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STUDENT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

The Essex County School Board provides for the transportation of students as required by state and federal laws and regulations.

The superintendent collaborates with the local social services agency to develop and implement clear written procedures governing how transportation to maintain children in foster care in their school of origin when in their best interest will be provided, arranged and funded for the duration of time in foster care. The procedures ensure that children in foster care needing transportation to the school of origin will promptly receive transportation in a cost-effective manner and in accordance with 42 U.S. C. § 675(4)(A) and ensure that, if there are additional costs incurred in providing transportation to maintain children in foster care in their school of origin, the Essex County Public School Division will provide transportation to the school of origin if the local social services agency agrees to reimburse the school division for the cost of such transportation, the Essex County School Division agrees to pay for the cost of such transportation or the Essex County Public School Division and the local social services agency agree to share the cost of such transportation.

Students may be suspended from using school transportation services for violations of the Policy JFC Student Conduct, Standards of Student Conduct or when the student endangers the health, safety or welfare of other riders. In such cases the parent or guardian is responsible for transporting the student to school.

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Legal Ref.: 20 U.S.C. § 6312.

Code of Virginia, §§ 22.1-78, 22.1-176, 22.1-221, 22.1-254.

Cross Refs.: EEAB School Bus Scheduling and Routing

EEAC School Bus Safety Program

GDQ School Bus Drivers

IICA Field Trips

JCA Transfer Requests by Student Victims of Crime

JEC-R School Admission

JECA Admission of Homeless Children

JECB (Opt. 1) Admission of Nonpublic Students for Part-Time

Enrollment

JEG Exclusions and Exemptions from School Attendance

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