

NONINSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

Transportation

The district shall provide, at its expense, safe and efficient transportation to and from school for any student living in the district:

1. Whose residence is beyond the one-mile radius from the school to which the student is assigned;
2. Whose walking route to school is hazardous as defined by state standards;
3. Whose handicapping condition, as defined by state standards, prevents the student from walking; or,
4. Who has another compelling and legally sufficient reason to receive transportation services.

The district's transportation program shall comply in all ways with state law and regulation. Transportation services of the district shall include approved bus routes, state-reimbursable field trips, district-approved field trips, school activities (participants only) and extracurricular activities (rooters). The superintendent is authorized to permit a parent of a student enrolled in school to ride a bus when excess seating is available and private or other public transportation is not reasonably available.

Cross Reference:	Board Policy No. 8123	Student Conduct on Buses
Legal References:	RCW 28A.160.010	Transportation of children to school activities—Transporting of elderly—Insurance
	RCW 28A.160.110	School buses—Authorization for parent, guardian or custodian of a student to ride
	RCW 28A.160.115	Bus routes
	WAC 392-141	Basic Transportation—Authority and State Reimbursement
	WAC 392-172-204	Transportation

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