

STUDENT TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT

Date: August 10, 1999

It is the policy of the Columbia County School System to provide school bus transportation for those students who reside more than one and one-half miles from the school they are assigned to attend as provided by state law.

Regular bus routes to provide this service shall be established in accordance with state and local regulations and policies.

The Columbia County Board of Education and the Columbia County School System recognize that there are areas within the mile and one-half limit that constitute a high hazard risk for students who must walk to school.

While students who live within one and one-half miles from the assigned school are not eligible for regular school bus service, courtesy bus service may be established only for students in kindergarten through eighth grade who must walk to school in the officially designated high hazard areas.

While high school students are not eligible for courtesy bus service, transportation may be provided in high hazard areas only on a space available basis when the bus does not deviate from the established route.

PROCEDURE: NO YES

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