

School District No.58 (Nicola-Similkameen)

TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE

Families living beyond the regular school bus routes may be eligible for transportation assistance for the school year and are asked to make an application before **the 3rd Friday in September** regardless of whether transportation assistance was received in the past. Applications after this date will be approved as of the date the application is received and will not be retroactive. Transportation Assistance forms are available on our website at www.sd58.bc.ca or can be picked up at the School Board Office in Merritt, 1550 Chapman Street.

Transportation assistance must be renewed each year. Also, banking information will be required as payments will be through e-transfer.

Parents are reminded that road/weather conditions may cause delays/cancellations to the regular bus run(s).

In extreme circumstances, notice of delays will be announced over the local radio station, and the school will attempt to contact parents by phone, email and/or text, in order that children do not wait extended time periods at a bus stop.

If you have any questions, please contact the School Board Office at 250-378-5161.