

Home to school transport consultation - public meetings announced

A series of 18 public meetings on proposed changes to home to school transport policy in Buckinghamshire has been announced. The meetings, being held at locations around the county, will allow parents and residents to hear detailed information on the proposed changes to mainstream school policy and ask questions and discuss options with Mike Appleyard, Cabinet Member for Education and Skills, and Buckinghamshire County Council officers. The meetings follow the announcement last Monday (14 November) that Cabinet had approved a further consultation on the proposed changes to home to school transport. The first meeting takes place tomorrow, Wednesday 23 November at the Grange School, Aylesbury, between 5pm and 7pm. Further meetings are taking place on selected dates until 25 January. As well as attending meetings, parents are encouraged to make their comments and suggestions by completing the survey, available online at www.buckscc.gov.uk/schooltransport. For those who do not have access to the internet, paper copies can be obtained either through their child's school or by calling 01296 383250. The full schedule of meetings is below:

Wed 23-Nov-11 The Grange School, Aylesbury 5pm-7pm
Wed 30-Nov-11 Great Marlow School, Marlow 5pm-7pm Totteridge Community Centre 7.30-9.30pm
Thurs 01-Dec-11 Wingrave Combined School 5pm-7pm John Colet School, Wendover 7.30-9.30pm
Wed 07-Dec-11 Princes Risborough School 5pm-7pm Cressex School, Wycombe 7.30-9.30pm
Tues 13-Dec-11 Iver Heath Junior School 5pm-7pm Denham Village Infant School 7.30-9.30pm
Tues 17-Jan-12 Woodside Junior School, Amersham 5pm-7pm Chesham Town Hall, Council Chambers 7.30-9.30pm
Wed 18-Jan-12 Burnham Upper School 5pm-7pm Beaconsfield High School 7.30-9.30pm
Thurs 19-Jan-12 Prestwood Junior School 5pm-7pm
Mon 23-Jan-12 Sir Henry Floyd School, Aylesbury 5pm-7pm Haddenham Junior School 7.30-9.30pm
Wed 25-Jan-12 Buckingham Upper School 5pm-7pm The Winslow Centre 7.30-9.30pm