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On behalf of Lehigh University Transportation and Parking Services, I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to Lehigh. This is an exciting time for you and your family and we wish you all great success.

Since first-year students are not permitted to have cars during their first year at Lehigh (with the exception of those who commute daily from home), we wanted to share with you how Lehigh can ease your concerns with transportation. With Lehigh's bus/shuttle system, Enterprise CarShare service, Zimride, Zagster, and public transportation, traveling around Lehigh University and commuting home is quite convenient.

Lehigh has five unique bus/shuttle services:

- 1) **T.R.A.C.S.**: (Take a Ride Around Campus Safely): Operates from 10:45 p.m. 2:15 a.m. T.R.A.C.S. arrives every 10 minutes at various locations on campus during the academic year.
- 2) **Mountaintop Express Service:** Transports students and faculty/staff to and from the Asa Packer Campus and the Mountaintop Campus.
- 3) **Campus Connector Service:** Transports students and faculty/staff to and from Saucon Village, Goodman, Mountaintop and Asa Packer Campuses.
- 4) Packer Express: Transports students around the Asa Packer Campus.
- 5) **Athletic Service:** Operates every afternoon, taking Lehigh University varsity athletes to and from the Goodman Campus for practices.

Schedules of all Lehigh University bus routes and departure times are available on our website, financeadmin.lehigh.edu/transportation, and we provide real-time tracking of all buses at bus.lehigh.edu. Students can also track buses on their smartphones using the free LehighU Live app, and follow us on Twitter @LehighUtransit.

Public transportation schedules are available on the Lehigh and Northampton Transportation Authority website, www.lantabus.com. The Bethlehem bus terminal is three blocks north of campus, making it convenient to commute home during breaks.

We also provide the service of Enterprise CarShare, which offers cars on campus available to rent for hourly, daily, or weekly use – www.enterprisecarshare.com/Lehigh, Zimride, Lehigh's ride sharing network, open only to Lehigh students, staff, and faculty, allows students to find a one-time ride or daily commute - www.zimride.com/Lehigh, and Lehigh's bike sharing program. www.zagster.com/Lehigh.

Because Lehigh is located in a residential area and parking on campus is limited, following our parking policies is essential. Parking areas are specifically assigned to various groups and all cars must be registered with our office. Please be advised that those who violate the "first-year student restriction" are subject to additional penalties including, but not limited to, suspension of parking privileges for subsequent years. Parking Services appreciates your cooperation with our parking policies.

If you are expecting a visitor, please obtain a temporary permit from our office at 622 Brodhead Avenue, prior to your visitor's arrival. Visitor permits for Friday after 4:00 pm, Saturday, and Sunday may be purchased online at go.lehigh.edu/parking (with Lehigh username and password). There are meters on campus for visitor parking as well. Meters can be paid for using coins, SmartCards, or the mobile app: Passport. Questions? Please call us at (610)758-7275

We look forward to working together to make your experience at Lehigh University a pleasant one. Again, welcome to Lehigh!

Sincerely,

Sharon K. Field Manager of Parking Services