Changes to Transportation

- If your child needs to ride a different school bus, submit a note to the school office for approval. Please include the address and your phone number.
- Bus drivers cannot approve changes to transportation and will not make changes without an approved note from the school office.
- Please turn your notes in to the school office in the morning. Changes cannot be made late in the afternoon.

Kindergarten Riders

Pre-Kindergarten, Headstart, and Kindergarten students will not be dropped off at bus stops without a Parent or registered guardian or sibling. Please fill out the Pre-Kindergarten/ Headstart/ Kindergarten Parent Transportation Waiver at your child’s school.

Tips for New Bus Riders

Riding the school bus may be scary for young riders.
- Teach your child the bus drivers name.
- Brief your child on the safety rules.
- Buddy up with a sibling or neighbor.
- Point out landmarks at the bus stop.
- Read a story book about riding the school bus.

Our Mission Statement

Our mission statement is to educate all students in a safe environment and to graduate them ready for college and career success.

School Bus Facts

- School buses are the safest mode of transportation for getting children back and forth from school.
- There are 28 separate federal safety standards for the construction of school buses.
- Levy County District school buses are inspected every 30 days by certified Technicians.
- School buses save parents approximately 180 gallons of fuel a year.
- School bus drivers receive ongoing training.

School Bus Safety Tips

A guide to school transportation.

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School Bus Rules
• Obey the bus driver.
• Be courteous to the bus driver and other passengers.
• Remain seated in your assigned seat.
• Wear your seatbelt.
• Talk quietly.
• No profanity.
• Keep the aisle clear.
• Keep your hands to yourself.
• No eating or drinking on the bus.
• No horseplay or fighting on the bus.
• Do not throw objects.
• Keep heads, hands, and feet inside the bus.
• Tobacco and alcohol in any form is prohibited.
• Possession of illegal drugs is prohibited.
• Possession of weapons is prohibited.
• Do not damage or tamper with bus equipment.
• Keep the bus clean.

Buckle Up!
Florida Statute 316.6145 requires students to wear their seat belts.

Railroad Crossing
Stop talking and remain silent when the school bus comes to a railroad crossing so the bus driver can hear if a train is approaching.

Danger Zone
• Never chase after the school bus.
• Never attempt to retrieve items dropped in the road or under the school bus.
• Do not walk towards the school bus until it has completely stopped and the bus driver signals to you that it is safe.
• Only cross the road in front of the school bus.
• Only cross the road when the school bus driver has signaled to you that it is safe.

Bus Stop and Loading Safety
• Arrive at the bus stop 5 minutes before your pickup time.
• Wait in an orderly line or group.
• No horseplay or fighting at the bus stop.
• Stand back until the school bus has stopped.
• Young passengers should get on the school bus first.
• Use the handrail when entering the school bus.
• Move directly to your assigned seat.

Never speak to strangers at the bus stop
Never approach a stranger’s car. Report strangers to your parents and the bus driver.

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