

## **WALKERS AND RIDERS**

### Statement of Purpose

It is the purpose of this policy to define eligibility for use of the Sanborn Regional student transportation services.

### Statement of Policy

According to the Articles of Agreement establishing the Sanborn Regional School District, the district shall provide transportation for ALL pupils in grades 1-12 to the schools within the district. Such transportation shall be consistent with and in addition to the provisions of RSA 189:6 and 189:8.

Elementary students (grades K-5) shall not be required to walk more than one-half mile *where feasible* to an established bus pick-up point. Middle and high school students shall not be required to walk more than one mile.

Elementary students (grades K-5) riding on school buses must present notes from their parents/guardian to the school if they will not be riding on their assigned buses.

Kindergarten through grade two students will not be discharged from a school bus unless a parent, guardian, or known adult is present at the stop. Parents or guardians may opt out of this policy in writing to the school principal.

Students who drive private vehicles to and from school may be required to show adequate cause or justification.

The Sanborn Regional School Board reserves the right to refuse transportation to any student who because of misbehavior or other reasons causes or becomes a safety hazard.

Related Policies: AA-E, EEAEC

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