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Dear KISD Parents and Guardians:

To ensure the safety, efficiency, and timeliness of student transportation, KISD is making an important update to its practices:

Effective **Tuesday, October 14, 2025**, students will no longer be permitted to be dropped off at a parent's place of business or workplace.

What does this mean?

- All student drop-offs must be at a student's home address listed in Skyward or a secondary address of a grandparent listed under the student's name in Skyward.
- We will continue to drop off students at licensed, approved daycare/childcare facilities.

Why are we making this change?

- Ensure students are dropped off at consistent locations.
- We have experienced route overcrowding and extended ride times, which can negatively impact safety and reliability.
- The adjustment will help us streamline routes, ensure prompt arrivals and departures, and uphold consistent service even during staff absences.

Important Timeline:

- Families have a minimum of two weeks from the date of this letter to update drop-off arrangements.
- After **Tuesday, October 7, 2025**, any student with a workplace drop-off will need to be transitioned to a residential stop or a licensed daycare.

If your child's current arrangement includes a workplace drop-off, please contact the Transportation Office at 903-988-3907 by **Tuesday, October 7, 2025**, to confirm new arrangements.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we work to make our transportation system safer and more dependable for all students.

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