

## **STUDENT CONDUCT ON SCHOOL BUSES**

The School Committee and its staff share with students and parents the responsibility for student safety during transportation to and from school. Pupils are under the jurisdiction of the school authorities from the time they board the bus to school until they leave the bus which returns them home. The authority for enforcing School Committee requirements of student conduct on buses will rest with the Principal. In any emergency situation, the bus driver shall be the Principal's designee while the bus is in transit.

To ensure the safety of all students who ride in buses, it may occasionally be necessary to revoke the privilege of transportation from a student who abuses this privilege. Parents of children whose behavior and misconduct on school buses endangers the health, safety, and welfare of other riders will be notified that their children face the loss of transportation privileges in accordance with policies approved by the School Committee.

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