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MEMORANDUM

TO: District School Superintendents

FROM: Linda Champion

DATE: September 5, 2018

SUBJECT: July 2018-19 Student Transportation Survey Information

The July 2018-19 student transportation survey was conducted during the week of July 9-13, 2018. The Automated Student Information System (student transportation format) will be used by all districts to transmit their July student transportation survey information. Please refer to Appendix F of the 2018-19 FTE General Instructions for information regarding student eligibility and reporting criteria, and instructions for the Automated Student Information System. In 2018-19, the window of time during which a student must be transported in order to be eligible for reporting was extended to include the six scheduled school days preceding the five-day survey week.

The system cut-off date for reporting July survey data is Sunday, September 30, 2018. Any corrections or revisions to this data must be addressed by this date. The attached form letter, which certifies the adjusted student membership and the number of buses reported on the database, must be signed by the superintendent or designee and submitted no later than Monday, October 8, 2018. The July student transportation information provided in this letter must match that reported in the district database as of the final cut-off date. **Once notified of the availability of certification reports, districts may use Transportation Report F63499 or F70092 to verify adjusted membership and bus information recorded in the database for the certification letter.** The information in this letter will be compared with the Florida Department of Education's (department) report to ensure that accurate information is used in the transportation funding formula. A certification letter must be submitted even if the district does not have any July survey data.

Linda Champion
Deputy Commissioner, Finance and Operations

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Charter schools with eligible students who are reported for Florida Education Finance Program transportation funding must submit their ridership reports to the sponsoring school district. The district will include these students in the survey data submitted to the department. Charter schools do not have to submit a certification letter to the department and are encouraged to contact the transportation director in their sponsoring school district prior to the survey regarding the district's reporting process and procedures. Please email or call the department's School Transportation Management Office at schtrans@fldoe.org or 850-245-9795 if you need contact information for local school district transportation personnel.

Please call Lee Davis, School Business Services, at 850-245-0405, or Teresa Sancho, PK-12 Education Information Services, at 850-245-0400 if assistance in reporting student transportation data is needed.

Please scan and email the signed certification letter to josh.bemis@fldoe.org, or fax it to 850-245-9135.

LC/jb

Attachments: July 2018-19 Student Transportation Certification Letter
Student Transportation Reporting Deadlines 2018-19 through 2021-21

cc: District Transportation Directors
District Management Information System Directors
District Finance Officers
District Charter School Contacts
Mark Eggers, Assistant Deputy Commissioner
Lee Davis, Senior Educational Program Director
Teresa Sancho, Deputy Director

ATTENTION: JOSH BEMIS
Due Date: October 8, 2018

Date: _____

Fax Number: 850-245-9135

Mark Eggers, Assistant Deputy Commissioner
Florida Department of Education
Bureau of School Business Services
325 West Gaines Street, Room 814
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400

Dear Mr. Eggers:

This letter certifies the student transportation information totals in the Automated Student Transportation Survey Information Database for the July 2018 survey for the _____ County School District. Zeros entered below indicate that there were no transported students during the survey period. All district schools are represented.

| | <u>Total Buses</u> (Excluding Intersession) | <u>Total Adjusted Base Students</u> | <u>Total Adjusted ESE Students</u> |
|------------------------|---|---|--|
| July 2018 survey total | _____ | _____ | _____ |

Contact Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Sincerely,

Signature of District School Superintendent or Designee

Student Transportation Reporting Deadlines 2018-19 through 2021-22

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| <p>2018-19 <u>Survey 1</u> Survey Week: July 9-13, 2018 Due Date: July 27, 2018 State Processing: July 23-September 14, 2018 Final Update/Amendment Date: September 30, 2018</p> <p><u>Survey 2</u> Survey Week: October 8-12, 2018 Due Date: October 19, 2018 State Processing: October 15-November 2, 2018 Final Update/Amendment Date: December 15, 2018</p> <p><u>Survey 3</u> Survey Week: February 4-8, 2019 Due Date: February 15, 2019 State Processing: February 11-March 1, 2019 Final Update/Amendment Date: April 15, 2019</p> <p><u>Survey 4</u> Survey Week: June 10-14, 2019 Due Date: July 5, 2019 State Processing: June 24-July 12, 2019 Final Update/Amendment Date: August 15, 2019</p> | <p>2019-20 <u>Survey 1</u> Survey Week: July 8-12, 2019 Due Date: July 26, 2019 State Processing: July 22-September 13, 2019 Final Update/Amendment Date: September 30, 2019</p> <p><u>Survey 2</u> Survey Week: October 7-11, 2019 Due Date: October 18, 2019 State Processing: October 14-November 1, 2019 Final Update/Amendment Date: December 15, 2019</p> <p><u>Survey 3</u> Survey Week: February 3-7, 2020 Due Date: February 14, 2020 State Processing: February 10-February 28, 2020 Final Update/Amendment Date: April 15, 2020</p> <p><u>Survey 4</u> Survey Week: June 8-12, 2020 Due Date: July 2, 2020 State Processing: June 22-July 10, 2020 Final Update/Amendment Date: August 15, 2020</p> |
| <p>2020-21 <u>Survey 1</u> Survey Week: July 6-10, 2020 Due Date: July 24, 2020 State Processing: July 20-September 11, 2020 Final Update/Amendment Date: September 30, 2020</p> <p><u>Survey 2</u> Survey Week: October 5-9, 2020 Due Date: October 16, 2020 State Processing: October 12- October 30, 2020 Final Update/Amendment Date: December 15, 2020</p> <p><u>Survey 3</u> Survey Week: February 8-12, 2021 Due Date: February 19, 2021 State Processing: February 15-March 5, 2021 Final Update/Amendment Date: April 15, 2021</p> <p><u>Survey 4</u> Survey Week: June 7-11, 2021 Due Date: July 2, 2021 State Processing: June 21-July 9, 2021 Final Update/Amendment Date: August 15, 2021</p> | <p>2021-22 <u>Survey 1</u> Survey Week July 12-16, 2021 Due Date: July 30, 2021 State Processing: July 26 – September 10, 2021 Final Update/Amendment Date: September 30, 2021</p> <p><u>Survey 2</u> Survey Week: October 11-15, 2021 Due Date: October 22, 2021 State Processing: October 18 – November 5, 2021 Final Update/Amendment Date: December 15, 2021</p> <p><u>Survey 3</u> Survey Week: February 7-11, 2022 Due Date: February 18, 2022 State Processing: February 14 – March 4, 2022 Final Update/Amendment Date: April 15, 2022</p> <p><u>Survey 4</u> Survey Week: June 6-10, 2022 Due Date: July 1, 2022 State Processing: June 20 – July 8, 2022 Final Update/Amendment Date: August 15, 2022</p> |