

LOS ALAMITOS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Andrew Pulver, Ed.D.
Superintendent

**BUS PASS PRICING
CONTINUES AT
\$1.00 PER RIDE!**

July 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The Los Alamitos Unified School District values your students' participation in the District's Home-to-School Transportation Program and is pleased to announce that **all Home-to-School transportation rates for the 2021-2022 upcoming school year will remain at \$1.00 per trip with a bus pass for the semester or year and \$3.00 for a single-use bus ticket.** Our rates were reduced to this level beginning in the 2015 school year. We are pleased to offer this again to any students attending a district school. Payments may be made online, in-person at the business office, or via U.S. mail.

The District's transportation program continues to be a valuable option for Los Alamitos parents and students. Our bus transportation program is the safest option for students to get to and from school. According to the National Highway Transportation Safety Association, students transported in school buses were nearly eight times safer than students transported in passenger vehicles. School busses reduce overall traffic congestion within our community and our CNG fuel bus fleet provides transportation with a reduced impact to the environment. Whether your student rides the bus both ways, one way, or only rides occasionally, we hope that you will participate in the District's Transportation Program. Our main goal in providing a Home-to-School Transportation Program is the safety of students. We encourage all parents to consider participating in the Home-to-School Transportation Program for the 2021-22 school year.

The District continues to follow health and safety protocols in alignment with guidance from the California Department of Public Health and Cal/OSHA.

Sincerely,



Elvia Galicia
Assistant Superintendent of Business Services

LOS ALAMITOS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

APPLICATION FOR SCHOOL BUS HOME-TO-SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION

2021-2022

PASS TYPE	FULL FARE	COST
A	Annual Round Trip - \$1 per ride	\$360.00
B (AM) or B (PM)	Annual One-Way - \$1 per ride	\$180.00
C	Semester Round Trip - \$1 per ride	\$180.00
D (AM) or D (PM)	Semester One-Way - \$1 per ride	\$ 90.00
REDUCED FARE (Eligibility determined through National School Lunch Program; required documents must be turned in)		
E	Annual Round Trip	\$180.00
F (AM) or F (PM)	Annual One-Way	\$ 90.00
G	Semester Round Trip	\$ 90.00
H (AM) or H (PM)	Semester One-Way	\$ 45.00
BUS TICKET BOOKLETS		
I	Individual Tickets for One-Way Travel (20 Passes)	\$ 60.00
NO CHARGE		
J	Physically Handicapped (IEP Requires Home-To-School Transportation) Please contact Heather Sherrill	No Cost
K	Free Pass (Eligibility determined through National School Lunch Program; required documents must be turned in)	No Cost

Student Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)	School	Grade	Type of Pass	Bus Stop No.	Cost
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
				TOTAL:	\$ _____

Please complete the following information to assist us in processing your application (PLEASE PRINT):

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Home Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Daytime Telephone Number: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Send check* or money order (no cash) payable to:

Los Alamitos Unified School District (LAUSD)
10293 Bloomfield Street
Los Alamitos, CA 90720

*There will be a \$25.00 service charge on all returned checks

For District Use Only:	
Verified Fare Rate: Yes ___ No ___	
Amount Received: \$	
Type of Payment: Check ___ M.O. ___ Cash ___ CC ___	

LOS ALAMITOS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Home-To-School Bus Schedule 2021-2022

HOPKINSON SCHOOL

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
<u>COLLEGE PARK WEST</u>	
101 Harvard & Occidental	7:00 a.m.
102 Harvard & Princeton Circle	7:02 a.m.
104 College Park Drive & Yale, S.	7:04 a.m.
 <u>COLLEGE PARK EAST</u>	
110 Oleander & Almond (Shapell Park)	7:24 a.m.
116 Almond & Daisy	7:28 a.m.
118 Almond & Bluebell	7:30 a.m.
 <u>LAUREL AREA</u>	
119 Pine & Florista	7:20 a.m.

LEE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
<u>NORTH OF FARQUHAR</u>	
601 Howard & Maple	7:10 a.m.
602 Howard & Reagan	7:12 a.m.
603 Chestnut & Catalina	7:20 a.m.
604 Walnut & Florista	7:25 a.m.

