



## Delbarton School Transportation Department

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## Rider Expectations and Bus Sanitizing Protocols



## 2020-21 Transportation Goals

Delbarton School continues to work closely with local and state authorities, and our bus contractors, to ensure that our buses provide safe transportation for home-to-school routes and athletic and field trip transportation. Here, we share bus rider requirements and sanitization details.

# Bus Rider Requirements

Following CDC and NJDOE recommendations, this year Delbarton requires the following rider modifications...

- All riders and drivers must wear masks while riding the bus to and from school.
- Buses will be loaded from rear to front.
- Social distancing will be practiced when operationally possible.

## Keeping Our Buses Clean and Safe

The health and safety of our students, faculty and staff is our top priority as we reopen school for the 2020-21 school year. The following procedures and products will help keep our buses clean and contagion-free.

### Delbarton School Owned Buses

Each day on every bus, Delbarton staff members will use a fogging device with effervescent disinfecting and sanitizing tablets that delivers high performance without harsh chemicals. The atmospheric fogging process provides low-level sanitization and powerful infection control for C. diff in health care settings and efficacy against SARS-CoV-2, the coronavirus that causes COVID-19, in all settings.

## Outside Bus Service Sanitizing Protocols

### Passaic Valley Coaches

Each day, Passaic Valley will use a product with demonstrated effectiveness against viruses similar to SARS-CoV-2 (the technical name for the novel 2019 Coronavirus), SARS-CoV-2 and Rhinovirus on hard, nonporous surfaces.

### First Student

Each month, First Student will use a product with superior protection for up to 30 days and replaces the need for chemical and alcohol-based products and leaves behind a molecular layer that bonds to surfaces and fabrics. These molecules form a barrier of microscopic spikes attract, pierce and destroy pathogens (including COVID19). For daily disinfection, First Student employs a non-corrosive, an EPA-registered disinfectant, that is bactericidal, viricidal, fungicidal and meets the OSHA Bloodborne Pathogen standard for decontamination of blood and bodily fluids.

### STA

Each day, STA uses an EPA-approved disinfectant cleaner, anti-mildew fungicide/virucide and deodorizer that creates a prove Rider Expectations

If you have any questions, or would like more details on sanitizing products, please contact Director of Transportation Kent Manno at [KManno@delbarton.org](mailto:KManno@delbarton.org).