



Lincolnshire-Prairie View School District 103

Memo

To: Board of Education
 From: Anthony Mendoza, CDPT
 CC: Dr. Scott Warren
 Date: March 25, 2026
 Re: Transportation Snapshot

March 2026

Planned Staff		Hired Staff - Breakdown				
Title	# of Positions Planned	# of Certified Staff <i>Not including AM only driver</i>	# of Spare Drivers	AM Only Driver	# of Drivers in Training	Total Hired Staff
Bus Drivers	32	24	4	1	3	32
Monitors	7	5	0	0	0	5
Van Drivers	3	2	0	0	1	3

Routes				Open Route Coverage			
Type of Route	# of Total Routes	# of Routes Covered <i>includes AM only driver as .5</i>	Open Routes	# routes needing coverage	# of positions covered by First Student	# of positions needing coverage	Notes
School Bus	28	24.5	3.5	3.5	4	-0.5	*
Monitors	5	5	0	0	0	0	
Van	3	2	1	1	0	1	<i>Outsourced</i>

*We are retaining one First Student Driver to cover the route of our driver trainer so he can focus on the 4 trainees. We are using the .5 driver as a spare driver.

No change in staffing since February. Training of new drivers is progressing well.



Fleet Maintenance Update

Interviews for the Fleet Manager/Mechanic position are currently underway. We have interviewed several strong candidates and are in the process of narrowing the field. Second-round interviews will include the Lead Technician from Blue Bird to help ensure each candidate demonstrates a solid understanding of school bus maintenance.

BUS	BUS DOWN	ISSUE	NOTES
23	X	Defrosters are not working (wiring issue)	At Central State for repair. Pigtail on order.