

Bus Conduct Plan-New Prairie United Schools

Bus Driver Managed Infractions:

- Failure to follow driver instructions
- Standing/moving seats while bus is in motion
- Horseplay, pushing or tripping
- Shouting, screaming or excessive noise
- Use of obscene/profane language or gestures
- Throwing objects in or out of bus/littering
- Drinking or eating
- Teasing/harassment
- Tampering with safety equipment, Placing arms or head out of the bus while in motion
- Getting off the bus at an unauthorized location

1st offense: Verbal warning by Driver to student

2nd offense: Verbal warning to student as well as driver parent call

3rd offense: Bus conduct report, administrator parent call with in-school consequence

4th offense: Bus conduct, administrator parent call (1 day off bus)

5th offense: Bus conduct report, administrator parent call (3 days off bus)

6th offense: Bus conduct report, administrator parent call (possible removal from bus for 5 days or more and notified that next infraction bus privilege may be denied for the rest of semester and/or year)

* NPUSC reserves the right to enact any discipline for unique or more concerning situations outside of these guidelines

Principal Office Managed Infractions - Consequences left to administration

The following infractions will result in a direct referral to administration -No verbal warning or parent call necessary by the driver

- Possession of alcohol, weapons or drugs
- Throwing objects directly at the driver
- Profanity directed at the driver
- Fighting/shoving of driver or other passengers
- Sexual Misconduct
- Observed Bullying
- Vandalism
- Running in front/beside of or chasing a moving school bus
- Pushing or shoving another student at or near a moving school bus

Drivers will be asked to document verbal warnings or parent calls to be turned in with conduct reports.

*Discipline for these situations will be consistent with NPUSC Handbooks and consequences for these infractions if they occurred in school. NPUSC reserves the right to enact any discipline appropriate for the situation outside of these guidelines