

# Tredyffrin/Easttown School District

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## Transportation Department

### Transportation Safety Rules

#### At the Bus Stop

- Be at the bus stop 5 minutes prior to the scheduled pick up time.
- Be considerate of private property.
- Stay off the road while waiting for the bus.
- Do not play ball, tag or games while at the bus stop.
- Wait for the bus to come to a complete stop before approaching the door, do not crowd the entrance when boarding the bus.
- If you are late arriving to the stop, *do not* run after a moving bus.
- Parents are responsible for their children at the bus stop.

#### On the Bus

- Keep hands and head inside the bus at all times.
- Do not throw trash on the floor or out the windows.
- All objects must be kept out of the aisle, Gym bags, instruments, school projects, etc., must be held on your lap. **All sports equipment must be in a contained bag.**
- As soon as you board the bus, find a seat. Do not leave or change seats while the bus is moving.
- No smoking, lighted matches, or open flame permitted on the bus.
- Drinking and eating is not permitted on the bus.
- Cell phone use is not permitted on the bus.
- Always follow directions given by the bus driver.

#### Leaving the Bus

- Always cross the street in front of the bus where you are visible to the driver.
- Stay a safe distance away from the side of the bus.
- Students may only be dropped off at their designated stop location.

**Please remember:** Riding the bus is a privilege. These rules are utilized to ensure the safety of our students while being transported to and from school. Students who violate these safety regulations may lose transportation privileges. Parents would then be responsible for transporting their child to and from school.