Be on time at the bus stop. Show good manners at the bus stop. This includes staying near the bus stop area, keeping off private property, not disturbing plants or shrubs. Bus stops are a part of school jurisdiction and all school rules apply.

Obey the bus driver.

**School Bus Rules and Conduct**
1. Students must follow safety procedures.
2. Students must not destroy property.
3. Students must not fight, push, or trip.
4. Students must not eat, drink, or litter on the bus.
5. Students must not use unacceptable language.
6. Students must remain seated until the bus driver arrives at the stop, and the bus door is opened.

**Consequences**
The following consequences will occur for student misconduct on the school bus:

**First offense**
- (A) Conference with the student.
- (B) Parent/guardian/caregiver will be notified.
- (C) Warning citation will be issued.

**Second offense**
Conference with student and parent/guardian.

**Third offense**
- (A) Written notification to parent/guardian/caregiver.
- (B) Student will be denied bus transportation for 3-5 days.

**Fourth offense**
After notifying the parent/guardian/caregiver, permanent suspension from all SFUSD bus transportation for the remainder of the school year.

**Rules on Public Transportation**
San Francisco Unified School District students are expected to observe the above rules when riding public transportation. Reported misconduct on public transportation to and from school or from a school-related activity will be grounds for school disciplinary action.

**Closed School Campus**
By Board of Education policy, all Elementary and Middle Schools have closed campuses for the safety and welfare of all students. Therefore, students are not allowed off-campus unless they have a Permit to Leave School issued by the Counselor or Head Counselor. High School campuses are closed unless arrangements for open campus have been made by site administration. The Principal will disseminate campus rules to parents/guardians/caregivers. Neither the school district nor any officer or employee thereof shall be liable for the conduct or safety of any pupil during such time as the pupil has left the school grounds during the lunch period.

**Dress/Appearance Standards**
Students shall dress appropriately for daily attendance at school. Students who attend schools which have a uniform policy are expected to be in uniform every day. If special circumstances in adhering to this policy should arise, please contact the individual school’s principal for assistance. The type and style of clothing (except for schools with uniforms) and hairdo are individual and personal. The school shall be concerned only when these are extreme and could cause school distraction or disruption or be unsafe.

Examples of **inappropriate clothing** include:

- garments where the torso is exposed, i.e., tube tops, half shirts, halters.
- clothing or buttons which show obscene words or pictures, or sexually suggestive statements.
- hats, hair covering or hair curlers worn in school.
- clothing related to juvenile gang-related activities.
- garments where the entire thigh is exposed, such as micro minis or short shorts.
- bathing suits, gym shorts, physical education clothing, jogging shorts, cut-offs, and flimsy, silky or plastic shorts.
- the wearing and carrying of **tobacco promotional items** - in order to discourage and reduce the illegal sales and furnishing of cigarettes and tobacco products to minors.
- the wearing and carrying of items promoting controlled substances (illegal drugs) and/or alcohol.
- sagging pants (where undergarment is exposed).

Students who persist in violation of the above infractions will be suspended.

**Skateboards, Skates, Scooters and Bicycles**
To ensure the safety of all students, skateboards, skates, scooters and bicycles may not be used during school hours while on school grounds.