

## EEAA - TRANSPORTATION OF STUDENTS TO AND FROM SCHOOL

Poudre School District shall provide for the transportation of students who reside within the District's geographic boundaries to and from their neighborhood school when their residences are in excess of the following distances from their neighborhood school:

- 1. Senior high schools: Two miles
- 2. Middle schools: One and one-half miles
- 3. Elementary schools: One mile

Distances shall be measured from a student's residence to the property line of the neighborhood school via accessible roadways and/or adequate walkways, as determined by the director of transportation.

Students whose residences are equal to or less than the above distances from their neighborhood school are responsible for their own transportation to and from their neighborhood school, unless otherwise provided by this policy, otherwise determined by the director of transportation or otherwise required by law.

Students who attend a District choice school or program may be allowed to utilize District transportation on a space-available basis, if authorized and as determined by the director of transportation. The District may also in its discretion otherwise provide for the transportation of some or all of such students to and from their choice school or program.

Students are permitted to ride a bus to or from school only if they are assigned to that bus or if they provide the bus operator with a bus pass signed by their school principal or the principal's designee. The bus operator shall not allow students to ride the bus if they are not assigned to that bus and do not have a bus pass. The bus operator shall not allow students with a bus pass to ride the bus if there is no seating capacity on the bus to accommodate them.

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