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## BUS

### TIMETABLES

### 2024 - 2025

# Repton School Bus Service

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## Who is eligible?

Repton offer a comprehensive School bus service for pupils in the Prep and Senior School, available for pupils from Year 1 upwards (with consideration given to Reception pupils using the bus accompanied by an older sibling). Services operate to and from the Schools, Monday to Saturday covering four different routes.

- At the Senior School, the buses drop off and depart from the Arch and at the Prep School the buses drop off and depart from Front Square at the bottom of the Portico steps.
- Pupils in Pre-Prep will be accompanied to and from the bus by either our bus driver or a member of staff.

## Bus operators

Repton School operates four routes which are run by our own Transport Office; servicing routes from Ashbourne, Belper, Shenstone and Blythe Bridge/Uttoxeter.

## Compliance

- All our buses have excellent maintenance records and vehicle breakdowns are very rare.
- All drivers carry mobile phones (though for safety they cannot answer these while driving) and regular drivers are used to ensure continuity; all are qualified and DBS cleared.

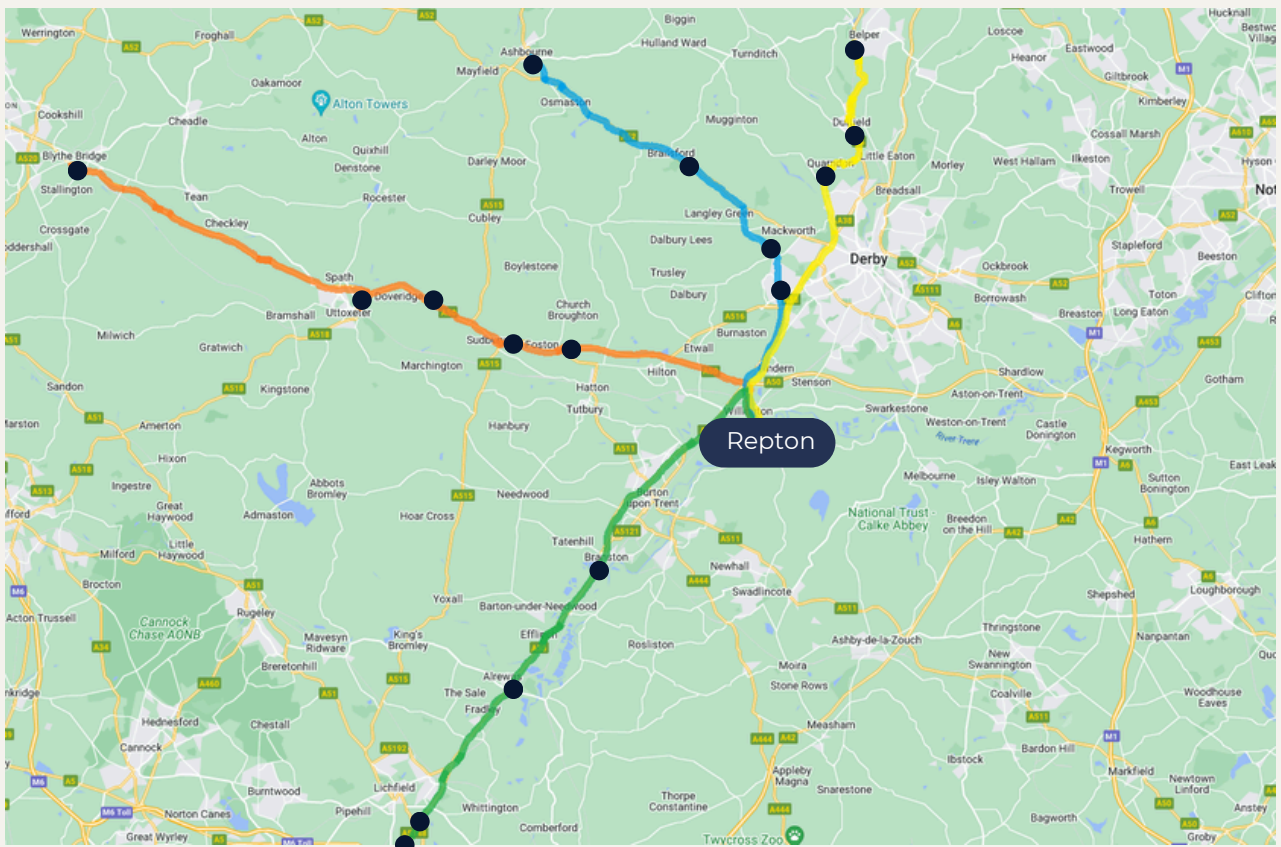
The drivers are updated daily on bus occupancy and the School endeavours to ensure that each driver knows exactly who is getting on the bus at which stop. For information about how the School uses your and your child's information, please see our Privacy Notices on the School's website.

