

February 15, 2023

**Public Advisory: More Routes Resume as District Makes  
Progress on Resumption of Busing Service**

The Newfoundland and Labrador English School District continues to restore busing service to schools impacted by the service interruption announced on February 11.

Following two days of weather closures, select runs are resuming for a number of impacted schools in the St. John's Metro region. Numerous runs originally scheduled to resume on Tuesday are noted in the backgrounder below with an asterisk, as the resumption date has been adjusted to Thursday, February 16. Additional runs for Holy Spirit, Topsail Elementary, and Villanova Junior High will also resume service Thursday and are bolded in the backgrounder below and identified with resumption dates. School names bolded in the chart below are no longer anticipated to be impacted.

Due to weather-related delays and unforeseen circumstances, alternate transportation services scheduled to resume tomorrow have been delayed. School staff have been in direct contact with the impacted families and a new resumption date will be shared when available.

District staff will continue work to restore services and, as resources become available, service may be implemented earlier for some schools prior to the anticipated Monday, February 20 timeline. In the meantime, families are being asked to make arrangements for transportation to and from school.

The District extends its appreciation to school staff, communities, busing contractors, and drivers for working with us through these challenging circumstances. We continue to remind the general public to be careful when travelling through school zones, particularly in the areas near the schools listed below.

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## BACKGROUNDER

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School	Total # of Runs	Impacted Bus Route Number
Beachy Cove Elementary	8 Routes	All routes
Beaconsfield Junior High	7 Routes	<b>Route 16-051-7 (resumes 02/14)</b>
Brookside Intermediate	8 Routes	All routes
Elizabeth Park Elementary	1 Route	All routes
Hazelwood Elementary	6 Routes	All routes
Holy Cross Elementary	1 Route	Route 21-185-1
Holy Spirit High	14 Routes	<b>Route 16-064-3B (resumes 02/16)*</b> <b>Route 16-064-1B (resumes 02/16)*</b> <b>Route 16-064-2B (resumes 02/16)*</b> <b>Route 16-064-4B (resumes 02/16)</b> <b>Route 16-064-5B (resumes 02/16)</b> <b>Route 16-064-12B (resumes 02/16)</b>
Paradise Intermediate	9 Routes	Route 22-045-1 (resumes 02/13) Route 22-045-5 (resumes 02/13) Route 22-045-2 (resumes 02/13) Route 17-130-14 (resumes 02/13) <b>Route 22-045-4 (resumes 02/16)*</b>
<b>Topsail Elementary</b>	5 Routes (All routes resuming)	<b>Route 16-064-3A (resumes 02/16)*</b> <b>Route 16-064-1A (resumes 02/16)*</b> <b>Route 16-064-2A (resumes 02/16)*</b> <b>Route 16-064-4A (resumes 02/16)</b> <b>Route 16-064-5A (resumes 02/16)</b>
Villanova Junior High	7 Routes	<b>Route 16-064-12A (resumes 02/16)</b>

Alternate Transportation Contracts (resumption to be determined)

Cape St. Francis Elementary  
 Holy Trinity Elementary  
 Holy Trinity High  
 Juniper Ridge Intermediate

