

The right of students to ride on the school bus is conditioned on their behavior and observance of rules pertaining to proper conduct. Drivers are authorized to enforce these rules and to make suggestions in line with good citizenship.

**MEETING THE BUS**

1. All students must be on time.
2. Students walking on the highway to a bus stop should always walk on the left, on the shoulder on the road, facing traffic.
3. Students, when crossing the highway, should walk, not run.
4. Students shall not run alongside the bus when it is moving.

**ON THE BUS**

1. Student shall obey the driver who has full charge of the bus.
2. Students shall not extend arms, legs, or head out of the bus.
3. Students shall go to their seats, without crowding or pushing, and remain seated while the bus is in motion.
4. Students shall refrain from talking with the driver except in an emergency.
5. Students shall not tamper with the emergency door or any other part of the bus equipment.
6. Students shall not mar or deface the bus. Damage done to seats or other equipment must be paid for by the student.
7. Students shall not open windows. This should be done only by the driver when necessary.
8. Students shall not fight or scuffle in the bus or create any disturbance.
9. Students must not shout at or gesture inappropriately to pedestrians or occupants of other vehicles. Students must not throw objects out or within the bus.
10. Students shall remain seated until the bus stops previous to leaving the bus.
11. Students shall not place lunch boxes or other objects in the aisle of the bus.
12. Students, after leaving the bus, (if they must cross the highway) shall go around to the front of the bus and wait until the bus driver directs them to cross the highway.
13. No glass bottles allowed on the bus. No candy or food shall be eaten on the bus.
14. If the driver wishes, he/she may assign seats in the bus and the student(s) will take seat(s) assigned.
15. Students will ensure that conversation is clean, and never loud or boisterous.
16. Students will treat their peers with courtesy and respect.
17. No student will leave the bus without the driver's consent except at the normal and regular stop and at school.
18. Students shall help in keeping the bus clean. Students will not throw paper or other refuse on the floor.
19. Students should always address the bus driver courteously.
20. Students will wait until the bus has come to a complete stop before getting on or off the bus.