

CODE: EEAF

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES BUSES

It will be the responsibility of the Kittery School Committee to provide transportation for all school-sponsored activities in another community or state, providing this activity has been approved by the superintendent and/or School Committee. The vehicle used must meet all state specifications and safety regulations.

If staff members wish to transport students in their own vehicles, it is necessary for them to present to the Office of the Superintendent a copy of their personal insurance in order to be covered by a rider on the school system policy.

Students attending athletic events as participating team members must ride on vehicles provided by the school, unless there are extenuating circumstances, which includes the requirement that the parent contact the principal or the person in charge of the activity, and the students provide a signed parental permission letter relieving the School Department of all responsibility for the safety of the student.

The School Committee reserves the right to annually assess a students transportation fee for co-curricular activities. Further, the School Committee will annually review these fees through the budget process to determine the need and/or amount of these fees for the following school year. Students whose families qualify for free/reduced priced meals under federal guidelines will be exempt from co-curricular transportation fees.

Student behavior on co-curricular buses shall be governed by the System-Wide Student Code of Conduct, Policy JICDA.

Reference: JICDA - System-Wide Student Code of Conduct

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