



Policy of the Board of Trustees

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USE OF PRIVATE VEHICLES TO TRANSPORT STUDENTS

Any use of private vehicles for transportation of students to or from school on field trips, athletic events, or other school functions, are not allowed.

A person under contract to transport one or more children to school, on field trips, or other school functions must have a valid School Bus Driver Certificate from the Department of Safety. This person's vehicle must be approved by the N.H. Department of Safety as meeting all applicable school bus safety standards. (Parents transporting their own children are exempt from this requirement, even if reimbursed by the North Country Charter Academy.)

Those providing transportation on an incidental basis, i.e., not specifically as part of a contract to transport, must have a valid driver's license, and a vehicle which has a current N.H. inspection sticker. A commercial license is required for any vehicle that has a capacity of 16 or more.

The Board specifically forbids any employee to transport students for school purposes. Any school transportation will be contracted out.

No student shall be sent on school errands using any automobile.

Reimbursement for use of private vehicles may be made, but only if the employee or other person has prior approval of the Principal.

No student will transport another student for school authorized transportation.

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