# Routes

The current routes are set out on the following pages. Each route lists the location and stops available, with scheduled pick up and drop off times.

- Pupils are required to be at their bus stop at least five minutes before the published pick-up time in the mornings to ensure the bus arrives at School in time for registration. Buses will only wait until the time of departure for pupils to arrive.
- We reserve the right to change the routes after publication, once seats are allocated, to reflect a more efficient service.

# Map



- Route 1 Ashbourne —
- Route 2 Blythe Bridge —
- Route 3 Belper —
- Route 4 Shenstone —

# Timetables

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Route 1 Ashbourne					Cost	
Stop	Mon-Fri AM	Mon-Fri PM	Sat AM	Sat PM	Return	Single
Ashbourne (M&S Car Park)	0715	1710	0715	1255	£11.05	£7.43
Brailsford (Community Hall)	0725	1650	0725	1235	£8.98	£6.16
The Great Northern	0735	1645	0735	1230	£8.77	£6.02
Mickleover (Brisbane Road)	0740	1640	0740	1225	£8.33	£5.76
Mickleover (Tesco Bus Stop)	0745	1635	0745	1220	£7.90	£5.48
Etwall Main St (opposite Sutton Lane)	0750	1630	0750	1215	£6.00	£3.77
Repton School	0800	1615	0800	1210	£4.09	£2.09
Repton Prep	0810	1610	0810	1200		

Route 2 Blythe Bridge					Cost	
Stop	Mon-Fri AM	Mon-Fri PM	Sat AM	Sat PM	Return	Single
Blythe Bridge (Grindley Lane Lay-by)	0715	1700	0715	1250	£11.18	£7.63
Uttoxeter (A50 services - Starbucks)	0730	1645	0730	1240	£10.50	£7.10
Doveridge	0740	1640	0740	1235	£9.91	£6.84
Sudbury (Bus Stop)	0745	1635	0745	1230	£9.12	£6.23
Foston (Bus Stop parallel with A50)	0750	1630	0750	1225	£8.44	£5.63
Repton School	0805	1615	0805	1210	£4.09	£2.09
Repton Prep	0815	1610	0815	1200		

Route 3 Belper					Cost	
Stop	Mon-Fri AM	Mon-Fri PM	Sat AM	Sat PM	Return	Single
Belper (Morrison's)	0710	1710	0710	1255	£10.58	£7.17
Duffield	0720	1700	0720	1245	£10.25	£6.83
Quarndon	0735	1650	0735	1235	£9.84	£6.30
Repton School	0805	1615	0805	1210	£4.09	£2.09
Repton Prep	0815	1610	0815	1200		

Route 4 Shenstone					Cost	
Stop	Mon-Fri AM	Mon-Fri PM	Sat AM	Sat PM	Return	Single
Shenstone (Bulls Head)	0715	1705	0715	1250	£11.18	£7.63
Lichfield (Esporta)	0725	1700	0725	1245	£10.50	£7.10
Alrewas (British Legion)	0735	1645	0735	1230	£9.70	£6.84
Branston (Main Street)	0750	1635	0750	1220	£8.62	£6.23
Repton School	0800	1615	0800	1210	£4.09	£2.09
Repton Prep	0810	1610	0810	1200		

# Applying for a seat on the bus

Parents whose children already use school transport **MUST** complete a Microsoft form if they wish to retain their seat on a bus. The Microsoft form will be sent out from the School Office during the holidays prior to the start of term.

