

Bainbridge-Guilford Central School - School Bus Rules

- Students will arrive at the bus stop prior to their scheduled bus stop time.
- No student is to attempt entering or exiting the bus until it comes to a complete stop. Students will not cross the road until the driver signals they can do so safely.
- Students will be assigned seats by the driver and will sit in them immediately after entering the bus.
- There will be no standing or moving from seat to seat while the bus is in motion.
- Indecent conduct, loud, disruptive or profane language is not permitted on the bus.
- Eating and drinking on the bus are not permitted unless given permission by the driver.
- Tobacco, alcohol, weapons, lighters, matches, illegal drugs, or potentially dangerous items are not permitted on the bus.
- Proper seating on the bus is to face forward, maintaining appropriate body space. Aisles are to remain clear at all times.
- Pushing, shoving, intimidating, bullying or fighting are not permitted on the bus.
- Students are not to throw any object within the bus or out of the windows. All parts of a student's body must remain inside the bus at all times.
- Destruction or damaging of school property is not permitted.
- Students are to keep their backpacks on their laps or on the floor in front of them. Students are not to sit on their backpacks. Items such as toys, games, pencils and pens will remain in their backpacks, unless given permission by the driver to take them out. Students are encouraged to read books or listen to music while riding the bus.
- Students will be quiet when the bus approaches and stops at a railroad crossing. Riding the school bus is a privilege. Students are expected to obey the bus driver. They must follow the bus rules and conduct themselves in a safe and orderly manner. The school bus is an extension of the classroom.