

## **Discipline Action for School Bus Riders**

Bus riders are under the authority of the Transportation Director and the bus driver, and shall observe established and appropriate standards of classroom behavior and dress. Video cameras may be used to monitor behavior on buses.

Bus riding privileges may be denied to a student who violates the rules of conduct.

### **Denial of school bus service**

Riding the bus is a privilege, not a right. Inappropriate conduct at bus stops, on buses or in the process of boarding or disembarking from a bus may result in the denial of bus riding privileges. When school bus rules are violated, the following will occur:

**First Infraction** – Following the first infraction documented in writing, a student may be denied bus-riding privileges from all buses for a minimum of one (1) day.

**Second Infraction** – The second infraction documented in writing may result in the denial of bus riding privileges from all buses for a minimum of three (3) days.

**Third Infraction** – The third infraction documented in writing may result in the denial of bus riding privileges from all buses for a minimum of five (5) days.

**Fourth Infraction** – The fourth infraction documented in writing may result in the denial of bus riding privileges from all buses for the remainder of the school year.

**Serious Infractions** – If an infraction is deemed serious enough, the student may be denied bus riding privileges from all buses for an entire school year.

**Reasonable Requests** – Students who refuse to give their names, to accept a temporary or permanent seating assignment, or to respond appropriately to other reasonable requests may also be denied bus-riding privileges.