

# AFTER-SCHOOL BUS SERVICE - PIONEER HIGH

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2010/2011

## AFTER SCHOOL SERVICE FOR PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL

Pioneer High students who have a seventh hour class and live within the service area of the Ann Arbor Transportation Authority (AATA) will use AATA buses for transportation after school instead of yellow school buses.

Eligible students will receive an AATA pass at school from the Ann Arbor Public Schools (AAPS) Transportation Department.

### ROUTES FOR SERVICE

Five buses will serve Pioneer High School directly. A map showing the route of each of these buses is inside along with the number, color and departure time of each route. Unlike school bus service, you are not assigned to a particular bus or route; you can choose the bus you wish to ride. *Some students will be able to take a bus directly home. Many students will need to transfer onto an AATA regular route at the Blake Transit Center in downtown Ann Arbor.* Students who live outside of the AATA service area will use yellow school buses to get home.

### FINDING YOUR BUS

The boarding area for after-school service is at the flagpole entrance for two buses and the regular AATA bus stop near Main St. for three buses. The boarding location for the buses is shown on the map inside. Some buses will have a colored sign in the window by the front door to identify the route on which it will be traveling (see map on reverse). These signs will match the name and color of the routes in the brochure. Make sure you check the sign by the front door of the bus before getting on each day, as both the bus and its exact position may change. The departure time for each bus is shown on the map.

## BOARDING THE BUS

Before you get on the bus be ready to show the driver your AATA bus pass. If you do not have your bus pass with you, you will have to pay the regular student fare of 75 cents.

## No pass is required until September 22, 2010.

*You must have your pass in order to ride AATA buses without paying a fare.*

### BUS PASS ELIGIBILITY

You are eligible to receive a pass if:

- You have a seventh hour class and live far enough from school (generally 1.5 miles) to be eligible for the school bus.
- If you are not eligible for a pass, you can still ride by paying the student fare of 75 cents.
- Student semester passes are issued by the Ann Arbor Public Schools Transportation Department at (734) 994-2330.

Passes are not transferrable and will not be replaced if lost or destroyed. If you lose your pass, you can purchase a new one from AAPS. Call 994-2330 for lost passes.

The semester passes you receive will be valid from 3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday during each semester. **When the school day is not on a full schedule (half days, exam days, etc.), Ann Arbor Public Schools will provide bus**

**Ann Arbor Transportation Authority  
Route Information: 734-996.0400  
Web site: [www.TheRide.org](http://www.TheRide.org)**

## RIDING ON THE BUS

*Courtesy counts!* Please be considerate of your fellow passengers. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or use inappropriate language on the bus. Radios and tapes can be played only with earphones. Speaker phone use is not allowed. Do not block the aisles. Do not move around the bus. AATA drivers are instructed to proceed only when all passengers are either seated or standing still. If you are standing, please hold onto a handrail at all times. Do not take up seats with book bags or other personal items. All buses are open for the general public.

## GETTING OFF THE BUS

Buses will only stop at AATA bus stops which are marked with a bus stop sign.

As the bus approaches your stop, pull the cord located between or above the windows to let the driver know you wish to get off.

