



Newsletter February 2023

Dear Parents,

We hope you had a good start to the new year and are ready to enjoy the upcoming winter break!

- Unfortunately, we have no news about the tram schedule for next school year as negotiations with KVV are still ongoing.
- As of 1st of March the ScoolCard (yearly transport card) will be replaced by the JugendticketBW and unfortunately we do not know all the details about the switching process to the JugendticketBW for all cards holders (external and JRC/ESK). We have received an information sheet from the Schul- and Sportamt Karlsruhe, which we attach to this letter. The KVV plans to write to all ScoolCard holders in February. More information can be found there and on the website of the Ministry of Transport and one can assume that more details will be added there in the near future:

<https://www.kvv.de/fahrkarten/fahrkarten-preise/schuelerinnen-studierende/kvv-jugendticketbw.html>

<https://vm.baden-wuerttemberg.de/de/service/presse/pressemitteilung/pid/jugendticket-startet-am-1-maerz-in-baden-wuerttemberg>

KVV JugendticketBW – Info event (in German) www.youtube.com/watch?v=zXA81ASpBpg

Tutorial How to order JugendticketBW online <https://youtu.be/vAr3F3TrNqo>

For primary school students P1-P4 who live further than 1 km from the school, the city of Karlsruhe will continue to subsidize so that the JugendticketBW will cost 100 € per year.

All entitlement cards (green/pink cards) will be expired as of **March 1, 2023**.

Pupils who have no Scoolcard and buy monthly tickets that have been subsidized with green/pink cards up to now, should apply for KVV JugendticketBW **for the month of March BEFORE February 10th 2023**. The application must be submitted to the KVV by the 10th of the previous month if ordered on paper by post, or by the 20th if ordered online. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Chana admin@eskar-transport.de.

JRC/ESK seconded. We are currently negotiating with KVV the terms of switching to the new KVV Jungenticket BW. In the meantime, we ask the users of the full-price monthly tickets to continue buying/using them. We will contact you as soon as we receive the approval. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Kobitskaya contact@eskar-transport.de.



Info for new parents and students

All details are available on our website: <https://www.eskar-transport.de/>

Here below we list few of our FAQ: <https://www.eskar-transport.de/faq>

What does the Transport Committee do?

The Transportation Committee organizes student transportation at the European School Karlsruhe.

What is special about the school lines?

The school buses and school trams may only be used by students registered for transport service and teachers of the European School. As a rule, there is an accompanying person who helps the younger elementary school students get on and off the bus and supervises the ride.

What are the school bus and school streetcar routes?

Currently there are three school tram lines

- 16: Kühler Krug - Hauptbahnhof - Südstadt Ost
- 17: Entenfang - Europaplatz - Ettlinger Tor - Durlacher Tor - Waldstadt
- 18: Durlach - Oststadt - Waldstadt

And four bus lines

- 11: Knielingen - Nordweststadt - Nordstadt - Eggenstein
- 12: Obergrombach - Untergrombach - Weingarten - Blankenloch - Büchig
- 13: Bruchsal - Karlsdorf - Neuthard - Spöck - Friedrichstal
- 14: Dettenheim - Linkenheim-Hochstetten - Leopoldshafen



Here is a line overview: <https://www.eskar-transport.de/timetables-routes/routes> and the school trams with time schedule: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y2yDvsSbujg>

My child is not yet registered for school transportation. Can I join it during the school year?

Yes, and from 1st March you will have special conditions! Due to the introduction of the JugendticketBW (see above) In addition to the JugendticketBW, there is a service fee to pay to the transport committee (30 € March to July and 60€ for the whole school year). For kindergarten children, there is an additional €40 (instead of €100 for the entire school year) to pay for accompanying persons. Please contact: external - Mrs. Chana admin@eskar-transport.de, JRC/ESK seconded - Mrs. Kobitskaya contact@eskar-transport.de

Persons (with a right to social support) can receive subsidies for school transport costs from Baden-Württemberg's education and participation programme (Bildungs- und Teilhabepaket Baden-Württembergs). You can find more information about this on this page of the Karlsruhe district: <https://www.landkreis-karlsruhe.de/Service-Verwaltung/Themen-Projekte/Familie->

[Jugend/Wegweiser-f%C3%BCr-Alleinerziehende/Bildungs-und-Teilhabepaket.php?object=tx%7C3051.5&ModID=7&FID=3051.364.1&NavID=3051.274&La=1](#) If you have any questions about this please contact Mrs. Chana admin@eskar-transport.de.

Can I get involved in the transportation committee?

Yes. Just send an email to Mrs. Kobitskaya contact@eskar-transport.de

Best regards

Your ESK Transport Committee