

STUDENT CONDUCT ON SCHOOL BUSES

When a child is riding, boarding, or leaving the bus, the bus driver has supervisory control over the student. He may exercise reasonable and necessary discipline, within school policy, to maintain that control.

In view of the fact that a bus is an extension of the classroom, the board will require children to conduct themselves in the bus in a manner consistent with the established standards for classroom behavior.

In cases when a passenger does not conduct himself properly on a bus, such instances will be brought to the attention of the principal. The principal will discuss the situation with the parents or other school employees (coaches etc.) and determine a course of action.

Students who become a serious disciplinary problem on the school bus may be suspended or expelled from activities or in extreme case from school. Alternative methods of transportation will not be substituted for students because they will not abide by school district rules.