



CRAIG LAUNDY MP
Federal Member for Reid

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LAUNDY WELCOMES BUS BOOST FOR CONCORD HIGH STUDENTS

Federal Member for Reid Craig Laundy MP today welcomed the route extension of a 526 bus service in the morning and afternoon to cater for increased demand from Concord High School students.

The improvements will allow students in Wentworth Point, Newington and Sydney Olympic Park to travel direct to and from school and remove the need to interchange at Burwood.

“It’s critical that a sufficient level of services are in place to get students to and from school and I’m pleased that this outcome has now been achieved,” Mr Laundy said.

“As of yesterday (Tuesday 14 June), students will experience journey time savings of around ten minutes, which compares favourably to the direct school service that takes around 40 minutes.”

Additionally, students, particularly those in Wentworth Point, have a range of new journey options, following the recent extension to some bus services that now travel over the newly opened Bennelong Bridge.

Transport for NSW will continue to monitor the corridor between Concord High and Sydney Olympic Park/Newington/Wentworth Point closely and will make further adjustments if required.

Since 2011, more than 75 weekly services have been delivered for Route 526 to support growth and change in the Wentworth Point, Newington and Sydney Olympic Park areas.

For up to date timetable information, customers should visit transportnsw.info or call 131 500.

To Concord High School

Sydney Olympic Park Wharf Hill Road	07:40
Newington Newington Drive	07:48
Olympic Park Station Park Street	07:58
Strathfield Station Everton Road	08:12
Westfield Burwood Burwood Road	08:22
Concord High School	08:27

From Concord High School

Concord High School	15:20
Westfield Burwood Burwood Road	15:32
Strathfield Station Everton Road	15:39
Olympic Park Station Park Street	15:51
Newington Newington Drive	16:00
Sydney Olympic Park Wharf Hill Road	16:07

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