## TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION: '23-'24 SY

**Description:** This year, Hereford Middle School served students by providing 55 buses. Due to traffic and the number of buses that service the Hereford Zone, it is recommended that all students ride their assigned bus to and from school.

## Morning Drop-off:

• Students are dropped off by the bus at Hereford Middle between 7:10 and 7:25 am. Students should not be dropped off at HMS before 7:10 am.

## Afternoon Pick-up:

- Busses begin arriving at approximately 1:15 pm. It is recommended that if you need to come to school during this time, park on the street and walk up to the school. Parking is not permitted in the parking lot during dismissal because buses need to park double wide throughout the bus loop and parking lot. Students have a staggered dismissal in the afternoon beginning at 2:00 pm. If you are picking your child up after school, please arrive after 2:20 pm. Staff members supervising students in the cafeteria for parent pickup will escort students to the bottom of the bus loop at 2:20 pm. For safety reasons, students are not permitted to meet parents on Corbett Road. Car riders need to have a note that will be approved by the administration. Students should drop off these requests at the office in the morning during homeroom.
- Please remember that a note is requested whenever your child is changing their afternoon
  pick-up arrangements.... this includes Parent Pick-up. Students are only allowed to ride their
  designated buses to and from school.

**Compliance:** For more information, please refer to the following BCPS policies and procedures and the attached link.

 BCPS provides the same AM service and same PM service and establishes routes and stops based on this information, Monday through Friday. Transportation on multiple buses and on varying days of the week is not permitted. (See BCPS Policy, Rules & Resources Page: LINK)

AM: Drop-off Loop ...... Entry to the loop begins at 7:10 am PM: Pick-up Loop ..... Entry to the loop begins at 2:20 pm

