

SUMMER CAMP CAR AND BUS TRANSPORTATION 2023

Dexter Southfield Summer Camps operates a number of buses to and from several communities on designated routes, which are designed to be as direct as possible. The cost for using bus transportation is \$80 per week. Parents can sign up their child for bus transportation through the <u>camper application</u>.

Important information for all parents

Dexter Southfield Summer Camps is unable to arrange transportation to and from the summer camps for every child. Bus stops for Summer Camp may differ from traditional locations used by Dexter Southfield School.

Children are expected to conduct themselves in an orderly fashion and may be denied the transportation privilege if their manners, language, or behavior are not acceptable. For safety, no food or drink is permitted to be opened or consumed on the buses. Gum is not permitted on buses or at camp.

Selecting a transportation option

After signing up for bus transportation on the camper application, you can tell us how your child will get to and from camp by logging in to your <u>Camp InTouch account</u>. Click on "Forms & Documents", select the Day Travel Form, and choose car pick-up/drop-off, extended care (if signed up for Club A.C.), OR your preferred bus stops to be used most often by your child.

Car drop-off and pick-up guidelines

If a camper is being driven to camp, they should arrive by 8:10 am and be picked up by 3:30 p.m. All late arrivals and early pick-ups should sign in and out at the <u>main office in the Clay Center</u>.

Bus transportation guidelines

No child under the age of 12 will be permitted to walk home alone from the bus stop. Please arrange to have an authorized grown-up meet your camper at the bus stop every day. Parents who would like their 12 year old or older child to walk home from the bus should email the camp office giving their child permission to walk home.

Campers who are not picked up by an authorized adult will be driven back to school OR, if they do not return to campus, will be driven to the route's last stop to be picked up there. Again, to avoid this situation, we ask that you be at the bus stop 5 minutes prior to the listed drop off time.

Children are asked to assemble at specified pick-up points <u>five minutes ahead of time</u> on the sidewalk so routes will run on time and be as direct as possible. All parents and/or legal guardians are required to fill out the authorized grown-up form on your <u>CampInTouch account</u> (a family form located all the way down the Forms & Documents page). This information will be used during afternoon pick up from both school and bus stops.

Parents should anticipate variances in bus schedules depending upon weather and traffic conditions. However, the interest of other children and parents, we cannot remain at any one stop for an extended period of time. If you do not arrive on time, the driver will continue with his/her route. Campers will need to be picked up at another bus stop, the final stop on the route, or back at camp.

SUMMER CAMP BUS ROUTES 2023

Click on the links to the addresses below to see the stops on Google Maps.

CHARLESTOWN - CAMBRIDGE - SOUTH END

Bus 1

Stop	A.M.	P.M.	
Number	Time	Time	Location
1 - 1	7:00	4:30	Charlestown, Whole Foods Parking Lot
1 - 2	7:10	4:15	Cambridge, 300 Main Street (Kendall MIT Station)
1 - 3	7:25	4:00	South End, <u>150 Huntington Ave (Greenhouse Apartments)</u>

NEEDHAM - NEWTON - CHESTNUT HILL - BROOKLINE

Bus 2

Stop	A.M.	P.M.	
Number	Time	Time	Location
2 – 1	7:00	4:25	Needham, <u>Needham Memorial Park</u>
2 – 2	7:20	4:05	Newton, <u>Newton City Hall</u>
2 – 3	7:30	3:56	Chestnut Hill, <u>379 Hammond Street (Church of Redeemer)</u>
2 – 4	7:36	3:50	Chestnut Hill, <u>Craft Road and Reservoir Road</u>
2 – 5	7:42	3:44	Brookline, <u>Buckminster Road at Clinton Road</u>

WESTWOOD - DEDHAM - WEST ROXBURY

Bus 3

Stop	A.M.	P.M.	
Number	Time	Time	Location
3 – 1	7:15	4:20	Westwood, <u>157 Washington Street (St. Denis Church)</u>
3 – 2	7:25	4:05	Dedham, <u>848 High Street</u>
3 – 3	7:40	3:50	West Roxbury, Corey Street and Montview Street

Continued below

BEACON HILL - BROOKLINE

Bus 4

Stop	A.M.	P.M.	
Number	Time	Time	Location
4-1	7:20	4:15	Boston, <u>84 Beacon Street at Hampshire House (Cheers)</u>
4 – 2	7:40	3:50	Brookline, Pond Avenue at Cumberland Avenue

BACK BAY - CLEVELAND CIRCLE - BROOKLINE

Bus 5

Stop	A.M.		T
Number	Time	Time	Location
5 – 1	7:15	4:20	Boston, <u>354 Beacon Street</u>
5 – 2	7:27	4:02	Brookline, Beacon Street at Pleasant Street; this stop will be located
			outbound in the morning and inbound at Neena's in the afternoon
5 – 3	7:32	3:54	Brookline, 385 Chestnut Hill Ave (Marriott) in the morning and 420 Chestnut Hill
			Ave in the afternoon
5 – 4	7:35	3:50	Brookline, 99 Warren Street (Olmsted National Historic Site)
5 – 5	7:42	3:43	Brookline, <u>Clyde Street and Fernwood Road</u>

WESTON - WELLESLEY

Bus 6

Stop	A.M.	P.M.	
Number	Time	Time	Location
6 – 1	7:20	4:15	Weston, Scotch Pine Road and Cliff Road
6 – 2	7:26	4:05	Wellesley, 442 Washington Street (Whole Foods)