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Indian Lake Local School District 24/25 Transportation Plan

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This transportation plan is being furnished to fulfill the requirements of ORC 3327.016

Students who reside in the Indian Lake Local School District qualify for yellow school bus service to and from Calvary Christian's two Bellefontaine locations. The following is a summary of that service.

In order to control costs, Calvary Christian students and Mac-a-Cheek Learning Center students share a bus route. This route will follow Calvary Christian's published calendar for the 24/25 school year.

- The route will operate between 6:00 am and 8:15 am and between 3:00 pm and 5:00 pm.
- Specific stop times cannot be finalized until shortly before the new school year begins so that we can ensure *all* Calvary and Mac-a-Cheek students are included.
- The route will drop off at both Calvary Christian locations no more than 30 minutes before school starts, and pick up no more than 30 minutes after dismissal, as required by law.
- The route will operate on-time on days Calvary Christian is in session, even when Indian Lake Schools are on a **scheduled** closure or delay.
- The route will operate early on afternoons that Calvary Christian has early dismissal
- The route will operate on a 2-hour delay on days when Calvary Christian declares a 2-hour delay, even if Indian Lake remains on-time.
- The route will operate on a 2-hour delay on days when Indian Lake declares a 2-hour delay (fog, ice, etc.), even if Calvary Christian is operating on-time.
- The route will not operate when Indian Lake declares a calamity closure day (fog, ice, etc.), even if Calvary Christian is operating that day.
- Emergency early dismissals will be handled on a case by case basis as to timing of the route.

www.ils-k12.org is always the best source for delay and cancellation information for the district, as the scrolling banner is updated immediately after a decision is made.

To request transportation to/from Calvary Christian, please email transportation at smithp@ils-k12.org and a link to the online request form will be sent to you as soon as possible.

A bus stop at or near the residential address will be created. Please note that only home-to-school and school-to-home busing is provided, no alternate location requests can be accommodated.

At the start of a new school year, you will receive a mailing with bus stop info as well as a bus pass card that is required for bus service. Students will need to scan this pass card whenever they enter and exit the bus. The bus driver will help the students learn this simple process.

For families who request busing during the school year, every effort will be made to begin service within 5 business days of receipt of the request. Please be aware that Ohio law does allow us up to 14 business days to begin service, though that would be a very unusual situation.

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