St John’s College
Bus Information

The following Bus Companies provide services to St John’s College.

**Wests National Coaches**  (Pink coaches with maroon stripes)

357 Chevallum Rd  
CHEVALLUM  Q  4555

- **Phone**: 5445 9724  
- **Fax**: 5445 0663

**From**: Rosemount, Panorama Drive, Nambour Town  
Image Flat, Dulong, Mapleton, Montville,  
Maroochy River & Coes Creek

**Transport Assistance forms** are available from [www.schooltransport.com.au](http://www.schooltransport.com.au), the Queensland Transport website and **must be completed prior to travel.**

Information regarding Bus Passes and Bus Routes can be obtained by ringing the WNBC office.

**Coolum Coaches**

P O Box 147  
WURTULLA  Q  4575  

- **Phone**: 5351 1165  
- **Fax**: 5351 1165

**From**: Eumundi, North Arm, Yandina, Parklands, Mt Ninderry, Valdora, Coolum Chase,  
Coolum Hinterland, Peregian Springs, Cooloolabin, Wappa Falls and Kulangoor.

**Transport Assistance forms** are available from Coolum Coaches and **must be completed prior to travel.**

Timetables, forms and information regarding Bus Passes and Bus Routes can be obtained by ringing the Coolum Coaches office.

2010 School Bus Passes will be issued at the commencement of the school year.
New students inquiring about eligibility for Bus Passes and Routes are asked to ring Buslink. Bus passes need to be finalised before starting school.

Routes to and from the above areas can be found on Buslink’s Website – www.buslinkqld.com.au. When looking on the website, you click on the initial of school, s for St John’s College and it will give the bus run numbers.

To save a trip to Buslink’s office, bus pass application forms can be downloaded from the website and once completed, simply posted to the above address.

**Buslink Qld P/L (Noosa)**

13 Bartlett Rd  
**NOOSAVILLE**  Q  4566  
www.buslinkqld.com.au

Phone  5474 4733  
Fax  5449 9503  
Email  noosa@buslinkqld.com.au

From:  Noosa/Eumundi/Cooroy - Nambour  
Noosa/Coolum/Mudjimba – Nambour

For information regarding runs originating in Noosa and about Bus Passes, please refer to Buslink’s website.
Bus Fare Assistance

There are two types of bus fare assistance available to families:

1. **Discounted Weekly Fares** – administered directly through each Bus Company/Queensland Transport

2. **Lump Sum Rebate** – administered by The Queensland Catholic Education Commission

**You may be eligible for either one or both of these forms of assistance depending on where you live, distance travelled to school and the weekly cost incurred per family.**

1. **Discounted Weekly Fare - Queensland Transport**

This scheme takes into consideration where you live, your distance from the nearest State High School and your distance from the nearest Catholic High School. Depending on these distances you may be eligible for a reduced price on weekly bus tickets.

When you contact the Bus Companies they will be able to calculate your reduction.

All students who have changed school or changed address will need to complete an Application Form. Application Forms can be collected from Bus Drivers or from Queensland Transport at the Mooloolaba Office.

Qld Transport
Old Pilot Station
Parkyn Parade
Mooloolaba  Q  4557

Phone:  5477 8400
www.schooltransport.com.au

2. **Non-Government School Bus Fare Assistance Program Rebate and Students with Disabilities Transport Program Rebate - QCEC (Queensland Catholic Education Commission)**

This Scheme is available to all families who have children attending non-government schools.

Eligible applicants will receive a rebate for any bus they have paid in excess of the weekly threshold. The weekly threshold is a per family threshold, not a per student threshold. The weekly threshold is determined on a semester by semester basis and depends on the government funds available for distribution to eligible applications as well as the amount of money spent on fares during the semester by all eligible applications.

Applications for this scheme can only be applied for on line at www.qcec.catholic.edu.au. Details of when the application forms are available will be published in the College newsletter.