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NON-ROUTINE USE OF DISTRICT MANAGED TRANSPORTATION

Buses owned by the Board are used primarily for the purpose of transporting students to and from school and for school-approved activities.

"Non-routine student transportation" is defined as transportation of passengers for purposes other than regularly scheduled routes to and from school. District managed transportation may be used for non-routine trips only when approved by the Board and the trips do not interfere with routine transportation services.

All non-routine transportation will be conducted in compliance with State law. The Superintendent/designee will issue a trip permit that meets the requirements of the Ohio Administrative Code for any non-routine student transportation.

District managed transportation is available to all classes, groups or organizations within the schools in accordance with the following.

- 1. The use of District managed transportation is scheduled through the transportation office.
- 2. Fees charged to groups for the use of the vehicles are established and made part of the District regulations. Fees are not charged for student non-routine transportation for educational field trips.
- 3. The drivers must meet all federal, state, and District requirements for school bus drivers, and be registered with the Ohio Department of Education as a qualified bus driver.
- 4. The drivers ensure that the vehicles are not overloaded, emergency exits are not blocked, and that students conduct themselves in a safe and orderly manner while in the vehicles and that the vehicles are operated in a safe and lawful manner.
- 5. The drivers of the buses are responsible for reporting in writing to the transportation office the condition of vehicles, particularly any need for repair or servicing.

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