



RURAL EARLY BUS

Dear Parents,

To best support our student's bus travel arrangements, we are seeking your assistance in recognising those students who are required to travel on the 'Early' bus, Bus 426 to Humpty Doo, which requires students to leave class at 2.45pm each day.

If your child is traveling on this bus, could you please complete and return the form over the page by Monday 25th February, this will enable us to compile an accurate list of who should be released early from class each day to catch this bus.

Please note that Bus Service 404 departs the Palmerston Interchange at 4:00 pm. Students who alight from the bus at Coolalinga MacDonald's, Coolalinga Park & Ride or Sattler Crescent (Fred's Pass Reserve), are to catch this bus which will reach Sattler Crescent at 4:25 pm. This alleviates overcrowding on the Early Bus and still ensures students can get to their various destinations by 4:30 pm. Students can catch Bus 247 to Palmerston Interchange, then get onto Bus 404 to Coolalinga Park and Ride, then catch public buses 440, 445 to Humpty Doo and Noonamah or Cox Peninsula. (For timetables and map, please visit nt.gov.au/driving/public-transport-cycling)

Taking into consideration the information above could you please complete the information overleaf. This will be used to issue students a means of 'Bus Identification' which will be presented to the teacher at 2.45 pm each day, so ensuring the correct students are released on time.

Thank you for your assistance in this process. Should you have any queries please feel free to contact me on the phone numbers included below, or by email.

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404

Palmerston Interchange School Bus Service

PM Service

404 Palmerston Interchange to Sattler Crescent (Fred's Pass Reserve) via Coolalinga Park & Ride

School bus services operate in school terms only. Departure and arrival times are subject to traffic and weather conditions. Please ensure you arrive at the bus stop a few minutes early.

i Students, Parents and Carers please ensure you have read and understand the Code of Conduct rules of behaviour. All Public Transport buses are equipped with closed circuit television systems (CCTV) to assist with anti social behaviour on buses.



For more information about services and the Code of Conduct please contact Public Transport on 8924 7666 or visit www.nt.gov.au/publictransport

Palmerston Interchange

404 departs at 4:00pm

Palmerston

Coolalinga Park and Ride

Sattler Crescent (Fred's Pass Reserve)

404 arrives at 4:25pm

Legend

- AM Bus Route
- PM Bus Route
- Bus Stop
- 404 Route Number
- Ⓢ School

North



Coolalinga

McMin Lagoon

Fred's Pass



I give my Son/Daughter listed below, permission to be released from class at 2.45pm on the days indicated to catch bus 426 ending its journey at the Humpty Doo interchange.

Students Full Name: _____

Home form: _____

Home address (destination) (street name Not P O Box)

Days Travelling on Bus 426 (please circle any, and all days of travel)

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

Parents Full Name: _____

Signature of Parent: _____

Please indicate the reason why your Son/Daughter travels on Bus 426

- Connect with rural bus route
 - Please indicate the ROUTE NUMBER beyond Humpty Doo _____
- Catch early bus to arrive in time for **after school activities** E.g. Sport/Cadets etc. *(Please carefully consider if this is necessary or could your child travel on Bus 404.)*
 - Name: _____
 - Location: _____

Parents/ Caregivers Name: _____

Parents/ Caregivers Signature: _____

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