



## GRIFFIN SCHOOL DISTRICT #324 BUS SCHEDULE INFORMATION

The AM and PM school bus routes have been posted to the [Griffin Transportation](#) website. **Many of the bus routes have been modified this year as a result of a bus driver shortage.** High School students must register for bus service on the Olympia School District Transportation website using their [online registration form](#).

**Please note - the bus route schedules are subject to time changes throughout the year.**

- Your children are given a bus route assignment based on your home address, allowing us to balance the number of students on each bus and length of ride (as much as efficiently possible). The bus route number is posted on the black sign with white lettering to the left of the school bus door.
- Students should always be at the bus stop five minutes prior to the expected bus arrival time and should not be alarmed if the bus is later than anticipated. Capital High School buses will be traveling the roads at the same time as the Griffin TK-8 buses. Therefore, other buses may pass your children before one stops to pick them up.
- The first week of school students may arrive home later than anticipated. We make every effort to ensure students are on the correct bus prior to leaving the school grounds, subsequently causing bus departure to be later than normal. If you become concerned, please feel free to call Griffin Transportation (360) 866-4544 or the school office (360) 866-2515. Griffin staff will contact the bus driver for their location.
- TK and Kindergarten students must be met at the bus stop by an adult or older sibling.

### **PICKING UP AFTER SCHOOL?**

For student safety and accountability, please report to the school office when it is necessary to pick your student up after school. If your student is already on the bus, office staff will contact the school bus driver and your student will be directed to the office to meet you.

### **DISPLAY YOUR ADDRESS!**

School bus drivers must be able to read your address from both directions of the street and the numbers should be recognizable from up to 100 feet. The Griffin Fire Department offers address markers that work perfectly, not to mention it allows you to be located if an emergency occurs at your home! To order new address markers call 866-9000.

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON THE TRANSPORTATION WEBSITE**

- [Bus Rules & Safety Procedures](#) - please review prior to and throughout the school year.
- [Emergency Bus Schedule](#)
- [Emergency Student Transportation Procedures](#)
- [Emergency Bus Stop Permission Slip](#) – please complete and return to the school office!

Griffin Transportation is looking forward to another “safe transportation” year with your children. Our continuing goal is to provide a comfortable, safe atmosphere for students.