

Klamath Falls City Schools

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School Bus Driver Examination and Training

The district or transportation provider shall verify that a school bus drivers' physical examinations were certified by a medical examiner, whose certificate was listed in the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration's National Registry of Certified Medical Examiners, as of the date of the issuance of the school bus driver's examination certificate. Bus drivers shall also meet other criteria as established by state and federal law and by Oregon Department of Education regulations including the requirements for a Commercial Driver's License (CDL). At the time of school bus license renewal, drivers will be required to retest driving and pretrip.

As a condition of employment, school bus drivers shall be required to take a pre-employment drug test in accordance with the requirements of the Omnibus Transportation Employee Testing Act of 1991. The district shall pay for the drug testing. Drug testing shall be done by a district-approved physician.

A school bus manufacturer, school bus dealer or school bus mechanic is not required to have a school bus endorsement while operating a school bus that is not transporting students.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 659.840	ORS 807.038	OAR 581-053-0004
ORS 659A.300	ORS 820.110	OAR 581-053-0031
ORS 659A.306		OAR 581-053-0040
ORS Chapters 801, 802, 807, 809, 811, 813	OAR 581-053-0002	OAR 581-053-0053
	OAR 581-053-0003	OAR 581-053-0060

Omnibus Transportation Employee Testing Act of 1991, 49 U.S.C. §§ 31301-31317; 49 C.F.R. Parts 40, 382, 391-395 (2006).
Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration Regulations, 49 C.F.R. Part 391, §§ 391.42, 391.43 (2014).

Cross Reference(s):

GBED - Medical Examinations/Drug Testing
GBEDA - Drug and Alcohol Testing - Transportation Personnel
GCDA/GDDA - Criminal Records Checks/Fingerprinting