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Dear Parent / Carer

ASL Home to School Transport

Correspondence was issued to all parents last school session, advising that Glasgow City Council was undertaking a review of the provision of ASL school transport to enhance current arrangements. We advised that part of the review would include the introduction of a new travel assessment and application process for current pupils on a phased basis.

This is to ensure we are meeting the individual needs of children and young people and in particular to help equip our young people, where possible, with the vital independent travel skills they will need when moving on to post school destinations.

Your child's school will be in touch shortly to discuss the travel assessment process. The process will be completed as part of your child's next annual review meeting which considers your child's needs including their travel requirements and will determine future travel support.

The travel assessment process will determine what suits each child or young person best and you will be involved in the discussion through the annual review process at school, which will include the completion of a short online form. The outcome may be no change to current arrangements, or a move away from fully supported travel assistance depending on the child / young person's needs.

You can find out more about our travel assistance policy at https://www.glasgow.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=17882.

The completed online assessment form will be reviewed by Education Support Services. We will inform you of the review outcome in writing within 6 weeks of receipt of your form. This will advise whether travel arrangements for your child will be changing or not, and the appropriate support. Please note any changes to pupil transport will not be made until the start of August 24 session.

If you have any questions, please email educationsupport@glasgow.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely

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