

SCHOOL BUS SAFETY

FIRST STUDENT # 20616

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From the Location Manager's desk!

CONTINUE TO STAY SAFE!!



Safety is our first priority. Our drivers are trained to transport the most precious cargo there is. The drivers require the students to act safely while riding their buses.

Here are some very important safety guidelines.

- ◆ *Sitting correctly on the bus is important! No kneeling or standing in the seats or aisles. Sitting correctly protects the child from injuries in the event of an accident or an abrupt stop.*
- ◆ *Not standing up when the bus is approaching your stop. It is easy to lose your balance and increase the chance of injury as the bus comes to a stop.*
- ◆ *Loud noises, yelling, screaming, throwing items, and changing seats can distract the driver. A distracted driver is an unsafe driver and can cause accidents to happen.*

Be safe out there. Crystal M.

Masks

Masks are required by all drivers and passengers

Masks need to be worn correctly by covering the nose and mouth. Need to be on before entering the bus, until you exit. Not to be thrown on the floor.

Cell Phones

They are a Distraction!

Watch out!!

Keep phone in pocket when crossing the street to board the bus.

Be aware of your surroundings.

Don't play loud music or videos on the bus. No inappropriate content.

BE VISIBLE

There are some mornings that it is dark out when the bus stops to pick you up. If there is no light in your driveway, help the driver see you by holding a flashlight.

Do not approach the bus till the doors open.

Wait for the thumbs up before crossing the street.

DID YOU KNOW?

- There is a national school bus driver shortage.
- Some of our routes are covered by spare drivers.



- Spare drivers may have never driven the route before.
- House numbers on both sides of the mailbox help the drivers find the houses.