



## SCHOOL TRANSPORT 2017/2018 School Year

1. **Who is eligible?**

Children who reside at least **4.8 kilometres** from and attending their **nearest** school are eligible for post primary school transport.

2. **How do I apply?**

Online to Bus Éireann at [www.buseireann.ie](http://www.buseireann.ie)

3. **When do I apply?**

Applications should be submitted before the last Friday in April. Late applicants are not guaranteed a seat.

4. **What is the charge?**

The current annual charge is €350 per child with a family maximum of €650.

5. **Can I spread the payment over the school year?**

Payments may be made in two instalments in July and December.

6. **Are some children exempt from paying?**

Yes. Only eligible children i.e. children residing at least **4.8 kilometres** from and attending their **nearest** school, who hold valid Medical Cards (GMS Scheme), do not pay. All other children must pay.

7. **Where can I get more details on the scheme?**

Full terms of the Post Primary School Transport Scheme are available at [www.education.ie](http://www.education.ie) and [www.buseireann.ie](http://www.buseireann.ie).

8. **Where can I get further information?**

From your local Bus Éireann School Transport Office – contact details below.

To contact your local Bus Éireann School Transport Office by email please go to [www.buseireann.ie](http://www.buseireann.ie)

Region	Local Office	Contact No.
Louth, Monaghan, Cavan	Bus Éireann School Transport Office Bus Station Long Walk, Dundalk	042 682 5900