LOS ALAMITOS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
<u>SOUTH OF KATELLA</u>	
411 Green & Midway	7:14 a.m.
412 Tripoli & Mindora	7:10 a.m.
413 Howard & Tarawa	7:12 a.m.
417 Howard & Noel	7:20 a.m.

NOTE:

FOR AM: TIMES INDICATED ARE BUS DEPARTURE TIMES FOR THE MORNING.

**STUDENTS SHOULD BE AT THE BUS STOP 5 MINUTES PRIOR TO DEPARTURE TIME
FOR PM: ARRIVAL AT STOPS VARIES DEPENDING ON NUMBER OF STUDENTS, TRAFFIC, ETC.
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MC GAUGH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
<u>COLLEGE PARK EAST</u>	
10-03 Heather Park	7:05 a.m.
10-04 Wisteria & Hazelnut	7:00 a.m.
10-06 Birchwood & Oleander	6:55 a.m.
<u>SURFSIDE & SEAL BEACH</u>	
10-11 First & Welcome	7:25 a.m.
10-12 Central & Marina	7:28 a.m.
10-13 Fifth & Marina	7:30 a.m.

ROSSMOOR/HOPKINSON/LEE/WEAVER

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
11-1 College Park West @ Edison Park	6:55 a.m.
11-2 Main District Office (10293 Bloomfield St.)	7:10 a.m.
11-3 Farquhar & Maple	7:15 a.m.
11-4 Pine & Florista	7:20 a.m.
11-5 Oak Middle School (10821 Oak St.)	7:25 a.m.
11-6 Rossmoor Way & Paseo Bonita	7:35 a.m.

WEAVER

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
11-7 Heather Park	7:25 a.m.

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MC AULIFFE / OAK MIDDLE SCHOOL

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
<u>SEAL BEACH</u>	
705 12th & Electric	7:50 a.m.
706 Community Center & Marina	7:56 a.m.
707 Balboa & Bolsa	7:50 a.m.
708 Anchor Way & Masthead	7:35 a.m.
712 McGaugh School	7:40 a.m.
<u>COLLEGE PARK EAST</u>	
709 Shapell Park / Almond Park	8:02 a.m.
710 Gummere Park / Bluebell Park	8:00 a.m.
711 Heather Park	8:05 a.m.
<u>COLLEGE PARK WEST</u>	
713 Occidental (between Harvard & Stanford)	8:05 a.m.
<u>ROSSMOOR</u>	
714 Rossmoor Way & Paseo Bonita	8:05 a.m.
715 Bostonian & Wembley (Weaver)	8:08 a.m.
717 Bostonian & Montecito (Rossmoor)	7:50 a.m.
718 Gertrude & Argyle (Hopkinson)	8:03 a.m.
719 Tigertail & Oak Way	7:57 a.m.
720 Rossmoor Park (@ Pemberton & Baskerville)	8:10 a.m.
<u>LOS ALAMITOS (NORTH OF JFTB)</u>	
721 Labourdette Park	8:05 a.m.
722 Tripoli & Mindora	(PM Only)

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LOS ALAMITOS HIGH SCHOOL

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
801 Occidental (between Harvard & Stanford)	6:45 a.m.
802 Rossmoor Park (@ Pemberton & Baskerville)	7:10 a.m.
803 Rossmoor Way & Paseo Bonita	7:20 a.m.
804 McGaugh School	7:05 a.m.
805 Bluebell Park	6:55 a.m.
806 Heather Park	6:50 a.m.
807 St. Cloud & Tigertail	7:00 a.m.
808 12 th & Electric	7:00 a.m.

LOS ALAMITOS HIGH SCHOOL - LATE START WEDNESDAY

<u>STREET</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
801 Occidental (between Harvard & Stanford)	8:05 a.m.
802 Rossmoor Park (@ Pemberton & Baskerville)	8:10 a.m.
803 Rossmoor Way & Paseo Bonita	8:05 a.m.
804 McGaugh School	7:40 a.m.
805 Bluebell Park	8:00 a.m.
806 Heather Park	8:05 a.m.
807 St. Cloud & Tigertail	7:56 a.m.
808 12 th & Electric	7:50 a.m.

