STUDENT CONDUCT ON SCHOOL BUSES

Students using district transportation must understand that they are under the jurisdiction of the school from the time they board the bus top until they exit the bus stop.

Pupils transported in a school bus shall be under the authority of the school district and under control of the bus driver, a legal representative of the school board. Continued disorderly conduct or persistent refusal to submit to the authority of the driver shall be sufficient reasons for a pupil to be denied the privilege of transportation in accordance with the regulations of the school board.

The driver of the bus shall be held responsible for the orderly conduct of the pupils transported. Each driver has the support of the school board in maintaining good conduct on the bus. IF A STUDENT IS TO LOSE THE PRIVILEGE OF RIDING ON THE BUS, ADVANCE WARNING WILL BE GIVEN, EXCEPT FOR EXTREME MISCONDUCT.

The Superintendent or his/her designee will develop rules and regulations for conduct on buses, and these shall be printed in the parent-student handbook.

Reference: JICC-R

Legal References:

RSA 189:6-a, School Bus Safety

NH Code of Administrative Rules, Sec. Ed. 306.04(d)(1), Student Safety NH Code of Administrative Rules, Sec. Ed. 306.04(f)(4), Student Discipline

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