

Edison Local School District Bus Conduct Code

I. Expectations of desired behaviors while riding the bus:

Principal:

1. Address bus rules to students with the driver.
2. Design an incentive plan for following Bus Conduct Code.
3. When possible meet busses in the morning and board bus and communicate with driver how the ride to school.

Driver:

1. Gather input from staff to assist in developing assigned seats for your bus.
2. Assign seats for high school and elementary routes. (Turn into building principal.)
3. Teach Proper Procedures.
4. Move students to a new seat if undesired behavior begins.
5. Call parents to share behavior issues and inform them next step is discipline.

Ohio Revised Code Safety Issue Violations:

Students are to:

1. Go directly to and remain in assigned seat or area of the bus.
2. Remain seated and keep aisles and exits clear.
3. Board and exit bus at designated stop.
4. Keep hands, feet and other objects to themselves, and away from windows.
5. Maintain moderate noise level as determined by the driver.
6. Refrain from eating, drinking, or having glass containers.
7. Refrain from throwing objects on, from or into bus.

Minor Student Conduct Code Violation:

1. Disruption on bus
2. Damage to bus
3. Invasion or damage to private property
4. Theft or gambling
5. Possession of tobacco products
6. Use of profanity and/or obscene language
7. Insubordination
8. Providing false personal information
9. Public display of affection

Ohio Revised Code Safety Violation Or Minor Student Conduct Code Violation Consequences:

1st Violation: Verbal warning, call to parents from Principal, and letter home.

2nd Violation: 1-day bus suspension.

3rd Violation: 3-day bus suspension, meeting with parent, student, bus driver, and building administrator required before bus privileges are reinstated.

4th Violation: 5-day bus suspension

5th Violation: Expulsion of bus privileges

Major Student Conduct Code Violation:

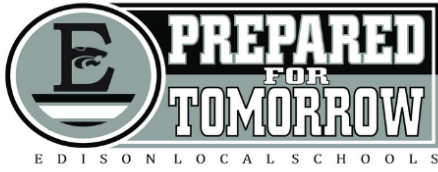
1. Possession of drugs or alcoholic beverages
2. Possession of drug paraphernalia, counterfeit or look-a-like drugs
3. Assault, physical injury, or fighting
4. Dangerous weapons or instruments
5. False alarms or reports
6. Use of smoking or tobacco products
7. Intimidating or threatening activity or harassment

Major Student Conduct Code Violation

·All major student conduct code violations must follow Due Process procedures.

·An investigation must take place with a hearing for the students

·A consequence will be issued upon the completion of the administrator's investigation. All consequences will be consistent with disciplinary steps in student conduct code.



Edison Local School District Bus Rule Verification Form

To: Parents and Students
From: Transportation Supervisor
Subject: School Bus Behavior
Date: August 2023

Your bus driver has a tremendous responsibility each day as he or she transports students on the bus. The driver's attention shouldn't be diverted by students' behavior on the bus. We want the trip to and from school to be safe, and the students can help by letting the driver do their job without dealing with unruly passengers. Most of the students are aware that there are bus rules to be followed. Occasionally, students break rules and lose their riding privileges. To be sure all students and parents clearly understand what behavior is expected, the attached list of bus rules is being sent home with each student. Please review these rules together, sign the bottom of this page, and return it to the school by September 9, 2023.

Bus Rule Verification 2023-2024 School Year

I have reviewed the attached bus rules with my child and understand that he/she is to abide by these rules or risk losing riding privileges.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

I have reviewed the bus rules and understand that I risk losing my riding privileges if the rules are not obeyed.

Student Signature

Date

Building

Grade

