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Kia ora - Following yesterday's announcement, we would confirm that students catching school buses are not required to wear face masks. Students over the age of 12 catching normal council run services are required to wear a mask.

Face coverings will therefore be required on public transport (buses, trains and commuter ferries) for any students over 12 years of age from 11.59pm on Sunday 30 August.

The key impact the new requirement will have on the school community is that students aged 12 and above will be required to wear a face covering when on public transport.

School transport is not included in this requirement.

We will have a small supply of face masks available to purchase for \$2 from Kahui Rangatahi if students misplace their masks during the day and have to catch public transport home. \$2 will be charged to parents' accounts.

Further information on face coverings is available here - <https://bit.ly/34HRbns>

Thank you for your help and understanding with this.

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