Application process:

- Please email the Prep Office via [prepoffice@repton.org.uk](mailto:prepoffice@repton.org.uk) to request a booking form.
- Our bus service is very popular and some of our routes have limited spaces available.

## Bus Enquiries

For general enquiries during school hours (8.00am-6.00pm), please contact the Prep School Office on 01283 707105 or email [prepoffice@repton.org.uk](mailto:prepoffice@repton.org.uk)

For urgent out-of-hours enquiries please contact your bus driver via the normal bus mobile.

## Bus Security

Cameras are installed on all buses. This is to capture dashcam footage as well as monitor children's behaviour.

## Frequently asked questions

**Q: Where do buses pick up?**

A: The buses will only pick up and drop off from the designated stops.

**Q: Can weekly boarders use any of the School buses?**

A: Yes. They can use any of the routes on a Weekly Boarders ticket for a Monday morning pick-up and a Friday evening drop-off.

# Lost Property Policy

To clarify the school's position regarding the care of personal items brought on to the school bus service by pupils and the procedures to be followed if personal items are left on buses.

**The school cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage to the personal property of pupils.**

To minimise the possibility of property being lost:

A) all pupils and their parents are required to make sure that all items of clothing and equipment is labelled, where possible, so that lost property is returned to its owner as soon as possible.

B) pupils are required to make sure that all their personal property and any school property issued to them is kept safely on their person whilst they are travelling on school transport.

C) if items are placed in the storage compartment beneath the coaches, pupils must remember to collect when they arrive at school in the morning and when they are dropped off in the evening. Any items found on our buses will, if retrieved by the driver, be placed on the next bus, for collection by the pupil at the next available opportunity. Or will be brought to the school office or sent to the lodge. All unnamed/unclaimed lost property at the school is disposed of at the end of each term and given to charities, except for high value items, which are retained for the academic year.

Reporting a loss so that a search can be made, report any items left on any bus to the school office via email [prepoffice@repton.org.uk](mailto:prepoffice@repton.org.uk) as soon as possible, stating clearly on which bus the item/s were left and which school run (am/pm) quoting the bus route.

Parents are responsible for insuring their child's personal items.



[reptonprep.org.uk](http://reptonprep.org.uk)



## Ticket types and pricing

Our ticket prices are set for each term and worked out for the whole year based on full return usage of the bus, which includes the cost of travel and administration to provide the service.

The ticket types and prices are fixed each year at a flat rate designed to secure a seat for return travel, regardless of journey distance. Each termly charge is equal to one third of the annual charge.

We do not offer tailored 'per day' ticket options or one-way tickets as this would put an additional burden on the admin team resulting in an increase in price; by keeping the prices fixed ensures the overall service continues to be efficient and cost effective.

Termly Cost					Annual Cost			
Zone	2 Day Return	4 Day Return	6 Day Return	Prep Weekly Boarder	2 Day Return	4 Day Return	6 Day Return	Prep Weekly Boarder
1	£158.67	£285.60	£380.80	£79.33	£476.00	£856.80	£1,142.40	£238.00
2	£174.53	£314.16	£418.88	£87.27	£523.60	£942.48	£1,256.64	£261.80
3	£199.99	£460.77	£460.77	£95.99	£575.96	£1,036.73	£1,382.30	£287.98
4	£211.19	£506.84	£506.84	£105.59	£633.56	£1,140.40	£1,520.53	£316.78
5	£232.30	£557.53	£557.53	£116.15	£696.91	£1,254.44	£1,672.59	£348.46
6	£255.53	£613.28	£613.28	£127.77	£766.60	£1,379.88	£1,839.85	£383.30