



FORRES SANDLE MANOR
FORDINGBRIDGE

Transport Guide 2024-25



Welcome

It has never been easier to get to Forres Sandle Manor with our range of bus routes across the county and beyond! Whether you are coming from a nearby village or from a town or city, you can be sure that there is a route that can bring your child to school and take them home.

We are considerably expanding our provision and we anticipate adding further routes in the coming months and years.

We have worked hard to subsidise these routes to make them as cost-effective for families as possible, as well as making the pricing clear and easy to understand.

In order to secure a space on a bus, you will be able to purchase seats for an upcoming term, either for up to (any) 5 journeys per week or unlimited use. We have placed each stop in a 'zone' to further simplify the pricing structure. Please note that we will be asking for each term's bus fee to be paid in full prior to the first day of term.

On-site activities will run for 1 hour (16:30-17:30), which will enable all afternoon buses to depart promptly at the conclusion of these sessions.

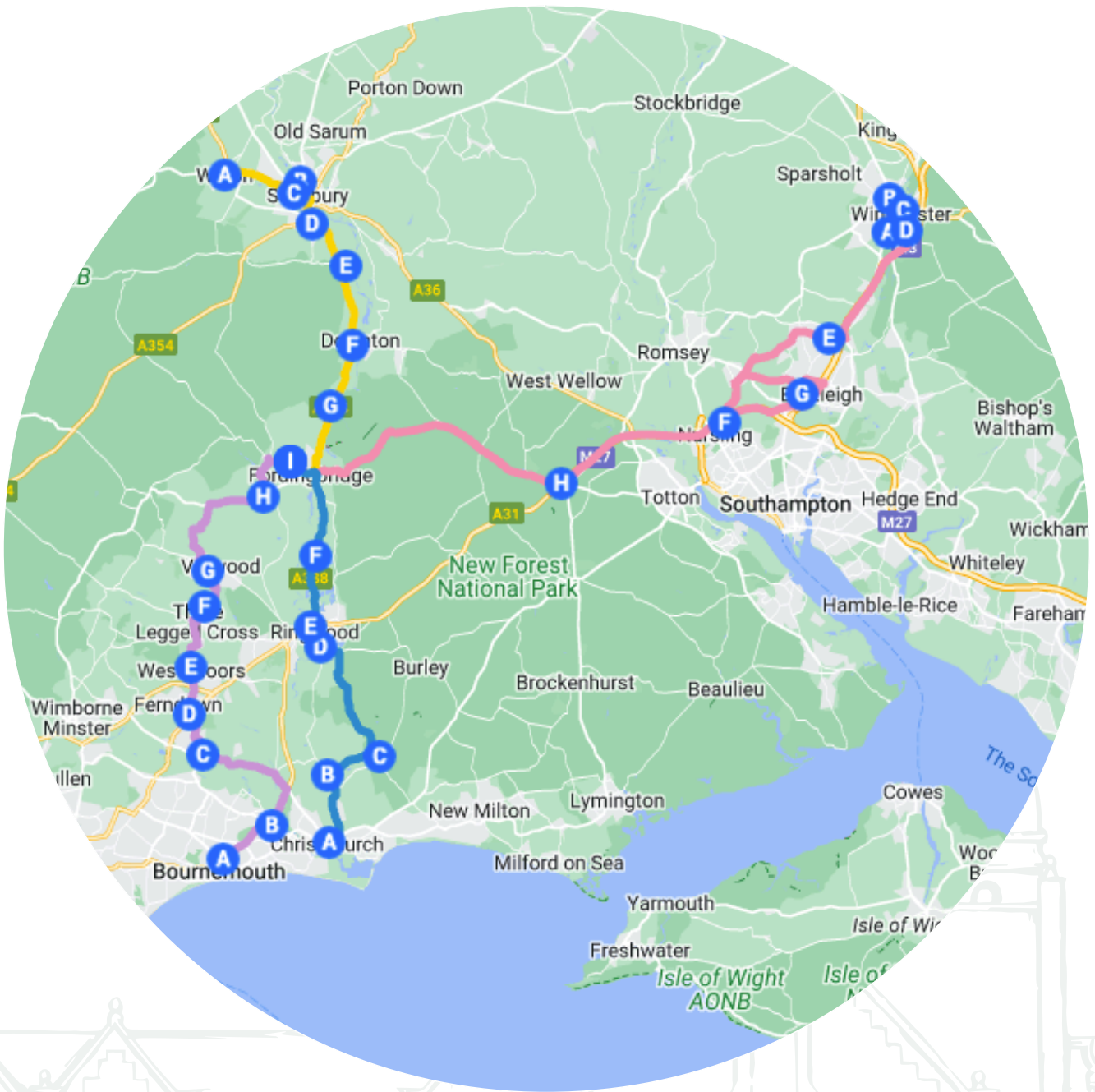
For those pupils taking a bus home, we will be offering the opportunity for them to have an in-school prep session prior to boarding the bus. This will ensure that when they arrive home, their school work has been completed to a high standard. From September 2024, prep sessions will also be available 16:30-17:30 for all day pupils in Year 7 and above, regardless of whether they are using the bus service. Sign up for this will be via SOCS as normal.

