

St Francis of Assisi Catholic College Student Transport Provisions



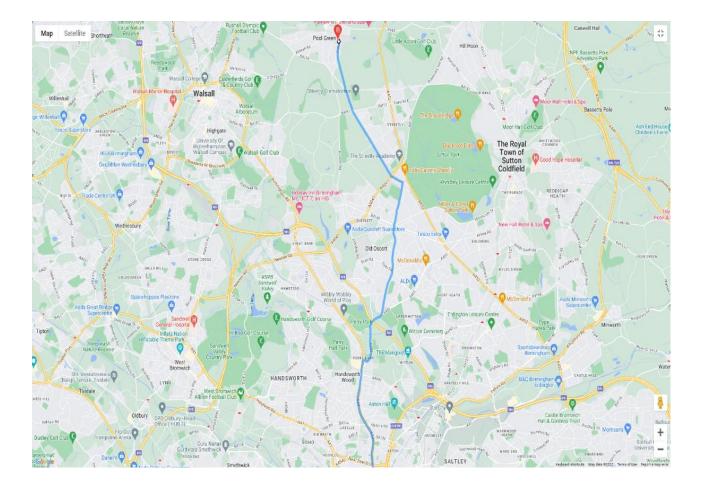
The majority of students attending St Francis of Assisi Catholic College use a form of transport to travel to and from school. Our students travel to school from all areas of the West Midlands and Staffordshire.

Walsall, Sutton Coldfield, Perry Barr, Great Barr and Birmingham Students

National Express West Midlands run a number of public services from Walsall, Great Barr, Birmingham City centre and Sutton Coldfield which either stop outside the school or a 5-minute walk in Aldridge town centre.

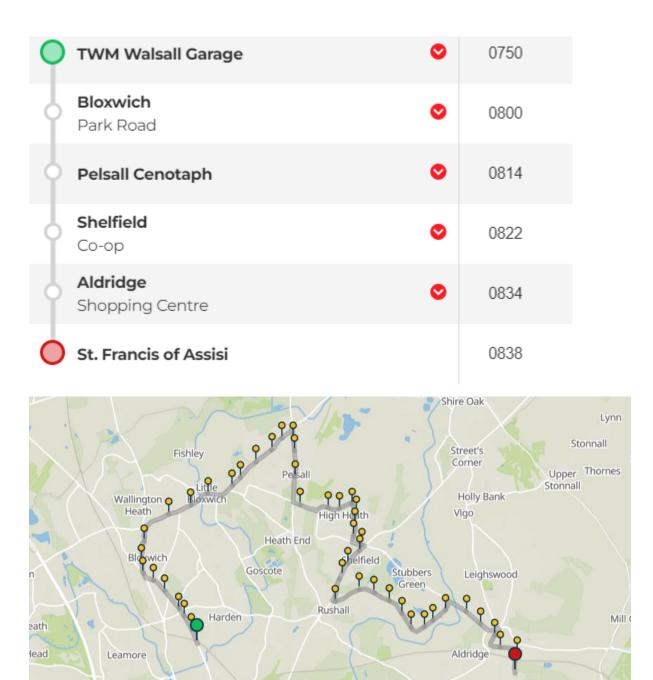
The most popular services include the 937, 997 & 936 from Birmingham to Brownhills (via Perry Barr, Kingstanding, Streetly, Aldridge and Walsall Wood) which stops directly outside school.

The route can be seen below.



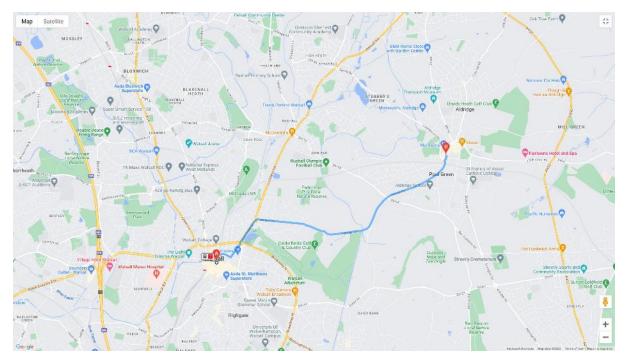
The 159 Service is a very well utilised service. There is only one morning service which comes direct into the school.

The stops below highlight the general direction of the service but in total there are over 25 stops on the route into school.



Barr Common Services from Walsall include the number 6 and 7 which stop at Aldridge town centre which is a pleasant 5 minute walk to school.

The route can be seen below.



For more information regarding the services and passes take a look at the national express website.

www.nxbus.co.uk



Tamworth & Lichfield Students

St Francis of Assisi Catholic College serves over 130 of our students in the Tamworth and Lichfield areas. We have 2 dedicated school buses which collect and return students in the morning and after school direct into the school Site.

These services are called the SFA 1 and SFA2, they are run by National Express Travel West Midlands on a contract basis, therefore the school administers the cost and passes for these services.

The cost of yearly buss pass is £750 from Tamworth and £500 from Lichfield, payments can be made weekly, monthly, termly or yearly. The school subsidies this service by £50,000 a year to ensure these costs remain consistent year on year.

We are absolutely delighted to announce that from September 2022 these services (The SFA 2) will also serve Lichfield town centre.

Please note that the cost is for the seat for the year not for the journey so the costs must be paid even if a student does not attend school that day, all payments are made via Parentpay.

Parentpay accounts will be setup for new starters (Year 7 and Year 12) mid-September so we allow 3 weeks grace for accessing the service without a pass, this allows students to start using the service immediately in September.



St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Technology College by bus

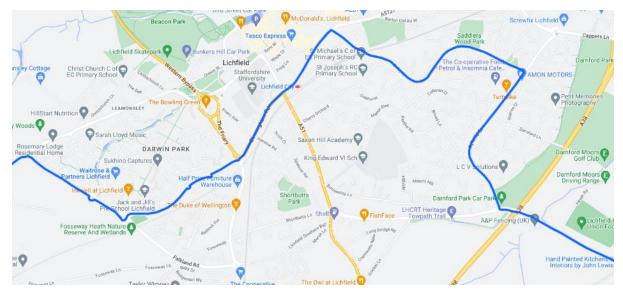


These services will operate from **5th September 2022** and are only for the use of pupils of St. Francis of Assisi Technology College who are in possession of passes specifically valid for use on these routes. Passes are available through St. Francis - please contact them directly for full details.



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The SFA2 Service will run through Lichfield and Tamworth from September 2022, the service will follow the route as shown below and stop at any bus stops on this route.



St. Francis of Assisi Catholic **Technology College** by bus



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SFA2 timetable					
Wilnecote - St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Technology College		St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Technology College - Wilnecote			
Monday to Friday			Monday to Friday		
Wilnecote, Pennine Way	0730		St. Francis of Assisi	1540	
Amington, Tesco Express	0739		Lichfield Bus Station, Stand 8	1601	
Tamworth, Rail Station	0747		Hopwas, Tame Otter	1615	
Hopwas, Tame Otter	0800		Tamworth, Rall Station	1627	
Lichfield Bus Station, Stand 8	0814		Amington, Tesco Express	1635	
St. Francis of Assisi	0840		Wilnecote, Pennine Way	1645	







National Express – SFA 1 & 2

All payments to be made via the school ParentPay system, payments will be available in July 2022 for existing students and Mid-September for new starters on your parental account. All students will be issued with a pass in September which allows them to travel on the SFA1, SFA2 and **all West Midlands travel bus services.**

Tamworth	Lichfield
£20	£13.50
£80	£50
£250	£170
£750	£500
	£20 £80 £250