

Bus Rules:

Majestic Bus Service

1. Students being transported are under the authority of the driver. The driver may assign pupils seats.
2. Stay away from moving buses. Never chase for a bus; on foot or in a vehicle.
3. Students shall be courteous to the driver, to fellow passengers and to passers-by.
4. Students shall be on time for the bus, allowing five minutes before their scheduled stop in the morning.
5. When necessary to cross the road; students shall wait to cross until motioned by the driver. Students not needing to cross the road shall wait to approach the bus until the bus is stopped and the loading door is opened.
6. Students shall sit in designated seating areas.
7. Students shall remain seated at all times in a forward facing position. The aisle must be clear at all times.
8. Students must make other arrangements to transport the following items to and from school; skies, snowboards, sleds, shovels, animals or insects, large band instruments and fragile class projects.
9. Matches, lighters, lasers lights, toy/replica guns, firearms/weapons, or any other potentially hazardous material, including spray type/aerosol hair or body sprays, and glass containers are not allowed on the bus.
10. Electronics: Audio &/or video recording or taking pictures on a bus is illegal and will not be allowed. If respectfully used; personal electronic equipment is allowed if kept private. No screen or ear bud sharing is allowed.
11. Pens and pencils are not allowed out of student's back packs.
12. Students shall converse in normal tones; loud or vulgar language or obscene gesturing is prohibited.
13. Fighting, wrestling or boisterous activity is prohibited on the bus. Students must keep hands and feet to themselves.
14. Students are not permitted to eat, drink, or chew gum on the bus.
15. Students shall not open windows more than halfway down and will never extend any part of the body through windows.
16. Students shall not throw objects into, from or on the bus.
17. Students shall keep the bus clean and must refrain from damaging it.
18. Students shall not move, remove or deface any sign on the bus.
19. Students shall have written permission from their parent/guardian or the school to leave the bus other than at school or designated bus stop.
20. Students shall use the emergency door only in case of an emergency.
21. Students who refuse to obey promptly the directions of the driver or refuse to obey regulations may forfeit their privilege to ride on the buses.
22. At times when more than two (2) passengers will be riding with your student for parties, etc; the parent of the student having the guest must call the Majestic office to make prior arrangements.

Discipline / Consequences:

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Usually the driver gives a number of verbal warnings to the student before writing them up. The first written warning the student is to sit up front for 5 days. When up front, the student is in a “quiet seat”; they are not to talk to anyone. A bus discipline form is filled out, and a copy will be sent to your school principal and to the parents. The second written warning is almost the same as the first, with 10 days in the front “quiet seat” and the parent/guardian will receive a phone call to let you know that there will not be any more warnings. On the third offense, the riding privileges are suspended for 5 days. On the 3rd suspension, the Student may not ride the bus for the rest of the year. Sometimes the offenses (weapons, fighting, and defiance) are extreme enough that the student may receive three warnings at once and be suspended. Causing a disruption so severe that the bus must be stopped may be written up as a criminal offense; Criminal behavior will result in law enforcement being called. Being suspended from riding a bus includes all activity/field trips and transportation for sporting events.

All Students are entitled to a Safe and comfortable bus ride. We will not allow the poor behavior choices of even one student to bring harm to the others who are following the rules and riding Safe. If your student is not willing to follow these simple rules, we ask that you find other ways to get your students to school and to home. Simply put: Unsafe Bus Behavior jeopardizes the Safety of the entire bus...We will not allow this to happen.

Safely Transporting Students is our #1 Goal.



If you have any questions please call Mike at Majestic Bus Service: 375-9180