

Student Conduct on District Managed Transportation Bloom-Carroll Local School District

The Board furnishes transportation in compliance with State law. This fact does not relieve parents of students from the responsibility of supervision until such time as the student boards the vehicle and after the student leaves the vehicle at the end of the school day.

Students on District managed transportation are under the authority of, and directly responsible to, the driver. The driver has the authority to enforce the established regulations for rider conduct. Disorderly conduct or refusal to submit to the authority of the driver is sufficient reason for refusing transportation services or suspending transportation services to any student once proper procedures are followed.

The Board authorizes the Superintendent or other administrators to suspend a student from District managed transportation privileges for a period not to exceed one school year. The only due process required is the student must receive notice of an intended suspension from District managed transportation and an opportunity to appear before the Superintendent or other administrator before the suspension is imposed.

Bus Rules for Students:

- ✓ Be at the designated bus stop 5 minutes before the scheduled pick up time.
- ✓ Go directly to your assigned seat.
- ✓ Remain seated and keep the aisles and exits clear.
- ✓ Observe classroom etiquette and obey the bus driver.
- ✓ No profane language.
- ✓ No eating or drinking on the bus except when medically necessary.
- ✓ No throwing or passing objects on the bus.
- ✓ No throwing or passing objects from or into the bus.
- ✓ Keep head and hands out of the bus windows.
- ✓ No cell phone usage on the bus.
- ✓ No text messaging of any kind.
- ✓ Listening devices with small earpieces are permitted; larger "cupping" headphones are not permitted.
- ✓ Hand held game devices are permitted as long as they are not disruptive or connected to another device.
- ✓ May carry on the bus only objects that can be held in your lap.

Please retain this document for your reference.

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