

POTLATCH SCHOOL DISTRICT #285

SCHOOL BUS POLICIES

Under direction of driver, each student is to be assigned a seat and held responsible for it. The last three or four rows are for Junior/Senior High School students.

1. Pupils must be on time, the bus cannot wait for those who are tardy.
2. Unnecessary conversation with the driver is prohibited.
3. Outside of ordinary conversation, classroom conduct is to be observed.
4. Pupils must not throw waste paper or other rubbish on the floor of the bus.
5. No pupil, at any time, will extend arms, hands or head out of the bus.
6. Pupils must not move about within the bus while it is in motion.
7. Any damage to the bus is to be reported at once to the driver.
8. The driver is in full charge of the bus and pupils.
 - a. Pupils must face the front of the bus when the bus is moving.
 - b. There will be no eating or drinking on the bus at the driver's discretion.
 - c. Water in a clear sealable container is the only beverage allowed.
 - d. There is to be no offensive language.
 - e. Students must treat each other with respect at all times.
 - f. Students must not reach over the seats or across the aisle.
 - g. If the radio is turned on it will be at moderate volume.
 - h. No flammables, glass, or animals.
9. **If bus are equipped with seat belts they must be worn**, failure to do so will result in disbarment from the bus.

PENALTY: VIOLATION OF THE RULES WILL RENDER PUPILS LIABLE FOR TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT DEBARMENT FROM RIDING THE BUS TO SCHOOL AND ACTIVITIES.

Student Signature _____ Date ____/____/____ Grade _____

_____ Date ____/____/____ Grade _____

_____ Date ____/____/____ Grade _____

_____ Date ____/____/____ Grade _____

Parent Signature _____ Date ____/____/____

Print Parent Name _____

Phone: Home(____) _____ Address: _____

Cell Mom(____) _____ Cell Dad(____) _____ Other(____) _____

Signing acknowledges that students and parents have read and understand the rules. Violations will result in a School Bus Incident report being filed which is on the reverse side.