEDURES FOR WAITING FOR THE BUS

- Be at your bus stop (5) five minutes before scheduled pickup time. It is the parent's responsibility to meet the bus at the bus stop with their student.
- No running or horseplay at the bus stop.
- Do not enter buildings or disrupt the operation of our bus stop hosts.
- When the bus approaches, form a line and be prepared to load immediately.
- Stand clear of the bus until it comes to a complete stop, and until loading lights come on.
- Parents are responsible for supervising their children until they have boarded the bus.
- Board the bus at your designated stop only. Do not chase the bus once it has left the bus stop. This creates a dangerous situation and drivers are instructed not to let you board once they have departed.
- It is the responsibility of the parents to provide transportation to school if a child misses the bus.

CONDUCT ON THE BUS

- Obey the instructions of the bus driver. At no time will a student act toward or address comments to the bus driver in a disrespectful manner, or refuse to cooperate with the driver.
- Remain seated at all times while the bus is moving until released by the driver.
- Normal conversation is permitted; any loud noises may distract the driver and create an unsafe condition.
- Scuffling, fighting and the use of obscene, vulgar or profane language and gestures are forbidden.
- Do not throw objects inside or out of the bus.
- Do not mark, cut, or scratch any part of the bus. Vandalism costs will be paid by the person(s) responsible.
- Students should only use emergency door and exit controls during a supervised drill or actual emergency at the direction of the bus driver.
- Students will never attempt to sit in the driver's seat or operate the passenger door or other driver controls except in cases of extreme emergency.
- Students should not talk to or distract the driver while the bus is under way unless there is an emergency or the student has been addressed by the driver.
- Students shall face forward for the duration of the trip, and shall keep their feet on the floor in front of them and out of the bus aisle. Keep all body parts inside the bus and to yourself.
- RAILROAD CROSSINGS – Students are to be quiet upon approaching the tracks and remain quiet until the bus has cleared tracks.

GETTING OFF THE BUS

- Stay seated until the bus is completely stopped and the driver releases you.
- Wait your turn to leave the bus; pushing and crowding will only slow exiting and may cause an accident.
- **You shall only use your assigned stop at all times, (A.M. and P.M. routes)**
- Stay clear of the bus when unloading. Do not chase, touch, or hang on the bus at any time.
- Never cross behind the bus.

- If an article is dropped or rolls near or under the bus, do not try to get it. Make certain the driver sees you, go to the door of the bus and ask the driver for help.

PROHIBITED ITEMS

- Tobacco, alcohol, and glass containers (includes e-cigarettes and vapes).
- Body spray, cologne, perfume or similar items should not be applied while on the bus.
- Live animals or insects.
- Weapons, explosive devices, matches or cigarette lighters, harmful drugs or chemicals.
- Any object (musical instrument, athletic equipment, project, etc.) too large to be placed in a student's lap.
- Cell phones may be confiscated if the cell phone is causing a safety distraction.
- Students will be responsible for the items they bring on the bus.
- The driver has the authority to confiscate any prohibited items or any item that may cause a distraction.
 - The first time the item is confiscated, the parent may retrieve it from the Transportation Office.
 - If the item is confiscated a second time, it will not be available for pick up until the end of the school year.

RESEARCH TRIANGLE HIGH SCHOOL BUS RIDER'S CONTRACT

I have read the Bus Riders Expectations and agree to abide by these expectations.

Student Name		Date
Student Signature		
Parent Name		Date
Parent Signature		

Student Cell Phone	
Parent Cell Phone	
Bus Stop Location	