

ISLAND PARK UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL BUS RULES AND REGULATIONS – Grades 3-8 Students

Please explain the following to your child:

1. The bus driver is in charge of the school bus and all passengers.
2. In order to protect the health and safety of all students:
 - a. Students must remain seated at all times when the bus is in motion.
 - b. Students shall conduct themselves in a quiet and orderly manner during the route.
 - c. Students shall not open bus windows without driver’s permission.
 - d. Students shall not put any part of their bodies outside of the school bus.
 - e. Never throw objects of any kind out the window of the school bus.
 - f. Eating and drinking is never allowed.
 - g. Smoking, vaping, including use or possession of Juuls or any Juul-like apparatus, or using illicit substances is strictly prohibited.
 - h. Hitting, pinching, bullying, fighting, cursing is never allowed and strictly enforced.
 - i. If asked, the student must tell any authority their name. This includes driver, monitor, principals, teachers, police, and firefighters.
 - j. Students in all grades must produce their bus pass when boarding buses.
 - k. Damaging/defacing any part of the bus is prohibited. Student/Parent will be held responsible for repair costs. (Penalty could include of up to five (5) school days)
3. The bus monitor will assign all seats and may change seats if necessary.
4. The Principal and/or designee shall be responsible for enforcing all Rules and Regulations as the school bus is an extension of the school day.
5. The Principal shall advise parents of Island Park students who have lost bus privileges by telephone and confirm same in writing.
6. Lost bus passes will be replaced only after payment of one dollar (\$1.00) fee at the Transportation Office of the Island Park School District.

PENALTIES FOR FAILURE TO OBEY RULES AND REGULATIONS:

May include one, a combination, or all of the listed penalties

- Verbal or written warning
- Notification to parents
- Disciplinary probation
- Reprimand, restitution

Suspension from transportation and/or from school

Parents/guardians are responsible for transportation when bus privileges have been suspended

Please sign and return bottom portion of form. Bus schedules and passes **WILL NOT** be issued until Transportation Office receives a signed copy of this form.

If student does not have an email address, parent email address may be used.

Print Student Name

School of Attendance

Home Telephone

Grade in September

Print Parent Name

Parent Signature

Parent Email

Parent Telephone

Office Use Only
Rec'd on _____
Approved:
YES:
NO: