



DODGEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT

August 2021

Dear Parents/Guardian,

In co-operation with Lamers Bus Lines the Buy-A-Seat fee-based busing service will continue at designated bus stops for those families with non 4-year olds living within the city limits of Dodgeville. This letter provides you specific information to help you determine whether this is a service you choose to purchase for your non 4-year old child.

Description:

Designated bus stops will service non 4-year old students living within a reasonable walking distance of the bus stop. Positioned at locations throughout town, this service in limited respects will resemble a mass transit service. Students with pre-paid passes will assemble at the designated bus stop and the bus will arrive at a designated time. Students will board and the bus will proceed to the next stop, ultimately dropping students at their destination: a school in the morning, or at the designated stop in the afternoon.

The door-to-door transportation for 4-year olds is a separate program, not to be confused with the paid Buy-A-Seat service option. Residences of 4-year old students change from year to year and we contract with the bus company separately for that service. In contrast with the 4-year old program, the paid Buy-A-Seat service option has bus stops that will remain constant. They will not change from year to year.

Some families who have 4-year old children riding the bus may request to have their other older child(ren) ride with the 4-year olds house stop verses using one of the Buy-A-Seat fee program bus stop locations. Parents will still need to pay the Buy-A-Seat fee for the older children using the 4-year olds house stop.

Annual Buy-A-Seat Fees:

Buy-A-Seat bus fees for families are to be paid directly to: **Lamers Bus Lines., 4189 Brue Road, Dodgeville, WI 53533.** Buy-A-Seat bus fees are to be paid in full at the beginning of the school year or at the beginning of each semester. Families with students may begin riding AFTER the Buy-A-Seat bus fees are paid and approved to start riding by Lamers Bus Lines. This process may require a few days coordination time to set up, so please plan ahead.

BOTH WAYS:

ONE-WAY ONLY: (AM or PM Only)

\$300.00	1 st Child/Per Year	\$200.00	1 st Child/Per Year
\$300.00	2 nd Child/Per Year	\$200.00`	2 nd Child/Per Year
\$125.00	Each Additional Child/Per Year	\$100.00	Each Additional Child/Per Year
\$300.00*	Income Eligible, Per Family	\$200.00*	Income Eligible, Per Family

*Income Eligible, Per Family rate is for those families that qualify for the Free and Reduced Lunch program. Applications forms will be available at registration in August. If you apply, be sure to check the box that this information may be shared internally so that you may access reduced costs for the other district fees, including the Buy-A-Seat bus fee.

** This would include St. Joe's students traveling to the school campus.

Lamers Bus Lines -Dodgeville

2021-2022 BUY A SEAT CONTRACT/AGREEMENT

DEADLINE: FRI., AUGUST 25, 2021

By submitting this form you have indicated that you choose to pay Lamers Bus Lines for daily transportation to and/or from school. For consistency and safety for our children we would like to keep the same stop Mon-Fri.. **DO NOT** sign up 4 year olds or students who presently ride without charge. Ex. Rural Students. If you have older children that are riding with a 4 year old please indicate on the attached form #1, if you want this/these students drop at the same location as the 4 year old.

After you have completed the form, please return this form and payment to:

Lamers Bus Line

Checks may be written out to Lamers Bus Lines

4185 Brue Rd

***Debit/Credit Card payment (2% Surcharge)**

Dodgeville, WI 53533.

Call Lamers to make Credit Card payment. 608-319-2284 ext 2

FEES: Both Ways

\$300 1st child/ per year

\$300 2nd child/ per year

\$125 Each Additional Child/Per Year

\$300* Income eligible, per family

One way Only (AM or PM)

\$200 1st child/ per year

\$200 2nd child/ per year

\$100 Each Additional Child/Per Year

\$200* Income eligible, per family

Please call Janet at **Lamers Bus Lines** with any questions at **608-319-2284 ext. 2**

Please fill out the attached form and return with your payment.

REGISTRATION FORM

****PLEASE ADD ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THAT YOU FEEL IMPORTANT****

****PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED SHEET FOR THE NUMBERED STOPS****

Parent/Guardians Name: _____

Address: _____

Primary Contact Phone: _____

Total Children Riding: _____

1. **Students Name:** _____

School Attending: DES, DMS, DHS, St. Joe's (Circle One) Grade: _____

Student will ride: (check one) Both Ways _____ AM only _____ PM only _____

Bus Stop Number (see attachment) AM Bus Stop # _____ PM Bus Stop # _____

2. **Students Name:** _____

School Attending: DES, DMS, DHS, St. Joe's (Circle One) Grade: _____

Student will ride: (check one) Both Ways _____ AM only _____ PM only _____

Bus Stop Number (see attachment) AM Bus Stop # _____ PM Bus Stop # _____

3. **Students Name:** _____

School Attending: DES, DMS, DHS, St. Joe's, (Circle One) Grade: _____

Student will ride: (check one) Both Ways _____ AM only _____ PM only _____

Bus Stop Number (see attachment) AM Bus Stop # _____ PM Bus Stop # _____

4. **Students Name:** _____

School Attending: DES, DMS, DHS, St. Joe's (Circle One) Grade: _____

Student will ride: (check one) Both Ways _____ AM only _____ PM only _____

Bus Stop Number (see attachment) AM Bus Stop # _____ PM Bus Stop # _____

DODGEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT = APPROVED BUS STOPS

- #1 RIDE TO AND FROM WITH MY ELIGIBLE 4 YR OLD STOP
- #2 N MAIN ST/MAIN CIR = PD BUS STOP
- #3 E MADISON ST/GEORGENE ST=PD BUS STOP
- #4 N UNION ST/E NORTH ST=PD BUS STOP
- #5 REDRUTH DR/E NORTH ST=PD BUS STOP
- #6 E NORTH ST/JAMIE ST= PD BUS STOP (NORTH END)
- #7 E SPRING ST/JAMIE ST=PD BUS STOP (SOUTH END)
- #8 N JOHN/CHURCH ST= PD BUS STOP
- #9 E SPRING ST BETWEEN 1st AND 3rd/ MAILBOX=PD BUS STOP
- #10 105 N UNION ST= PD BUS STOP (FRIENDS 4EVER)
- #11 E FOUNTAIN ST/SUNSHINE CIR=PD BUS STOP (DAYCARE)
- #12 320 S ELLWOOD ST= PD BUS STOP (JOES DAYCARE)
- #13 E VALLEY ST/LINN ST = PD BUS STOP
- #14 S UNION S/E POLK ST= PD BUS STOP
- #15 S MONTGOMERY ST/W PARRY ST=PD BUS STOP
- #16 S LINDSEY ST/W PARRY ST=PD BUS STOP
- #17 322 W WALNUT=PD BUS STOP (BETW. LEVEL/DOUGLAS)
- #18 NORTH ST/PRAIRIE HILLS DR=PD BUS STOP
- #19 W DIVISION ST/N DOUGLAS ST=PD BUS STOP
- #20 S LINDSEY/W CLEARANCE=PD BUS STOP
- #21 313 E DIVISION ST=PD BUS STOP
- #22 VINCENT ST/E CHURCH ST=PD BUS STOP
- #23 N UNION ST @ E JEWETTS ST