

24 August 2021

Changes to Transport Canberra bus timetables

Dear families,

In response to the current COVID-19 lockdown in the ACT, Transport Canberra will commence an interim bus timetable from Wednesday 25 August 2021 until further notice.

The COVID-19 situation in the ACT continues to evolve with an increasing number of Transport Canberra bus drivers required to comply with ACT Health directions and unable to attend work.

They are introducing these changes now to ensure regular and reliable services can be delivered for essential workers and their children without putting any further pressure on our workforce.

The interim bus timetable provides a high level of frequency with all local services and the Rapid 10 running at least every 30 minutes and all other Rapids running at least every 15 minutes during the day and around every hour after 8pm during the week.

While the timetable sees a reduction in services it still provides enough frequency to get people that rely on public transport where they need to be. Weekend services and light rail frequency will remain the same.

School bus services

Dedicated school bus services will not be running during this time. Many students already travel to school using the regular network which still has good frequency during school travel times. For students that rely on dedicated school buses Transport Canberra is providing a bespoke service that students must be registered for through their school. When you register your child to attend a school site, you will be asked about the need for them to use a dedicated school bus to get to and from school.

Special Needs Transport

Special Needs Transport continues to run for those families that need this service.

Kind regards,

Kate Flynn
Principal