NON-INSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

Student Conduct on Buses

The superintendent shall establish written rules of conduct for students riding school buses which shall as a minimum include:

1. Identification of the individual who has authority over the passengers.
2. Student riding privileges.
3. Procedures prior to loading, e.g., student must cross the highway only in front and never behind school bus.
4. Loading and unloading procedures and seat assignments.
5. Student conduct.
6. Acceptable practices with respect to talking, moving around the bus, use of windows, and other behavior.
7. Unacceptable hazards that may cause injury to others, e.g., firearms, breakable containers, etc.
8. Bus cleanliness.
9. Emergency exit procedures.

A copy of the rules of conduct for students riding buses will be provided to all students at the beginning of the year. The classroom teacher and bus driver will review the rules with the students at or near the beginning of each school year. A copy of the rules will be posted in each bus and will be available upon request at the district office and all school offices.

(See also Policy No. 3420, Rules for Students Riding School Bus)

Legal Reference:	RCW 28A.600.010	Government of Schools, Pupils, Employees, Rules & Regulations for--Due Process
	WAC 180-40-225	School District Rules Defining Misconduct-Distribution of Rules
	392-145-015	General Operating Regulations
	392-145-035	Rules for Students Riding School Buses

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