



SACS BUS SAFETY TIPS FOR STUDENTS



- 1** *Be on time at bus stop*
Be at your bus stop two minutes early.
- 2** *Stand back from Curb*
Stand in a safe place while waiting for your bus.
- 3** *Never run to or from a bus*
Wait for the bus to come to a complete stop. Walk on and off the bus. Do not push or shove.
- 4** *Stay in your seat at all times*
Stay seated when the bus is in motion (moving). Keep yourself and your book bag out of the aisle. Your back should be touching the back of the seat at all times.
- 5** *Never ride with things in your mouth or hands*
Keep all food, pens, toys, etc. in your book bag. You should not have any items in your hands or seat.
- 6** *Don't distract your driver*
Talk softly on the bus. Yelling, shouting and moving is unsafe for you and the driver. You need to obey the driver's directions for your safety.
- 7** *Keep everything inside the bus*
Don't throw or put hand, arms, etc. out the window of the bus. Yelling to other students outside the bus from the window brings them into the danger zone.
- 8** *Danger Zone*
Keep at least 10 feet from the bus at all times. Never walk behind or along the sides of the bus.
- 9** *If you drop anything by the bus, tell the driver*
Never try to pick up or reach under the bus for an item you dropped. Go to the driver and tell him/her you dropped something by or under the bus.
- 10** *Make sure the bus driver signals you across*
Look both ways after the driver's signal for traffic, then cross.
- 11** *Your dress*
Make sure your clothes don't have loose items that could catch on the bus when entering or leaving.
- 12** *Use Respect, Manners, and Listen*
Use these three methods when riding the bus.

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