

Student Transportation Services
(Virtual Public Charter School Version)

Public charter school transportation services may be provided for students for public charter school-sponsored field trips that are extensions of classroom learning experience.

School buses carrying students will be considered extensions of the school experience. All students using transportation provided by the public charter school or the sponsoring district or other transportation provider, will abide by the code of conduct posted in each school bus or school activity vehicle. Violations of such code, as well as other conduct which is improper or which jeopardizes the safety of self or others, will be reported by the school bus or vehicle driver to the public charter school superintendent. Violators may be denied use of transportation for a period of time as deemed proper by the public charter school superintendent.

The public charter school superintendent shall ensure transportation officials and drivers receive notification of students having special medical or behavioral protocols identified in student records.

Appropriate training related to specific protocols, including confidentiality requirements, will be provided to drivers.

The school bus or vehicle driver will be responsible for the school bus or vehicle at all times from departure until return. The driver will not participate in any activities that might impair his/her driving abilities.

The public charter school will comply with all state and federal laws and regulations pertaining to school bus transportation.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

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| <u>ORS 327.006</u> | <u>ORS 343.155 to-343.246</u> | <u>ORS 820.100 to-820.190</u> |
| <u>ORS 327.033</u> | <u>ORS 343.533</u> | |
| <u>ORS 327.043</u> | <u>ORS 343.155 to-343.243</u> | <u>OAR 581-021-0050 to-0075</u> |
| <u>ORS 332.405</u> | <u>ORS 811.210</u> | <u>OAR 581-022-1530</u> |
| <u>ORS 332.415</u> | <u>ORS 811.215</u> | <u>OAR 581-023-0040</u> |
| <u>ORS 338.115 (j)</u> | <u>ORS 815.055</u> | <u>OAR 581-053-0002 to-0015</u> |
| <u>ORS 339.240 to-339.250</u> | <u>ORS 815.080</u> | <u>OAR 735-102-0010</u> |

No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, 20 U.S.C. § 6315 (2006).
McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Improvements Act of 2001, 42 U.S.C. §§ 11431-11435 (2005).