



Elk Hills School Bus Rules and Regulations

- **Safety is our number one objective. So these rules will be enforced!**
- **Students must respect the authority of the bus driver and follow any directions given Immediately.**
- Students must conduct themselves in an orderly manner, remaining in their seats unless loading or unloading.
- Proper language will be used at all times.
- The noise level on the bus shall be low enough to permit the driver to hear sirens and other warning devices while bus is in motion.
- Students must keep arms, head and other parts of the body inside the bus at all times.
- Pupils who are discourteous, disruptive and disobedient may be deprived of the privilege of riding the bus.
- Students shall board the bus and disembark at their assigned bus stops.
- Students at the bus stops are expected to wait in line, rather than wandering about the bus stop area.
- No use of cell phones is permitted. Phone will be confiscated and returned to the office for parent pick-up.
- Students must respect private property at the bus stop and when walking home.
- Only Elk Hills School students are allowed to ride the bus. Appropriate signed permission forms are needed for field trips. Adult bus chaperones are allowed, but must make prior arrangements with the school.

Bus Infraction Consequences:

- For the first infraction of a rule the driver may give the pupil a warning citation.
- The second infraction will result in losing riding privileges for one (1) day.
- The third infraction will result in losing riding privileges for three (3) days.
- The fourth infraction will result in losing riding privileges for five (5) days.

Additional infractions will result in the consideration of termination of bus transportation service or loss of riding privileges for an extended period of time, from 5-9 weeks.

Students who have committed a serious infraction on the bus may be considered for immediate consequences involving the loss of bus privileges.