# **Transport Information**

# **Private Dedicated College Bus Services**

For a fee, the college operates 4 private buses and 2 mini bus services to and from the college for students. **Priority is given to younger students and on distance**.

- 1 **301** from: Lordswood stopping at Bakers Drove, Lordshill, Millbrook and Regents Park.
- 2. **302** from: Woolston stopping at Sholing, Thornhill, Bitterne shops, Bullar Road and Bitterne Triangle.
- 3. **303** from: Whiteley stopping at Titchfield, Locks Heath, Lowford, Bursledon and Harefield.
- 4. **304** from: Central Station, Shirley, St James Road and Hill Lane.
- 5. **Minibus "A"** from: Knightwood, Hursley Road, Chandlers Ford & Bournemouth Road.
- 6. **Minibus "C**" from: Shakespeare Road, Leigh Road (F&R HQ), St Swithun Wells & Bournemouth Road.

# BLUESTAR - IMPORTANT INFORMATION regarding Early Finish days:

**Bluestar 2/512** students will need to catch the regular Bluestar 2 (every 15 minutes) from Stoneham Lane (Note: likely to have queues, students can walk to McDonalds High Road bus stop where they can also use the U6C to the city).

**Bluestar 566** students will need to use the Unilink U6H (every 15 minutes) from McDonalds Burgess Road (this covers most of the stops on the 566 route, but does not run via Warren Avenue. Students will need to walk from the Hospital stop, Tremona Road.

There is no transport operating on the Year 7's first day. All transport will resume the following day when all year groups are back.

**The Bluestar 18 from Millbrook** to the City Centre then change to the Bluestar 2 to Bassett Green Road stop (2 minutes' walk from the college).

**The Bluestar 8 & 9 from Fawley** and Langley to the City Centre then change to the Bluestar 2 to Bassett Green Road stop (2 minutes' walk from the college).

**The Bluestar 424 from Hedge End** & **West End** to Mansbridge Road (Monks Way stop) 15 minutes' walk from the college).

**From Fair Oak and Eastleigh** the Bluestar no: 2 has a return service stopping at the Bassett Green Road stop on Stoneham Lane (2 minutes' walk from the college).

#### Trains

Students from the **Whiteley** and **Fareham** area travel to Southampton Central station then change trains to Swaythling station (5 minutes' walk from college).

Students in **Chandlers Ford** can travel direct to and from Swaythling station daily. Please check the rail networks website for timetables.

A direct service is also available from Winchester to Swaythling (Please refer to rail company timetables).

# Hampshire and Southampton Assisted/Funded Travel

Eligibility Criteria for Secondary Faith Schools (Child must meet ALL of the following):

1. Attends the nearest appropriate faith school to their home.

2. The distance between their home and the school is more than 2 miles but less than 15 miles.

3. Satisfies means testing criteria (child entitled to free school meals or parents in receipt of MAXIMUM Working Tax Credits or Universal Credits, with an earned income of no more than £7,400).

4. Provides appropriate evidence that the child is baptised or otherwise accepted into the faith of the school, or a letter from their religious leader stating that whilst they are not of the same faith as the school, their wish is for a faith-based education.

# For more information and rules for funding, please visit your Council's website

The college holds no responsibility for any alterations or changes to the above transport timetables which are not contracted by the college.