

BAY SHORE UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUS STOP CHANGE REQUEST

The Bay Shore Schools provides transportation for all students living more than the voter-approved walker distance from their respective school. For grades K-5, this walker distance is one-half mile, for grades 6-8 the distance is one mile, and for grades 9-12 the distance is one and one-half miles. Each bus makes pickups for multiple schools, limiting the time the bus has available for each individual school. To most efficiently route all children to and from school on time, we spend a great deal of time creating bus routes, while attempting to keep bus stops a maximum of 0.2 miles (1,056 feet) from any student's home address. Early and Late bus stops may be further apart due to the reduced number of buses available for this additional service.

The Bay Shore Schools recognizes that at times there are safety concerns that may require a bus stop to be changed. While all requests will be reviewed and investigated, Education Law states that changes may not be based upon the "personal challenges facing individual parents."

If you feel that that there is a safety issue that must be addressed regarding your child's bus stop, please complete this form and return it to the Director of Transportation, 75 West Perkal Street, Bay Shore, NY 11706. Please allow 2-3 weeks for a response.

Name of Parent or Guardian: _____

Name of Student: _____

Address: _____

School: _____

Requested Bus Stop Location: _____

Check one:

____ Regular School Day ____ Early Bus ____ Late Bus ____ Late Late Bus

Reason for Request: _____

Approved _____ Denied _____

Effective Date of Change _____ Date Received _____