

School Transport Guidance

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GIRLS' DAY SCHOOL TRUST



The advice given in this overview is taken from the Government's published guidance on the full opening of schools.

Pupils on dedicated school services do not mix with the general public. This means that the advice for passengers on public transport to adopt a social distance of two metres from people outside their household or support bubble, or a 'one metre plus' approach where this is not possible, will not apply from the autumn term on school transport.

The school transport will operate bearing in mind the points below:

- Hand sanitiser will be available for use upon boarding and/or disembarking.
- Additional cleaning of vehicles will take place before every route commences.
- Where possible, organised queuing and boarding will be encouraged, particularly at the end of the day before the school transport departs site.
- Where a service is not full, distancing within vehicles will be enforced.
- Face coverings will be required while using the school transport. This can be a washable, home-made covering or disposable covering.
- Our booking system has a contact tracing feature that quickly enables us to identify who a potentially infected individual may have been in contact with on our transport network.

