



## The Academy at Charlemont Bus Route Schedules, Spring 2021

### Academy Bus Route #1

Northampton – Florence – Williamsburg – Goshen

	AM	PM
The Academy at Charlemont	↑ 8:20	↓ 3:30
Goshen Center Parking Lot	↑ 7:55	↓ 4:55
Williamsburg–Helen E. James School	↑ 7:40	↓ 4:10
Smith Vocational School	↑ 7:25	↓ 4:25

### Academy Bus Route #2

Amherst/Hadley – Deerfield

	AM	PM
The Academy at Charlemont	↑ 8:20	↓ 3:30
South Deerfield – Police Station	↑ 7:45	↓ 4:05
North Star, Sunderland	↑ 7:40	↓ 4:10
Bub's BBQ	↑ 7:35	↓ 4:15
UMass Track & Field Complex	↑ 7:25	↓ 4:25

For both routes, times may need to be adjusted once the final routes and ridership are established.

## FRTA

Greenfield – Shelburne Falls – Charlemont

**\*Schedule effective August, 2018**

	AM	PM
	All Year	Winter Season & Friday All Year
The Academy at Charlemont	↑ 7:40	3:35
Arms Library, Shelburne Falls	7:25	3:50
Colrain Rd. & John Deere	7:10	4:05
Greenfield Community College	7:08	4:07
Transit Center, Greenfield	7:00	4:15

*There is also an FRTA bus departing from The Academy at 11:30 daily*

### **FRTA Fees (to be purchased from FRTA directly)**

Route	Town	Per Ride (one way)
FRTA	Greenfield	\$1.50
	Shelburne Falls	\$1.50

The FRTA is a public transportation service and is subject to different regulations. It is subsidized by the U.S. Department of Transportation and the Franklin Regional Transportation Authority. Families may purchase tickets directly from FRTA or pay cash when boarding the bus.

To contact FRTA, call their administrative office at (413) 774-2262 or (888) 301-2262 during regular business hours of 8:00am to 5:00pm, Monday through Friday for general information.



## **The Academy at Charlemont Bus Route Rates, 2021**

The Academy operates two bus routes that we contract. Spring bus passes are available for both routes. If a student has a pass for either Route #1 or Route #2, they may ride the other Academy bus at no additional charge. Although there is usually additional seating on each route, we are unable to guarantee a seat for students without bus passes. Similarly, **students without spring passes may not be able to ride these routes**. Social distancing restrictions will limit the number of riders on any bus. Trips for students without passes will be tracked and families will be invoiced. These routes do not take cash.

### **Current Rates**

Assuming Academy bus service is provided before February break, the spring pass is \$800.00, billed in one installment on March 15. For families receiving financial aid, this fee is reduced to \$650.00. This rate reflects the full price and will not change based on whether we are in a hybrid or all in-person or remote model between February 1 and the last day of classes.

Students without year-long passes will be billed \$15 per one way ride. There is no reduction to daily ride rates for those on financial aid.