

SCHOOL BUS CONDUCT

- ▶ Students are expected to conduct themselves in the same manner they do while in school. Be courteous at all times to the driver, fellow pupils, and others.
- ▶ Students are to board the bus and sit in an open seat. Students may not stand while riding the bus.
- ▶ Do not throw items on the bus. Do not hang or throw items out of the bus windows.
- ▶ Pay attention to the bus driver's instructions. Make sure that your behavior does not distract the driver.
- ▶ Treat bus equipment with care. Damaged equipment will be paid for by the offender.
- ▶ Smoking, lit matches, vaping, and chewing tobacco are not allowed.
- ▶ No food, drink, or gum may be opened or consumed on the bus.
- ▶ Bus transportation is a privilege. Students who act inappropriately are subject to loss of bus privileges, either temporarily or permanently, depending on the offense.

For any questions or concerns regarding busing issues that occur on the property of your child's school building, contact your school principal. To report any vehicles failing to stop for school buses when their flashing stop lights are engaged, contact the Belmont Police Department at 617-993-2500. For all other busing matters, please email busing@belmont.k12.ma.us.