



Student Responsibilities For Using The Bus Service

THE RULES OF THE SCHOOL ARE IN EFFECT ON THE BUS. INFRACTIONS WILL BE REPORTED TO THE PROPER SCHOOL AUTHORITIES. REPEATED VIOLATIONS MAY RESULT IN SUSPENSION FROM THE BUS.

- **Students should be at the bus stop at least 5 minutes before their scheduled pick-up time. The bus will not wait past the scheduled pick-up time.**
- Remain seated at all times, with seat belts fastened when available, until the bus stops at school or your stop.
- Be courteous and respectful of other students and the Driver.
- Electronic items with headphones may be used quietly.
- Speak in a quiet voice.
- Children three years of age may use car seats (to be provided by the parents).
- Keep all parts of your body, and all objects, inside the bus and to yourself at all times.
- Assist the Driver in keeping the bus clean. If a snack is eaten on the bus, all wrappers and containers must be taken off with you and thrown away in an appropriate trash can.
- **NOTE:** Children are only allowed to be picked-up and dropped-off at their scheduled stop, unless specifically indicated in writing addressed to ISM from their parent/guardian.

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities For Using The Bus Service

- If your student isn't riding or missed the bus, it is the parent/guardian's responsibility to notify the bus company by calling MTI Dispatch: 952-935-1990 (press "1" for dispatch and "1" again for Hopkin's routes when prompt).
- If you want to check if your child's bus is running late, you may use the same calling method above or check online at hopkinsschools.org→"Parents & Students" tab→"Transportation"→"Bussing Updates." **Do not call ISM** as we will only be able to use the same methods to find out this information and you may be put on hold for an extended amount of time.