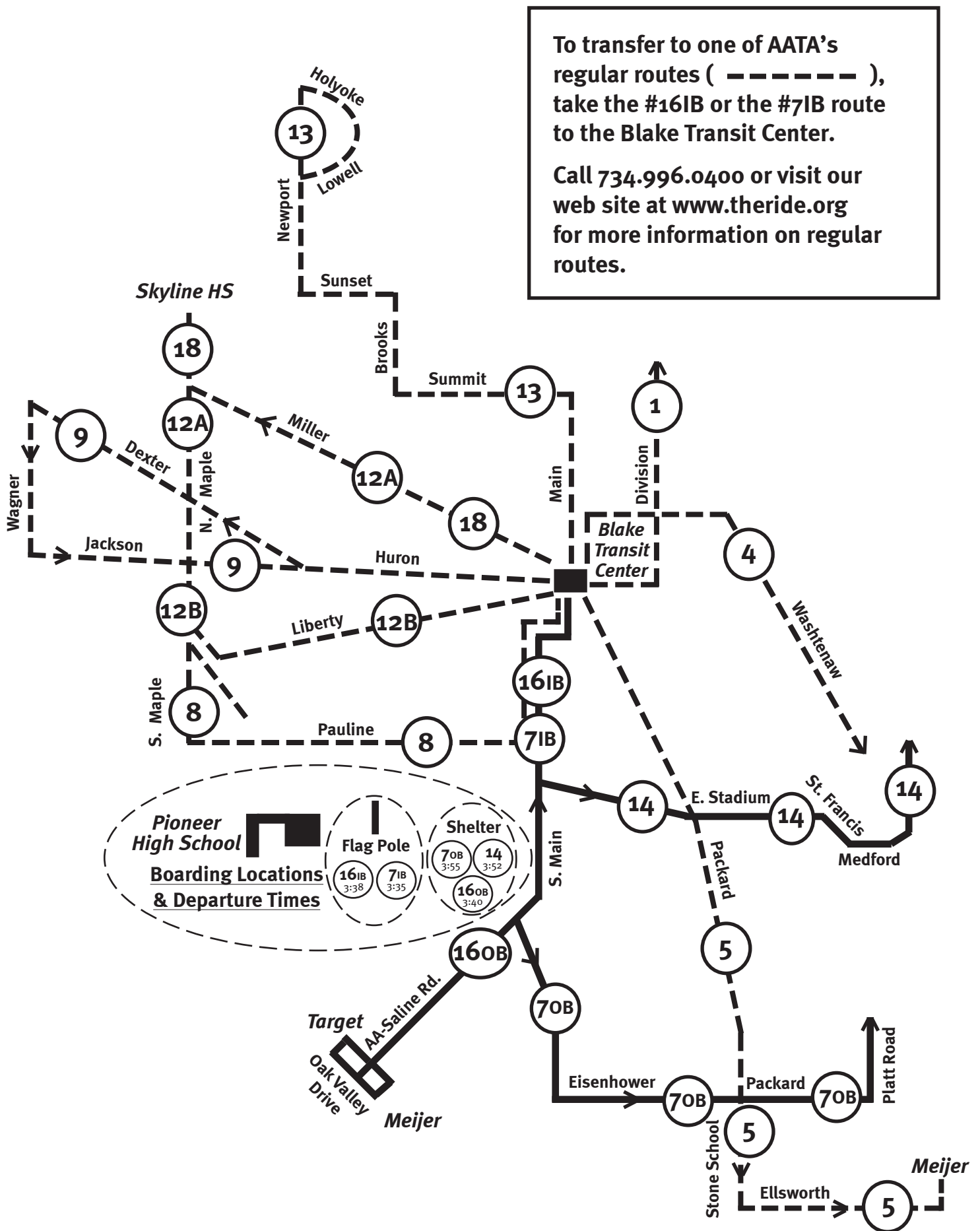
**Cars and other traffic do not have to stop for AATA buses as they do for school buses. You should wait for the bus to leave so that you can see in all directions before crossing the street.** transportation.

## REGULAR AATA SERVICE TO PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL

You can also use your AATA pass to ride any regular AATA bus from 3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. each school day. Three AATA routes (7, 14 and 16) serve the AATA bus stop east of Pioneer just off Main St. and one regular route (15) serves the AATA bus stop on Seventh St. across from Pioneer.

For detailed route and schedule information, get a copy of the AATA Ride Guide on any AATA bus or at any AATA office; call 734-973-6500 to have one mailed to you; or visit our web site at [www.TheRide.org](http://www.TheRide.org).

# AATA AFTER-SCHOOL SERVICE *ROUTE MAP & BOARDING LOCATIONS* FOR PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL 2010-2011



## The Routes

- 7OB To Arborland area
- 7IB To downtown (Blake Transit Center)
- 14 To Stadium & Packard, U-M Medical Center
- 16OB To Meijer (Ann Arbor-Saline)
- 16IB To downtown (Blake Transit Center)

## The Key

- 12 Route Number
- OB Outbound Route
- IB Inbound Route to Blake Transit Center
- - - - - Regular Route from Blake Transit Center