

Behavior Protocols Guidelines in Collaboration with Goriteway

These protocols are guidelines. If in the administrator's opinion - an alternative consequence is merited due to the significance, pattern of behavior, or other contributing circumstances this is within their discretion.

*Below is the list of infractions that have occurred in the past years but consequences are not limited to this list if the scenario does not follow the Waupaca Way or creates a serious situation. **Please refer to Flow Chart***

Based on Safety for ALL students of ALL ages and Drivers

The buses are an extension of the school, therefore expectations shall be consistent!

Personal Devices

Students may use personal electronic devices to listen to or watch school-appropriate content, to assist in making the bus rides as enjoyable as possible. Below are some guidelines that need to be followed.

Earbuds / Headphones need to be worn

- No Loud Music Playing
- No Speakers are allowed
- No Vulgar / Inappropriate content
- No pictures (Against the Law)
- No Videos (Against the Law)

Sitting Properly

While most students may choose to sit where they want on the bus, to ensure the safety of all riders, students will need to follow the guidelines listed below.

Need to stay in seats

- Not jumping seats
- Not standing on seats
- Not laying across seats
- Not laying in the aisle

Safety Violations

To ensure all students get to and from school safely, we need students to follow the guidelines below.

- Jumping out of the bus
- Pushing or Running
- Hands out the Window
- Head out the Window
- Throwing things out the window
- Throwing things on Bus
- Using Aerosols (Asthma)
- Opening Emergency Exits

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Voice Volume

To assist our drivers and students in being safe on our bus, we need students to:

- Being Disrespectful to the Driver
- Not listening to redirection from the Driver
- No Screaming throughout the bus
- No Screaming out the windows
- Inappropriate Language (Swearing)
- Inappropriate Content

Disrespecting Driver Bus Expectations

Should a disrespectful behavior occur or is displayed by a student, a restorative practice will take place.

Eating / Food on the Bus

- No eating on the bus
- Keep bus clean

Verbal Warnings

- 1 verbal before WRITE-UP - this is all that should be needed
- After VERBAL is given, *write-ups may occur* if the behavior does not change
See Flow Chart

Major Immediate Violations

Law Enforcement will be Called

- Vandalism
- Vaping
- Tobacco
- Drugs
- Alcohol
- Physical Altercation
- Physical Assault

*Parents will be notified when write-ups occur through email - automatically sent.
Majors that may lead to bus privileges being pulled will be contacting parents for resolution.*

