

Bus Information 2025

Bus services are provided by the College to students in the metropolitan area. Adelaide Metro provides school bus services 888 & 882 via the South Eastern Freeway to the Adelaide Hills.

Bus services are due to arrive at Concordia College by 8.25 am. Buses, with the exception of Adelaide Metro, depart promptly at 3.30 pm (except Wednesdays - when they depart at 3.10 pm). The Adelaide Metro buses depart Stop 9 Duthy Street at 3.35pm (except Wednesdays, when they depart at 3.10pm).

The existing routes have been determined according to demand, always bearing in mind the benefit to the majority of those using the service.

The College does not accept liability for any accident which may arise as a result of, or in connection with, travel on College buses, except that liability covered by the College's various insurances.

Concordia College uses BusMinder app on all bus routes except the Adelaide Metro general public bus which uses the Adelaide Metrocard. Please contact the Finance Office in the first instance to complete a Bus Application (except Adelaide Metro buses).

Adelaide Metrocards are required on the 888 & 882 Adelaide Hills school bus services.

Bus Name	Brief Description of 2025 Bus Routes
Aberfoyle Park AM	Aberfoyle Park/Coromandel Valley/Blackwood/Eden Hills/Panorama/Colonel Light Gardens
Aberfoyle Park PM	Torrens Park/Belair/Blackwood/ Coromandel Valley/Aberfoyle Park
Eden Hills PM	Colonel Light Gardens/Panorama/Eden Hills/Blackwood/Glenalta
Edwardstown AM	Cumberland Park/Clarence Gardens/Edwardstown/Melrose Park/Westbourne Park
Golden Grove	Dernancourt/Athelstone/Rostrevor/Tranmere/Magill/Wattle Park/Hazelwood Park
Melrose Park PM	Westbourne Park/Colonel Light Gardens/Melrose Park/Edwardstown
Enfield	Enfield/Blair Athol/Sefton Park/Medindie Gardens/Royston Park/St Peters/Stepney/Norwood/Rose Park
Windsor Gardens	Northgate/Manningham/Walkerville/Vale Park/Marden/Payneham/Beulah Park/Toorak Gardens

Adelaide Metro 888 & 882 Visit the Adelaide Metro website for details on these Adelaide Hills bus services:
<https://www.adelaidemetro.com.au/routes/888>
<https://www.adelaidemetro.com.au/routes/882>

(Adelaide Hills) Arrivals and departures are from Stop 9 Duthy Street. For further information refer to Adelaide Metro website or enquire at the College Finance Office.

Adelaide Metro services are also for other schools and not just Concordia College students.

**Based on 2024 data, bus routes may be updated in early 2025.*

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Bus Fees

Payment for travel is managed through the BusMinder app. There are THREE OPTIONS available for travel –

- + Term Pass \$320 (per term)
- + 20 Trip Pass \$90
- + Casual Tickets \$25 (five tickets)

The fees for the cost of each fare are reviewed annually and parents will be notified of any changes.

Should you have any further enquiries please contact the Finance Office on **8272 0444** or email **buses@concordia.sa.edu.au**

Bus Usage Conditions

Students are requested to regard their use of school buses as a privilege and respond accordingly.

Any student breaching these conditions may be suspended or excluded from using the bus.

- + Students should arrive at the pick-up point at least five minutes earlier than the designated pick-up time and ensure that they are visible to the driver.
- + **Students are required to hail the bus to stop** by placing their hand out as the bus is approaching.
- + **Students are required to present a valid Student ID card every time they catch a bus.**
- + Students are required to remain seated while on the school buses. Where seat belts are provided, they must be worn at all times.
- + Eating and drinking on buses is prohibited.
- + Students must show respect for the driver, the bus and other students at all times.
- + If the regular driver is not on the Concordia School bus, students are required to call out 'Next stop please' as they approach their designated stop.
- + The cost of any damage caused by a student to the bus during travel, will be charged to the student who caused the damage or his/her family.
- + The College reserves the right to change or withdraw bus services in response to changing demand.

Additional Conditions for St John's Campus Students

- + Students are required to carry current family contact details, including bus routes and stop details, at all times in the front pocket of the school bag or diary [if applicable]. In an emergency, these family contact details will be provided to the bus company.
- + In the mornings, students are required to walk unaccompanied from the Concordia Campus to the St John's Campus.
- + School Office staff must be informed of the exact days that students will be catching the bus in the afternoon. Any alterations or additions to bus usage must be received by email the day prior or on the morning of the day must be advised by telephone.
- + Of an afternoon if a student presents to catch the bus and no advice has been received, the School Office will attempt to contact parents, failing this the child will go to OSHC.
- + Students are required to sit towards the front of the bus in the afternoon and alight via the front door. The person meeting the students must be identified to the driver by the student as being known to them before they alight the bus.

Additional Conditions for Concordia Campus Students

- + In the afternoons, students may alight from the bus at another designated stop, for example to meet at a parent's workplace or to visit a friend after school. A request should be made to the driver when boarding the Concordia School buses.

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