

## **Bus Policies, Procedures, and Behavior Expectations**

The Young Scholars Charter School's Rules and Policies apply on all bus transportation. School buses are used on Fridays for transportation to the Phield House for PE, school trips, sports programming, and other events. Students are expected to act responsibly and respectfully at all times when riding the school bus. The school bus is equipped with an audio video camera.

Behavioral infractions on the bus will lead to disciplinary actions including but not limited to suspension from riding the school bus and participating in school activities that require bus transportation.

### School Bus Rules and Regulations

1. Each student shall display courteous conduct while on the bus.
2. Upon entering a school bus, students will immediately find seats. They will remain in their seats. No one will be standing while the bus is moving.
3. Girls must be seated on the left (near the door) and boys on the right (behind the driver) at all times.
4. No music is to be played aloud on the bus, any music should be enjoyed through headphones only.
5. Bus windows should be closed or open minimally for safety. (Absolutely no yelling, throwing, or putting any body parts through the window)
6. No eating, drinking or gum chewing allowed.
7. Do not litter on the bus. Take your trash with you if there is not a trash can on the bus.
8. Yelling, loud talking, throwing objects, and distracting the driver are not permitted.
9. Profanity of any kind will not be tolerated.
10. No fighting, scuffling, pushing, tripping or horseplay of any kind will be tolerated.
11. The bus company and Young Scholars assume no responsibility for items left on the school bus.