STUDENT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

The School Board may operate a MSD of Wayne Township transportation program for the purpose of transporting children to and from school. The District may, subject to sufficient resources and need, provide late bus service for students who stay after school for school-related, school-sponsored activities. School bus transportation is a privilege and not a right and is not guaranteed by law.

To promote a safe, orderly, and efficient bus ride, all applicable board policies and the school bus conduct and safety rules apply and must be followed. If students disobey staff instructions or violate any Board policy or safety and conduct rule, transportation privileges may be denied. If transportation privileges are denied, the parents or guardians shall be notified and shall be responsible for transporting their child to and from school.

Areas designated for student walkers are to be identified by the District based on criteria such as safe walking routes, age of the child, distance to school, and the starting time of the school. Safe walking routes shall be reviewed periodically by the administration to determine if modifications are needed. Pickup points for bus riders shall be determined based on safety and efficient operations.

The District shall not use privately owned vehicles to transport children unless expressly authorized in writing by the Superintendent or principal upon his or her determination that such use is necessary or in an emergency situation. See Policy E125 for school-sponsored trips.

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