

Greetings Parents of HIS Niseko,

Thank you for entrusting your children to the HIS Niseko bus service this year.

Bus fees for HIS Niseko are determined by the cost of driver's salary, vehicle lease, and insurance. The bus routes and stops are determined by the driver to ensure the most economical and logical route. Safety, traffic, visibility, and winter driving conditions are considered when developing the route.

Bus Timetable: Parents of bus riders will be notified of the bus timetable at the start of the year. The afternoon bus departs from school at 3:45 pm. It is the student's responsibility to be ready for pick up in the morning and in the afternoon. The bus driver will assign seats.

Please review the payment information and rules for bus riders.

Bus Fee per student	Annual	Quarterly
Within 4 km (Niseko, Hirafu)	¥160,000	¥40,000 x 4
Beyond 4 km	¥220,000	¥55,000 x 4

Bus fees are payable by the year or quarterly. Please pay in cash by the first week of each quarter. If your family leaves HIS Niseko during the year, bus fees will be refunded on a quarterly basis; fees will be refunded for any complete quarter for which your child did not ride the bus.

Please notify the HIS Niseko office if your child will not ride the bus, or if there are any changes to the morning or afternoon routine for your family.

Absences: If your child will not ride the bus on a given day, please call the school office (0136-55-5252) and the bus driver to inform us of the absence. Parents are required to be with their child at the bus stop as it arrives and departs.

HIS Niseko School Bus Expectations

- Please respect the bus driver at all times
- Please use kind words: Please, Thank you, and Excuse me
- Please stay in your seat with the seatbelt on at all times
- Please keep hands and feet to yourself
- Please use a quiet, indoor voice while on the bus
- Please keep the bus clean
- Electronic devices use require a written permission from both teacher and parent

Consequences for not following Bus Expectations

Parents will be contacted by the principal

A second incident will result in a one-day suspension from the bus

A third incident will result in a one-week suspension from the bus

Further incidents may result in a loss of bus riding privileges