

TITLE: MCS Governance Board Policy EEAFAs: Activity Bus Transportation Policy

LEGAL REFERENCE:

Title 6	Standards for Providing Transportation for Eligible Students
Policy EEAFAs	Extracurricular Activity/Field Trips/Special Events Transport

PURPOSE:

The McCurdy Charter School (MCS) Governance Board believes that well organized field trips, extracurricular activities, interscholastic sports and outdoor education experiences can benefit a student's educational program. School bus transportation may be necessary for teachers and students to attend such events. Therefore it is to be provided for safe transportation of students for academic field trips and other extracurricular activities and to comply with federal and state laws.

POSITION:

1. MCS will support educational field trips and extracurricular activities as well as interscholastic sports and such events are approved by the Director.
2. Students, parents, and teachers/coaches/sponsors shall follow all rules and regulations for field trips as outlined in the MCS Transportation Handbook and the IJOA Policy.
3. The Principal/designee shall be responsible for the behavior of students on the bus during a field trip. Student behavior on the bus shall follow the established procedures as outlined in the Transportation Handbook.
4. MCS shall establish procedures for personnel requesting activity buses.
5. A disciplinary process with regard to student behavior on the activity bus, including an option for an appeal, shall be established. Students in violation of transportation rules and regulations may have their transportation suspended and/or revoked.
6. The MCS bus driver(s) shall comply with federal and state statutes and MCS policies.
7. No unauthorized person or persons shall be permitted on MCS activity buses.

The MCS Director shall promulgate procedures to implement this policy.

REVIEW:

This policy shall be reviewed in accordance with the MCS Governance Board Policy Review Process.

RESPONSIBLE OFFICE: MCS Director and the Policy & Bylaws Committee Chairperson

DATE ADOPTED:


Signature

8/6/14
Date Signed

MCS Governance Board Chairperson

RELATED DOCUMENTS:

Policy EEA Student Transportation;

REVISIONS:

Date	Modification and why
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MCS KEY WORDS OR RELATIONSHIP: Transportation