

BABOQUIVARI UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT #40

School Bus Agreement Form

2025-2026

SCHOOL BUS SAFETY RULES

Transportation Rules 100% No Exceptions.

1. Bus switching will not be allowed unless change of residency or special circumstance
2. All students must board and depart at their designated bus stops, unless given a bus note by school and transportation department
3. Guardian(s) are responsible for calling in any bus notes, excessive absences, or changes
4. Deadline for any bus notes are 10:00 AM
5. Hand written notes will not be accepted
6. Blankets will not be allowed on the bus
7. Public Display of Affection(PDA) will not be tolerated on the bus
8. 5 consecutive days of inactivity of bus stop(s) or student absent both morning and afternoon will be dropped from route entirely

GENERAL SCHOOL BUS RULES

1. All students must remain seated while the bus is in motion.
2. Keep arms and legs out of the bus aisle
3. Nothing is to be thrown in or out of the bus.
4. Do not push, hit, and/ or pull anyone
5. Keep hands to yourself at all times
6. Profanity is prohibited.
7. Keep an inside voice at all times

8. Pets of any sort are not allowed
9. Glass containers, flammable items, and items that may cause harm to others will not be allowed
10. Food, drinks, and consumable items are not allowed. Water and a light snack are the only exceptions.
11. Students are responsible for disposing of their trash into garbage bins
12. Do not tamper with windows, doors, and emergency exits
13. The bus driver may assign seats to any student(s) at any given time
14. Do not bring toys, stuffed animals,
15. Do not write on the seats, walls, and/ or windows

Consequences for Bus Rule Violations

1st Offense: Parent/Guardian notified. Warning given.

2nd Offense: Parent/Guardian and school site notified. One day bus suspension.

3rd Offense: Parent/Guardian and Principal notified. cause for extended bus suspension.

Severe Clause: Damages to bus, physical harm to others, engaging in illegal activities, possession of illegal items/ substances, threatening, and foul language towards any person(s) may result in immediate expulsion from ALL bus riding privileges. School Administrators and/or Law Enforcement may be involved.

Guardians are responsible for ensuring students are at their assigned bus stop ten (10) minutes prior to the scheduled arrival time

I understand the rules and consequences set forth by the Transportation Department

Scan Cards:

For the 2025- 2026 school year, The Transportation Department will be utilizing scan cards to monitor and track student ridership on the school bus. The enrolling guardian(s) have the option to download and sign-up with the free TransFinder app to track their student(s) who ride the school bus. The app will allow users to receive live updates on any route changes, delays, or if their student is on the bus or not.

The scan cards being utilized are the same being used during school hours. Both students and guardians are responsible for having the card and in usable condition when arriving at the school bus stop. Failing to adhere to the requirements to board and un-board the bus utilizing the student cards, issued by the school district, will be subject to the guidelines for “Consequences for Bus Rule Violations” in the Student Bus Agreement Form.