

Private Car: Work with other families coming from the same school and find a college student who can transport your kids.

BUSD Bus: BUSD uncertain it can provide transportation, and unlikely to determine until closer to the beginning of the school year. We will keep trying and send updates when possible.

- BUSD indicates that they may be able to provide transportation for students that are in schools located in the same zone as the destination (The Berkeley School). This [map](#) indicates they may consider transporting students from Ruth Acty, Thousand Oaks, Rosa Parks, and Berkeley Arts Magnet, but that they wouldn't know for sure until mid-October.

Private Shuttle: We researched shuttles to drive to local BUSD schools and bring students to The Depot. At \$20-\$30 per ride per day, it is not cost-effective for parenting adults until The Depot scales up significantly, and could be a possibility in the future.

Schedule Share: Parenting adults from the same schools going to The Depot may want to organize a schedule for taking turns with kids walking, using the bus/BART, or driving on specific days. AC Transit lines 51, 52 stop nearby and we are closest to North Berkeley BART.

Rideshares ([Care.com](#) overview): These companies use a thorough screening system for drivers. Note that the information below is subject to change, and should only be used to give an idea of what these might cost. Please visit linked websites for full details. Not included on this table: [KidsKab](#), [KidzJet](#), [Zum](#)

	SkipHopDrive	Kango App
# of riders	Can take up to four riders (3 in boosters max and 4th in front seat if old/big enough), but only provides 2 boosters.	
	Same price for 1-3 riders*	After 1 rider, seems to be \$1-\$2 for each additional rider
Price	\$27.10 for up to 3 riders, possibly 4*	\$32-\$41
Distance	Same price for rides coming from BUSD schools between 0.7-3.3 miles away from The Depot	
Time	Same price for departures 1:30-3:30	1:30 pick-up price above, increased by \$4 for later pick-ups (1:30 and 3:30)
Multiple pick-ups	Allows pick-ups from multiple locations to The Depot (\$6 extra for 3 different pick-ups)	Allows pick-ups from max 2 locations to The Depot (\$11 extra for 2nd pick-up)
Multiple drop-offs	Allows 1 pick-up to multiple drop-offs in case you can't get to The Depot before 6 p.m.	Allows 1 pick-up to max 2 drop-offs in case you can't get to The Depot before 6 p.m.

Tips	SkipHopDrive allows drivers to be tipped, but not on app	Kango allows tipping on app
Other	Asks account holder to create a code word (like a pet's name) for the driver to use so the kids know driver is safe. *couldn't get app to add 4th rider, could be user error	App interface simpler.