

## **Covid Schools Emergency home to school transport Plan.**

Due to the rise of covid cases and the emergence of the Omicron variant, we are drawing up emergency plans to cover our school routes in case staff test positive for Covid-19. We are already facing severe driver shortages within our industry and as staff members must self-isolate for 10 days this can be very disruptive to an already stretched situation. We haven't had to cancel routes yet, but it could be only a matter of time. So, for this reason, we have produced a plan B for certain schools. We apologise for this inconvenience, and we will only use these measures when necessary.

### **Ramsey Academy                      EMERGENCY TIMETABLE**

In the event of driver shortages One Vehicle will be responsible for both routes.

The Bus will commence its service at Chappel/Wakes Colne, picking up at the following points.

- Wakes Colne, The Street Bus Stop. 0800
- White Colne, Bures Road. 0810
- Bures Road Bus Stop. A1124, White Colne. 0815
- Riverside Spice Bus Stop, Lower Holt Street, Earls Colne. 0816
- The Lion Bus Stop, Halstead Road. Earls Colne. 0818
- The Ramsey Academy. 0828

### **Following the disembarking of students, the Bus will commence the subsequent service at Colne Engaine.**

- Crossways Colne Engaine. 0840
- The Kennels Bus Stop, Earls Colne. 0850
- The Ramsey Academy. 0900

Students are required to be at there designated stop at a minimum of five minutes prior to the departure time

As the service in the afternoon is linked with a further commitment, we feel that there will be no alterations to the after-school return at this current time.