

# Travelling by bus to Bishop Wordsworth's School for the new 9.30am start time updated



As classes at Bishop Wordsworth's School will be starting later this term, we are encouraging students that need to travel to this school by bus to take a later journey, rather than risk overloading the buses they would normally catch.

On routes where buses run infrequently, Wiltshire Council has arranged for some additional buses to run that will arrive in Salisbury City Centre at approximately 9.20am. **These will start on Wednesday 2 September** and are detailed below.

## Buses from within Salisbury City, Wilton, Durrington, Bulford, Tidworth and Ringwood

The Salisbury Reds bus company runs frequent bus services from most points within these areas and details can be found on their website at [www.salisburyreds.co.uk](http://www.salisburyreds.co.uk).

Please try to avoid catching a bus that arrives in Salisbury before 9am.

## Buses from Amesbury and Longhedge

From 7 September, a new Salisbury Reds bus **service 654** will pick up at normal service X4 bus stops along the following route:

Amesbury Centre (Library)	0842
Earls Court Rd and Boscombe Rd	0843
Underwood Drive and Archers Gate	0845
High Post	0850
Longhedge (Main Road)	0853
arriving in Salisbury City Centre at	0910

This will run as an ordinary bus service but only students will be able to use it – just turn up and signal clearly to the driver as the bus approaches

## Buses from Porton, Idmiston, Gomeldon and the Winterbournes

Salisbury Reds bus service 66 will pick up as normal at all bus stops along the following route:

Idmiston Bridge	0835
Porton Targett's Corner	0839
Porton Chapman's Cnr (Church)	0841
East Gomeldon Arch	0844
Winterbourne Gunner bus shelter	0847
Winterbourne Earls / Dauntsey	0848
Hurdcott Turn	0850
arriving in Salisbury City Centre at	0910

This is an ordinary bus service so no need to book - just turn up and signal clearly to the driver as the bus approaches.

## Buses from Wellow, Plaitford, Landford, Whiteparish, Whaddon and Alderbury

Salisbury Reds will be running two extra buses on route 677 that will pick up at all the normal 677 bus stops as follows:

E.Wellow, Windwhistle Rd Postbox	----	0843
Wellow, Romsey Rd (Carlo's)	----	0845
West Wellow (Lower Common Rd)	----	0848
Plaitford (Service Station)	----	0852
Plaitford/Landford (New Road)	----	0854
Nomansland (Lamb)	0837	----
Nomansland (Cross Roads)	0838	----
Landford (B3079/Beech Grange)	0839	0857
Whiteparish (Common Road)	0846	----
Whiteparish (Church)	0850	----
Brickworth Corner (Garage)	0853	----
Whaddon (Post Office)	0859	----
Alderbury (Crossroads)	0902	----
arriving Salisbury (Exeter St)	0918	0918

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## Buses from Fordingbridge, Breamore, Redlynch, Woodfalls, Downton, Charlton All Saints, Britford, Nunton and Odstock

Two extra Salisbury Reds buses will pick up at bus stops along the normal X3 and 44 bus routes at the times shown below:

	Service Number	44	653
Fordingbridge (Salisbury St.)	----	0843	
Breamore (Village Hall)	----	0853	
Redlynch village & Church	0836	----	
Mays Firs	0843	----	
Woodfalls Cross	0845	----	
Morgans Vale Corner	0848	----	
Downton, Moot Lane	0852	----	
Downton, Main Road (Bull)	0857	0857	
Charlton (A338 Bus Shelter)	0900	0900	
Bodenham (Bus Shelter)	0903	----	
Britford (Bus Shelter)	----	0903	
Nunton (opp Radnor Arms)	0906	----	
Odstock Cross Roads	0908	----	
arriving Salisbury (Exeter St)	0918	0918	

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## Buses from Winterslow and Firsdawn

Salisbury Reds bus service 88 will pick up as normal at all bus stops along the following route:

Winterslow Gunville bus shelter	0823
Winterslow, Central Stores	0828
Firsdawn, Firs Road	0834
arriving in Salisbury Centre at	0900

This is an ordinary bus service so no need to book - just turn up and signal clearly to the driver.

## Buses to Salisbury from other areas

We have arranged for some special minibuses to run into Salisbury from the following locations after they have finished carrying children to other schools.

Barford St.Martin, Bishopstone, Berwick St.James, Bowerchalke, Broadchalke, Coombe Bissett, Compton Chamberlayne, Dinton, Durnford, Fovant, Great Wishford, Newton Toney, Shrewton, South Newton, Stapleford, Tilshead, Winterbourne Stoke and the Woodford Valley villages.

These buses will start their journeys at approximately 8.40am but will only call at places where we know that students will be waiting.

To travel on these minibuses you will therefore need to book a seat in advance by emailing [buses@wiltshire.gov.uk](mailto:buses@wiltshire.gov.uk) at least 48 hours before the first day that you need to travel (or by midday on Friday for travel on a Monday).

We are sorry if your village is not listed, but we only have a limited number of buses available and they only have a short period of time to complete their journeys.

For more information on travelling in to Bishop Wordsworth's School for 9.30am, please email Wiltshire Council at [buses@wiltshire.gov.uk](mailto:buses@wiltshire.gov.uk) or ring 01225 713365.