

# **Chippewa Valley Schools**

## **Pupil Transportation Department**

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### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION FORM

Our Board Policy provides for transportation services to all eligible students attending the school serviced by their attendance boundary. A student who lives beyond 1½ miles from the resident school is considered eligible for transportation services. Students who live within 1½ miles but are required to cross a Mile road or main road, such as Garfield, Romeo Plank, Heydenreich, etc., without benefit of a traffic signal may also be considered eligible for transportation. Eligible students living on those main roads who do not have sidewalk access to the nearest bus stop may be picked up at their homes upon request by completing a Transportation Request Form.

Any student whose registration is not completed prior to the Thursday before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of school will not be guaranteed transportation services until the Monday after the 1<sup>st</sup> day of school. Any registrations after the 1<sup>st</sup> day of school may have to wait up to 5 school days before transportation services begin.

We will do our best to make Bus Stop and Route Assignments available on the Parent Portal by the last week of August.

## IF YOU DO NOT PLAN ON USING TRANSPORTATION SERVICES, PLEASE NOTIFY THE SCHOOL OFFICE

The Chippewa Valley Transportation staff would like to make both students and their parents aware of the kind of behavior that is expected on the bus in order to maintain SAFE driving conditions.

Student behavior directly influences the safety of the bus. Knowing and following the rules on the bus will result in a SAFE and enjoyable ride to and from school.

Please appreciate that the rules and consequences listed below are meant to keep every student on the bus SAFE. As experienced bus drivers, we feel confident that with student cooperation and parent support we will be able to maintain SAFE-DRIVING CONDITIONS.

# **SAFETY, ORDER & RIGHTS**

### SAFETY

- Stay seated at all times.
- Remain seated until the bus comes to a complete stop.
- Keep all parts of your body inside the bus.
- No throwing anything, either on the bus or out the window.
- Do not touch any mechanisms, switches, or emergency doors and windows.

### ORDER

- Cooperate with the driver; your safety is our main concern.
- No yelling or loud noises.
- No eating, drinking or smoking.
- Do not litter, write on or damage the bus in any way.

### RIGHTS

- No fighting or pushing.
- Be courteous.
- No put-downs or vulgar language.

### CONSEQUENCES

- 1. Verbal warnings.
- 2. Conference with bus driver.
- 3. Driver issued consequences.
- 4. Ticket Signature of Parent and Principal required.
- 5. Possible suspension of transportation privileges.

