

Rush City Families,

This message is to remind you of a couple fast approaching changes. First of all, the new bus schedule will go into effect next Monday, April 12th. Secondly, a reminder to complete the survey regarding your child's education by Friday, April 16th, if you have not already done so..

Starting April 12, we will reduce the number of **bus routes from nine to eight and eliminate all of the late routes**, due to a shortage of bus drivers. As a result, there will be changes to pick up and drop off times for a portion of our students. All families have been notified by either phone or email, if your child's pick up or drop off time has changed. If you were not notified, you should assume your child's bus schedule will remain the same. Please contact Missy at (320) 358-3562 or the district office at (320) 358-4855 if you have questions. If you are aware of anyone who has the proper credentials to drive a school bus, and may be interested in working for the district, please have them contact us.

While we do not know specifics at this time as to what next year will bring, we would appreciate your input in this [survey](#) regarding your preferences for summer programming and future distance learning. If you've already completed this survey, thank you. The survey will remain open until the end of the day Friday, April 16th.

We are excited to continue moving in the direction of normalcy and appreciate all the efforts our families make to keep our school environment safe and healthy. Please continue to do everything you can to reduce the spread of COVID-19. Case rates are continuing to increase. We care about the health and safety of our students and community members and want to do everything possible to ensure our students are able to enjoy all of the celebrations and activities we have planned for this spring.

Thank you,

Brent Stavig
Superintendent