

Parma School District #137

## BUS RULES

The rules listed below can be found in the Idaho State Department of Education Pupil Transportation Manual Page A-5.

### RULES:

Students will have to leave all cell phones in a backpack or pocket, this is for the safety of our students and bus drivers.

Students shall follow the directions of the driver the first time given.

Students are permitted to carry on only items that can be held in his/her lap.

Students shall refrain from the use of profane language, obscene gestures.

No tobacco, alcohol, drugs or any other controlled substance on the bus.

Student shall go directly to an available or assigned seat when entering the bus.

Students shall remain seated and keep the aisles and exits clear at all times.

Students shall use classroom conduct at all times. (No yelling, screaming, hollering or loud whistling).

Students are not allowed to have candy, food or drinks on the bus as they are a choking hazard. Absolutely NO POPCORN, PEANUTS, SUNFLOWER SEEDS or SUCKERS.

Students cannot throw items on the bus, out the windows or into the bus.

Students will not be allowed to carry items that could be considered weapons, hazardous materials, or nuisance items on the bus.

Students shall respect the rights and safety of others.

Students will refrain from extending hands, arms, legs or other objects out of the bus window.

Students should be at the assigned bus stop 10 minutes before the scheduled pick up time for all incoming routes.

Students shall wait in an orderly line to avoid horseplay and fighting.

Students will only cross the road or street after the bus comes to a complete stop and the driver has directed them that it is safe to cross, this must be done in the front of the bus only.

Authority: Bus driver is authorized to assigned seats. Bus driver is authorized to deny riding privileges on a temporary basis. Only persons authorized by the district are eligible to ride the buses. (Pupils, Staff Members, Coaches, and Appointed Chaperones for field trips or activities). Citations will carry over to all routes and activity buses. They can also be carried over to the following year at the Transportation Supervisor recommendation.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Transportation Department Office at 208-779-4069 Ext 1811.