

## Current State of Tennessee Standards for General Education Bus Riders

- Per Tennessee State Law, students shall not be allowed to ride the bus more than 1.5 hours to school or more than 1.5 hours from school.
- Per Tennessee State Law, students who attend their zoned school and who live more than 1.5 miles from the school are eligible for bus service.

# Current Williamson County Schools Standards for General Education Bus Riders

• Students residing inside subdivisions may walk up to .25 miles to the bus stop.

• WCS strives to keep the time on the bus at no more than 60 minutes to school or from school.

### Goals of Bus Hub Stop Program

• Reduce ride times for students on school buses.

 Allow buses to return earlier to schools for afternoon routes.

### Bus Hub Stops

• Bus stops are consolidated using current stop locations, playgrounds, neighborhood pools, or walking path entrances.

• Safe walkability or neighborhoods with sidewalks are considered for this program.

### Independence High Buses 30 & 87

Current Routes Without Hub Stops

Correspondences

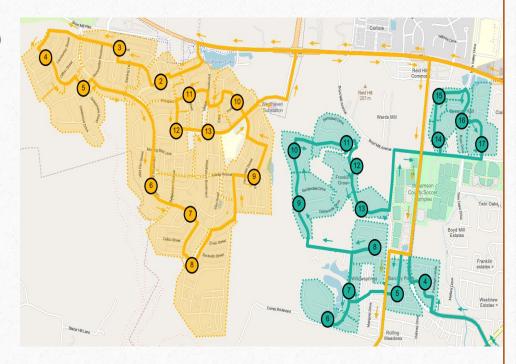
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Routes With Hub Stops

Bus 30 (green)

Bus 87 (gold)



### Independence High School Buses 30 & 87

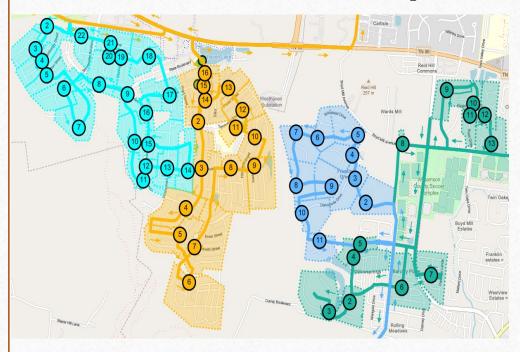
Bus Number	Current # of Stops	New # of Stops	Projected Time Saved
30	25	19	6 Minutes AM 8 Minutes PM
87	38	24	11 Minutes AM 14 Minutes PM

#### Hillsboro Middle

#### Bus 51's 1st & 2nd Loads and 53's 1st & 2nd Loads

Current Routes Without Hub Stops

Routes With Hub Stops

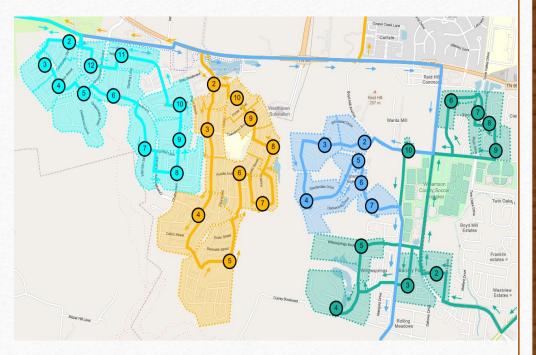


Bus 51's 1st Load (green)

Bus 51's 2<sup>nd</sup> Load (gold)

Bus 53's 1st Load (blue)

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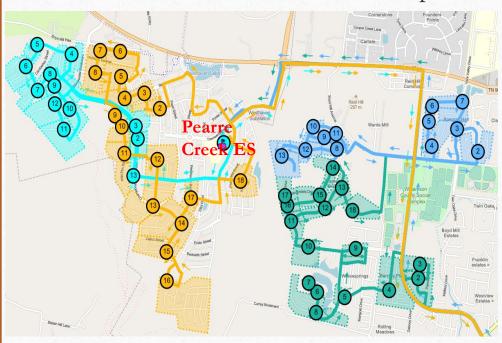


## Hillsboro Middle Bus 51's 1st & 2nd Loads and 53's 1st & 2nd Loads

Bus Number	Current # of Stops	New # of Stops	Projected Time Saved
51's 1st Load	13	11	14 Minutes AM 2 Minutes PM
51's 2 <sup>nd</sup> Load	18	12	9 Minutes AM 9 Minutes PM
53's 1st Load	12	8	15 Minutes AM 4 Minutes PM
53's 2 <sup>nd</sup> Load	25	13	10 Minutes AM 13 Minutes PM

## Pearre Creek Elementary Bus 30's 1st & 2nd Loads and 87's 1st & 2nd Loads

Current Routes Without Hub Stops



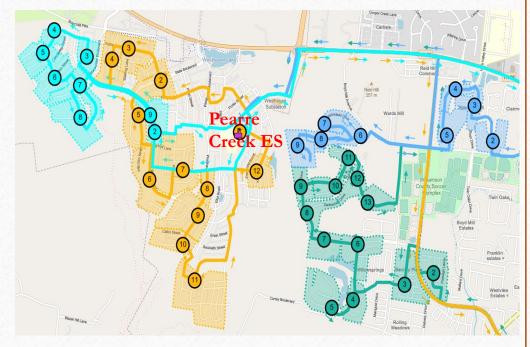
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Routes With Hub Stops



# Pearre Creek Elementary Bus 30's 1st & 2nd Loads and 87's 1st & 2nd Loads

Bus Number	Current # of Stops	New # of Stops	Projected Time Saved
30's 1st Load	19	14	14 Minutes AM 10 Minutes PM
30's 2 <sup>nd</sup> Load	21	14	4 Minutes AM 15 Minutes PM
87's 1st Load	14	10	9 Minutes AM 7 Minutes PM
87's 2 <sup>nd</sup> Load	16	11	2 Minutes AM 14 Minutes PM

## Bus Hub Stop Program Next Steps

• Where do I find the hub bus stop for my address?

https://www.wcs.edu/about-us/bus-routes-transportation

Under the Bus Hub Stop Program section, select the box titled, "Check Your Proposed Bus Hub Stop Location", and type in your street address.

- Where do I provide feedback on the hub bus stop location? Email us at <a href="mailto:bus.hubstops@wcs.edu">bus.hubstops@wcs.edu</a>
- When do the new hub stops become effective?

Monday, December 2. Reminder notes are sent by bus and through Blackboard prior to Thanksgiving Break.