

Bus Stop Information

Fitzgerald Public Schools provides bus transportation for Elementary and Middle School students living within the designated bussing areas of our district. For security purposes, specific bus stops, bus #'s, and times are not published on this site. Please call your child's school or the Transportation Office for eligibility and related bus information.

Chatterton Middle School (586) 757-6650
Mound Park Elementary (586) 757-7590
Schofield Elementary (586) 757-5150
Westview Elementary (586) 757-5520

Excerpts from the Michigan State Law Regarding Bus Stops:

- Bus stops must be least 200 feet apart. This allows the bus driver to activate their flashers and alert motorists that they will be stopping.
- Buses have 400 feet of clear and continuous visibility in each direction at a designated stop.
- Bus stops must be at least 50 feet from a controlled intersection.
- Students who must cross the street to get to the bus stop or to their home must cross in front of the school bus. Furthermore, they must wait for the drivers signal. Fitzgerald bus drivers use a crossing paddle to signal the students when it is safe to cross the street.
- Once the driver has turned off the flashing red lights, they may not pick up any more students at that stop.
- Motorists must stop for school buses red flashing lights at least 20 feet away from the bus in both directions on a two lane highway. Motorists are to proceed with caution when the bus has the yellow lights flashing, as this is the signal that the bus will be stopping to pick up or drop off students.

For further detailed information regarding bus stops, you can visit the Michigan State Police web site at www.michigan.gov or Public Act 187 known as the Pupil Transportation Act of 1990.