

August 15, 2025

Dear 2025 – 2026 Elementary Parents/Guardians:

Here is some information related to 2025-2026 elementary schedules and bus shuttle transportation. **This information is for buildings located in Mount Pleasant** and does not include Salem Elementary.

For families dropping students off in the AM:

- All Elementary school buildings will open at 7:45am
- Morning Tardy Bell Will Ring at 8:25am for all Elementary school buildings.

AM BUS SHUTTLE TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**Bus shuttles will be available for elementary students from these locations to grade-level attendance centers. Pick-up locations will be:

o Lincoln Elementary: Corner of Green St. and Corkhill St. (supervised @ 7:45am)

o Van Allen Elementary: In front of main doors (supervised @ 7:45am)
o Harlan Elementary: In front of main doors (supervised @ 7:45am)
o Wooden Park: 400 Block of W. Madison (unsupervised)
o Middle School: South side (supervised @ 7:45am)
o Town of Salem
No change in current Salem bus stops

Please have your student at the bus shuttle pick-up by 7:50am

For students using the bus shuttles to get to their grade-level attendance center:

Students will need to be "routed" in the transportation system, meaning students will have a specific pick-up location and will need to use a bus badge (card) to get on/off the school bus. For bus routing information, please contact the Transportation Dept. at 319.385.7784

Bus route details will be available in MyRideK-12 <u>no later than August 19, 2025</u> after the route scheduling process is complete. <u>http://myridek12.tylerapp.com/</u>

For families picking students up in the PM:

- Car-line pick-up will start at 3:07 for all elementary school buildings
- Walkers will be dismissed at 3:07pm

PM BUS SHUTTLE TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**Bus shuttles will be available for elementary students from grade-level attendance centers to these locations:

- o Lincoln Elementary:
- o Van Allen Elementary:
- o Harlan Elementary:
- o Wooden Park:
- o Middle School:

Shuttle drop-off times will be between 3:10pm and 3:20pm.

For students using the bus shuttles to get back to their drop-off location:

Students will need to be "routed" in the transportation system, meaning students will have a specific
pick-up location and will need to use a bus badge (card) to get on/off the school bus. For bus routing
information, please contact the Transportation Dept. at 319.385.7784

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Thank you for your patience as we work through these details together. We're really looking forward to having all our grade-level students and teachers in the same buildings and narrowing our focus to meet the unique developmental needs of each student.

Sincerely,

John Henriksen, Superintendent Mount Pleasant Community School District