



1 March 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Yellow buses routes U9 and U10

We have recently been informed of the withdrawal of the above routes by Yellow Buses. Having met with representatives of the company this week, I can confirm that the last day of these routes will be Thursday 29 March 2018. The company have proposed a new service, but the cost would have to be carried by parents, and underwritten by the school.

I am therefore looking to alternative routes provided by other companies to see whether we can arrive at a solution that will be helpful to our affected families. Morebus, for example, are considering possible service changes following this decision by Yellow Buses. Their website will be the first place where such developments will be announced, and it may be worth contacting them directly. We are also looking for other possible ways in which we can help our affected families, and I will be in contact again once enquiries have been completed.

In the meantime, if you have any queries regarding the Yellow Bus service, I have been given the following email as a point of contact: wecanhelp@yellowbuses.co.uk. For school enquiries, please could I ask you to direct queries to Mr Hurley, Assistant Headteacher via our enquiries@st-edwards.poole.sch.uk email address.

I am sorry to have to write with news beyond our control which will affect our students, but please be assured that we will do all we can to try and find transport solutions.

Yours sincerely,

Mr M Antram
Headteacher