



Charleston County School District
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Media Release

Charleston County School District Shares Transportation Resources Ahead of 2026-2027 School Year

Charleston, S.C (July 16, 2026) - Charleston County School District (CCSD) is excited to welcome students back for the first day of school on Tuesday, August 11, 2026. To help families prepare for a smooth start to the school year, the district has created a Transportation [webpage](#) that includes important bus information, key transportation updates, and steps parents should take before the first day of school.

Families can use the district's [Bus Stop Lookup Tool](#) to locate their student's assigned bus stop. Under South Carolina law, general education bus stops may be located up to 0.3 miles from a student's residence. In accordance with CCSD guidelines, magnet school transportation utilizes parent-assisted stops, which may be located up to five miles from a student's home.

Parents whose students ride First Student buses can register for the FirstView mobile app beginning July 31, 2026. The app provides real-time bus tracking and notifications. Families served by Coastal Bus Line can sign up for notifications through the Remind app, which provides service updates but does not include live bus tracking. FirstView Important Reminders can be found [here](#).

If a student does not have an assigned bus stop within the established transportation guidelines, parents or guardians should submit a [Bus Stop Request](#). To avoid processing delays, the student's address and school information in the request must match the information in PowerSchool. Families will receive an email notifying them whether the request has been approved or denied, along with additional details.

During annual school registration, families can indicate whether their student will utilize bus transportation. If transportation needs change after registration has been completed, parents should contact their child's school so the school's data specialist can update the student's transportation selection in PowerSchool.

Additional transportation resources, including bus stop information, app registration links, and contact information for the Transportation Department, are available on the CCSD [website](#).



For more information, please contact the Office of Communications at (843) 937-6303.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is a nationally accredited school district dedicated to ensuring every student has access to a high-quality education and the support needed to thrive. As South Carolina's second-largest school system, CCSD serves more than 50,000 students across 91 schools and specialized programs throughout 1,300 square miles of coastal communities, representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools.

Under the leadership of Superintendent Anita Huggins, CCSD is focused on accelerating student achievement, expanding opportunities, and preparing every student for success in college, career, and life. Recent district accomplishments include record-high academic performance on state assessments, increasing graduation rates, and significant gains in college and career readiness, reflecting the district's commitment to continuous improvement and educational excellence. Through the Peninsula Promise, CCSD is also expanding access to early learning, college and career pathways, arts, and family support services to create seamless opportunities for students living on the historic Charleston Peninsula.

CCSD offers a diverse and expanding portfolio of educational choices, including neighborhood, magnet, charter, Montessori, and International Baccalaureate (IB) schools and programs. Students have access to rich learning experiences in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM); visual and performing arts; world languages; military and leadership programs; career and technical education; dual enrollment and early college opportunities; and other innovative pathways designed to meet a wide range of interests and aspirations.

Working in partnership with families, community organizations, higher education institutions, and industry leaders, CCSD remains committed to creating equitable opportunities, fostering student success, and ensuring that every graduate is prepared to contribute and compete in an increasingly complex and interconnected world.