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## To all parents who have expressed an interest in using Prince Henrys School services from September 2020,

Due to the effects of the pandemic, Metro have decided that the Prince Henrys bus services will operate as normal for the first term i.e. – until the Christmas holiday.

This means that you can still use the Metro blue pass for travel as well as paying fares on the bus. Metro have asked for you to use the link below <a href="https://www.wymetro.com/schools/applications/applications-and-renewals-for-september-2020/">https://www.wymetro.com/schools/applications/applications-and-renewals-for-september-2020/</a>

Those who are entitled to free passes will still receive these as normal – this mainly covers the PH1 service.

If you are paying fares - either daily or weekly, these are the same as last year -£1.50 single, £2.70 return or £12.00 weekly and can be bought from the driver.

In terms of social distancing, the government have said that School services can be operated without social distancing, which is encouraging. This means that we can operate services as normal – and we will adhere to the government guidelines as and when they are published.

To re-iterate, buses are totally safe to use, and we would encourage all parents to use buses as before to reduce congestion both at the school and in Otley.

Yours sincerely

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