Off-site activities such as skiing, horse riding, golf etc will continue to arrive back at school from 18:00-18:30, therefore please note that if your child attends one of these activities, parents will have the choice to collect them from the end of the activity (at the venue), back in school on their return, or book them in for our increasing popular flexi boarding provision.

As stated above, we intend to further improve and expand this provision by adding new routes. We are also investigating other possible add-ons such as vehicle tracking to enable parents to see vehicle locations in real time.

If you are interested in securing your child's place for the first term in 2024-25, please register your interest here: <https://forms.gle/YJUMGmUFb3iajTsi8>

Route Maps



Route A - Salisbury



Route B - Winchester Express



Route C - Christchurch



Route D - Bournemouth North

Timetables

Route A – Salisbury

Stop	Collection at		Zone
	Time (Morning)	Time (Afternoon)	
Wilton (Greyhound Inn)	07:20	18:20	2
Salisbury (Waitrose)	07:25	18:15	2
Salisbury Train Station	07:30	18:10	2
Salisbury (Rowbarrow)	07:45	17:55	2
New Hall Hospital (Bus stop)	07:50	17:50	1
Downton (The Bull)	07:55	17:45	1
Breamore (Hulse Hall)	08:05	17:35	1
Forres Sandle Manor	08:15	17:30	

Route B – Winchester Express

Stop	Collection at		Zone
	Time (Morning)	Time (Afternoon)	
Winchester (BP Garage, St Cross)	07:00	18:50	4
Winchester Train Station	07:10	18:45	4
Winchester (King Alfred Statue)	07:15	18:40	4
Winchester (East P&R)	07:20	18:35	4
Chandler's Ford (Hiltingbury Stores)	07:25	18:30	3
Rownhams (morning only)	07:35		3
Eastleigh ASDA (afternoon only)		18:20	3
Cadnam (St John Barleycorn)	07:45	17:55	2
Forres Sandle Manor	08:10	17:30	

Route C – Christchurch

Stop	Collection at		Zone
	Time (Morning)	Time (Afternoon)	
Christchurch (Waitrose)	07:15	18:40	3
Sopley (Woolpack Inn)	07:25	18:30	2
Bransgore (Co-op)	07:30	18:15	2
Ringwood (David Lloyd)	07:40	18:05	1
Ringwood (Short stay car park)	07:50	17:55	1
Ibsley (Old Beams)	08:00	17:45	1
Forres Sandle Manor	08:15	17:30	

Route D- Bournemouth North

Stop	Collection at Time (Morning)	Drop off at Time (Afternoon)	Zone
Bournemouth (Station)	07:00	18:55	3
Littledown (BH Live Active)	07:10	18:45	3
West Parley (Lidl)	07:25	18:20	2
Ferndown (Iceland)	07:35	18:10	2
West Moors (Tap & Railway)	07:45	18:00	2
Three Legged Cross (Verwood Rd)	07:50	17:55	1
Verwood (Morrisons)	07:55	17:50	1
Alderholt (Reading Room)	08:10	17:45	1
Forres Sandle Manor	08:25	17:30	

Pricing

Zone	Termly price for up to 5 trips per week	Termly price for unlimited trips
1	£192.50	£385.00
2	£210.00	£420.00
3	£240.00	£480.00
4	£270.00	£540.00

Terms and Conditions

These terms are designed to ensure the service is run safely, and efficiently for all parents and pupils.

BOOKINGS

1. All transport on a school bus must be booked before any service is used.
2. Parents are responsible for making bookings for any journeys they wish their child to make.
3. Bookings must be made here - <https://forms.gle/YJUMGmUFb3iajTsi8>
4. The service is billed one term in advance. If payment has not been received in advance of the start of term, your child will not be permitted on the bus.
5. Payments are non-refundable.
6. If a parent wishes to stop using the bus service a full term's notice must be given in writing.
7. Ad-hoc journeys may be available. Please contact office@fsmsschool.com.

TRAVELLING ON THE BUS

1. Children must be at the bus stop in good time.
2. Children who are late will not be carried and parents will need to make alternative arrangements to take them to or from school.
3. Children must follow any instructions the driver gives them, quickly and politely.
4. Children are required to be considerate to all other pupils, the driver and members of the public.
5. Children in Years 3 – 11 must wear their school uniform or a full clean school track suit.
6. No food may be consumed on any school bus.
7. Seatbelts must be worn at all times.

THE DRIVER

1. The driver is not permitted to wait after a scheduled departure time, nor to pick up or set down students anywhere except a scheduled stop.

QUERIES OR CONCERNS

1. Queries or complaints about the service should be raised initially with the Director of Operations, Anna Matthews (amatthews@fsmsschool.com).
2. Queries or concerns about a driver or about the behaviour of pupils on the bus should be raised as soon as practicable with the Director of Operations, Anna Matthews (amatthews@fsmsschool.com).
3. Any safeguarding concerns regarding a driver should be raised as soon as possible with the Designated Safeguarding Lead, Lauren Marks (lmarks@fsmsschool.com).