

August 22, 2011

Dear Tate Woods Families,

We are pleased to tell you how wonderful it was to welcome your children back to Tate Woods today. It was wonderful to have them back in the building and they did a great job of learning today.

Unfortunately, our buses were not as successful today. First of all, I would like to extend my most sincere apologies for the inconvenience and hardship caused by our unacceptable bussing situation today. The events that occurred today with late buses, buses skipping stops, etc... is unacceptable. Tate Woods and Lisle School District #202 are taking the following steps in collaboration with the bus company to insure that tomorrow's bus ride is acceptable for our students.

1. The bus company is reviewing all routes for accuracy and updating times based on mistakes made today.
2. The bus company is reviewing and updating directions for all bus drivers and providing those updated and more specific directions to their drivers by 5:30am, Tuesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>.
3. Tate Woods office staff will continue to accept calls and communicate with the bus company in a collaborative manner to improve the situation for tomorrow.

Again, we offer our sincere apologies and are communicating actively with the bus company to improve pick-up and drop-off during tomorrow's bus routes. Please call 630-499-0800 to speak with Illinois Central Bus Company or 630-493-8050 for the Tate Woods office.

Thank you for your patience as we work to solve this problem,

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