

**TOOELE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING STUDENT TRANSPORTATION**

1. Pupils shall observe classroom conduct and obey the driver promptly and respectfully. The driver is in complete charge of all students during the loading of the bus and during transit.
2. Pupils shall respect the rights and safety of others.
3. Pupils shall arrive at the bus stop before the bus arrives (5 minutes).
4. Pupils shall wait in a safe place, clear of traffic and away from where the bus stops.
5. Pupils shall wait in an orderly line and avoid horseplay.
6. Pupils shall cross the road or street in front of the bus only after the bus has come to a complete stop and upon direction of the driver.
7. Pupils shall go directly to an available or assigned seat when entering the bus.
8. Pupils shall remain seated and keep aisles and exits clear.
9. Pupils shall refrain from throwing or passing objects on, from, or into buses.
10. Pupils are permitted to carry only objects than can be held on one's lap.
11. Pupils shall refrain from the use of profane language, tobacco, alcohol, drugs, or any other illegal controlled substance on the bus.
12. Pupils shall refrain from eating and drinking on the bus.
13. Pupils shall not carry hazardous materials, nuisance items, and animals onto the bus. Weapons or fireworks of any kind are not allowed on the bus.
14. Pupils shall refrain from leaving or boarding the bus at locations other than the assigned stops at home or school. The driver has no authority to stop the bus to load or unload students except at the designated stops. Students shall have written permission from parent or guardian to leave the bus at other than his or her regular stop. Parent or guardian must also call the bus garage to notify them of the request.
15. Pupils shall refrain from extending head, arms, or objects out of the bus windows.
16. Pupils shall refrain from hitching rides via the rear bumper or other parts of the bus.
17. Visitors are not allowed to ride the bus without the permission from the proper authority (transportation supervisor).
18. Any pupil damaging transportation property in any way shall pay for all such damages.

