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# **Grant Transportation to Marshall FAQ's**

# How will Grant students get to the Marshall Campus?

As part of the transportation study, the Grant attendance boundary was divided into 3 "zones" GREEN, YELLOW and RED to determine service impacts and costs. (Please view the Map)

Some Grant students, those in the GREEN ZONE, (Beverly Cleary and Laurelhurst School boundaries), will be able to use both private and free public transportation to reach the Marshall campus at 3905 SE 91st Ave. Grant students in the YELLOW ZONE, (Irvington and Alameda School boundaries), will receive shuttle bus service to MAX stations and will take the MAX Green Line to Marshall. Grant students in the RED ZONE, (King, Boise Eliot/Humboldt, & Sabin School boundaries), will receive direct yellow bus service to the Marshall Campus.

# Where can I find detailed information about PPS Buses to Marshall?

- Go to *www.pps.net/granttransportation* for an online, interactive map that shows the transportation zones, bus stops and pick up times for students getting transportation assistance to and from the Marshall campus. A downloadable version is also available. For the latest bus schedule information, please refer to the PPS Transportation webpage at *https://apps.pps.net/Transportation/BusSchedule*
- Students in the designated Red Zone the King and Sabin school areas will use direct buses to get to the Marshall campus. They will leave from and return to bus stops in the designated red zone. For the morning pick-up and afternoon drop off times refer to this online map *www.pps.net/granttransportation*.
- After school, all Red Zone Buses heading back to neighborhoods will leave Marshall at 3:40 p.m.
- We recommend students arrive at bus stops at least 5 minutes early.
- Students in the designated yellow zone the Alameda and Irvington school areas will take shuttle buses to and from their closest MAX station. They will then use free TriMet MAX transportation to reach the Marshall campus. These students will leave from and return to bus stops in the designated yellow zone. For the morning pick-up and afternoon drop off times refer to this online map *www.pps.net/granttransportation*.
- Shuttle buses from the yellow zone connecting to the Hollywood Station will be utilizing the skybridge on the south side of the transit center to reduce traffic conflicts. Shuttle buses from the yellow zone connecting to Lloyd Center station will utilize the CTrans Holladay Park stop unless otherwise directed.

## Will buses be provided for some evening and extracurricular activities?

Special Activity Buses for students participating in after school activities will be leaving the Marshall campus and will be dropping students off on the designated bus routes near their houses and where its safe. Times for the Special Activity Buses will be announced shortly. Please check the Grant website for updates.

## How will special education students get to the Marshall Campus?

All special education students currently receiving PPS transportation will continue to do so. Yellow bus service for special education students does not change.

## Is TriMet free for Grant Students?

All Grant students are eligible for a free Portland Public Schools High School Student Transit Pass. The Student Transit Pass program is a partnership among TriMet, the school district and the City of Portland.



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#### Driving, Car Pool and Parking information

For students & parents driving to campus there are numerous parking spaces and an easy to access drop off route at the entrance to the school. We encourage parents and students to car pool. Access to the campus is off of 92nd Ave just south of Powell Blvd. Turn onto SE 91st Place. Students drivers will need to complete a vehicle registration form and return it to Tim Taylor in the Vice Principals' office.

#### What are the times for MAX Green Line trips that serve the Marshall campus this fall?

For the latest morning and afternoon Green Line MAX times to and from the Marshall campus. Please consult the TriMet website. *https://trimet.org/* 

#### Why isn't yellow bus service to Marshall provided to all Grant students?

Portland Public Schools does not normally provide regular yellow school bus service to high schools in the District and the cost to provide yellow bus service to all Grant students would be prohibitively expensive. However, the District's Transportation Department and the Office of School Modernization engaged with the Grant Design Advisory Group, Transportation Committee and conducted studies reviewing transit times to the Marshall campus from Grant boundary neighborhoods. From these studies, it was determined that for some families, there would be significant commute times to and from the school. PPS therefore recommended a multi-tiered approach to providing transportation service to the Marshall Campus.

