

NOBLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Frank Solomon Superintendent

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

I am writing to address a matter of utmost importance regarding our school bus transportation. It is imperative that we recognize that riding the school bus is a privilege granted to our students and not an inherent right. The safety and well-being of all passengers must be our top priority.

Behavior on the school bus is no different from the behavior expected in a classroom or any other part of our school environment. Unfortunately, we have recently observed instances of misbehavior on our school buses that are entirely unacceptable. These incidents include disruptive behavior, loud noises, and various forms of horseplay that not only endanger the safety of our students but also disrupt the bus driver's ability to focus on their primary responsibility, which is ensuring the safe transportation of our students. As our student population continues to grow, our buses are operating at full capacity, leaving no room for any type of horseplay, misbehavior, or disobedience to the rules and regulations set forth for bus travel. The safety of all students on the bus is paramount, and any actions that compromise this safety will not be tolerated. I want to make it explicitly clear that failure to comply with the established rules and regulations governing behavior on the school bus will result in the immediate revocation of bus riding privileges. This is not a decision we take lightly, but it is essential to ensure the safety and orderliness of our school transportation system. Revocation of bus riding privileges will place a significant burden on families, and we hope it will not come to that.

We believe in the ability of our students to behave responsibly and respectfully while riding the school bus. I urge parents and guardians to discuss the importance of good behavior on the bus with their children and to remind them that it is a shared responsibility to ensure a safe and pleasant environment for everyone. We expect our students to respect the authority of the bus driver and to treat their fellow passengers with kindness and consideration.

We expect all students to adhere to the rules and regulations without exception. It is vital that we maintain a strict standard of discipline on our school buses for the safety of all passengers. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in this matter and trust that we can count on you to support our efforts to maintain a safe and orderly transportation system.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding school bus discipline, please do not hesitate to contact the school site administration or our transportation department. We are here to assist and address any issues that may arise.

Thank you for your understanding and commitment to the safety and well-being of all our students. Together, we can ensure that the privilege of riding the school bus remains intact for everyone.

Respectfully,

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