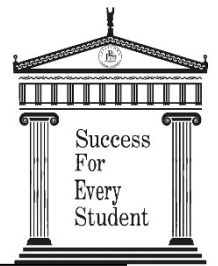




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Success for Every Student

Good evening. School districts across the country are currently in the midst of a profound transportation challenge, and Levittown Public Schools is one of those districts. There is a shortage of licensed bus drivers, making it difficult to transport our students to and from school in an efficient manner. Bus routes have been consolidated, the length of bus runs has increased, and, due to low ridership, all late buses have been cut.

We sympathize with our families and understand the importance of school transportation. However, there are simply not enough drivers. Our transportation team has worked diligently to ensure that all students arrive to and from school in a safe manner. While the length of transportation time has increased from past years, safe transportation is our top concern.

We will continue to evaluate our transportation needs and make changes where and when possible.

Please understand that this situation is critical for many districts, not just Levittown. We are competing for licensed drivers against for-profit companies. However, we will continue to actively recruit and train new drivers. If you know someone qualified or someone willing to be trained for a commercial driver's license, please have them contact our Human Resources department at (516) 434-7030.

Thank you.