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Exhibit D

Bus Conduct/Safety Rules

In order that students may benefit from our Home-to-School transportation offered at Los Alamitos USD, the Board of Education feels a strong, effective discipline code must exist and be enforced. It is to everyone's advantage that students respect the rights, feelings, and property of others and face the consequences of their actions when they do not. Students who fail to comply with these rules and regulations shall be subject to disciplinary action. All school personnel and parents have a shared responsibility to enforce school rules and regulations and take the necessary action to correct school behavior that is inappropriate or interferes with the functioning of the school. To ensure the safety of everyone, students must abide by the following District rules and California state laws:

1. 5 CCR 14103 states, "Pupils transported in a school bus...shall be under the authority of and responsible directly to the driver of the bus."
2. Pupils shall be aware of the "Danger Zones" (see exhibit E) around the school bus
3. Students are expected to respect themselves, others, and their property.
4. Do not engage in vandalism, destruction of property, or graffiti. Repair costs will be billed to the guilty pupil(s) and their parents.
5. Wheelchairs should be pre-inspected for Safety prior to utilizing the bus.

Bus Stop:

1. Please arrive at the bus stop at least five minutes before the bus is due.
2. Do not litter at school bus stops or in the school bus.
3. Orderly behavior is required at the bus stop.
4. As the bus arrives, form a line and stand at least twelve feet from where the bus stops. Do not move toward the school bus until the bus comes to a complete stop and the bus driver has opened the door.

Boarding the bus:

1. Do not bring animals (except registered service animals), glass objects, skates, large, bulky, or hazardous articles on the school bus.
2. Athletic equipment will be allowed on the bus if necessary for students participation in an enrolled class or team. It should be safely stowed as to not cause a safety hazard.
3. Show the driver your bus pass or bus ticket. **Passes are non-transferable.**
4. Follow the bus driver's instructions. Bus drivers are authorized to assign seats, assign (3) pupils to a seat bench, assign seat mates, and other actions as needed for safe transportation of pupils.
5. Walk, do not run, in an orderly manner when on the bus.
6. Go directly to a seat. Remain seated at all times, facing the forward. If school bus is equipped with seat belts, pupils must use them.

Aboard the bus:

1. Keep all body parts inside of the bus. Do not spit or throw anything in or out of the school bus.

2. All electronic signaling devices, including cell phones, shall be set to silent or vibrate upon entering the school bus. Use while on the bus is limited to purposes related to health and safety.
3. Talk quietly. Do not shout, yell, or use profane language or gestures, or behave in a boisterous manner. Do not engage in unnecessary conversation with the bus driver so they can concentrate while driving.
4. Remain quite as the school bus stops at and crosses railroad tracks.
5. Do not bring weapons of any type.
6. Do not use any writing instruments while on the bus.
7. Do not possess or use tobacco, drugs, or alcohol. Do not vape.
8. Do not eat, drink, or chew gum.
9. Do not play or tamper with any part of the school bus.
10. Shoes must be worn at all times. Wearing cleats is not allowed.
11. No changing on the bus.

Exiting the bus, and leaving the drop-off location:

1. Exit the bus only at your designated bus stop. Note: a one-day request for an alternate drop off location requires a parental note.
2. Follow the bus driver's instructions.
3. Remain properly seated until the bus comes to a complete stop and the door is opened.
4. Move toward the front of the bus in an orderly manner.
5. If you cross the roadway the bus stops on, notify the bus driver. Follow the bus driver's instructions as you are escorted across the roadway.
6. Exit the bus in an orderly manner.
7. Immediately move out of the "Danger Zone" to the right front, right, or right rear of the bus if you do not need to be escorted across the roadway.
8. Do not attempt to return to the bus without first getting the attention of the bus driver.
9. Do not talk to strangers or accept rides from strangers.

Note: Audio/video recording equipment is used aboard buses for safety/security monitoring.

Discipline Procedures

14263. Authority of the Driver. Pupils transported in the school bus shall be under the authority of and responsible directly to the driver of the bus. Continued disorderly conduct or persistent refusal to submit to the authority of the driver shall be sufficient reason for a pupil to be denied transportation in accordance with regulations of the governing board of the district.

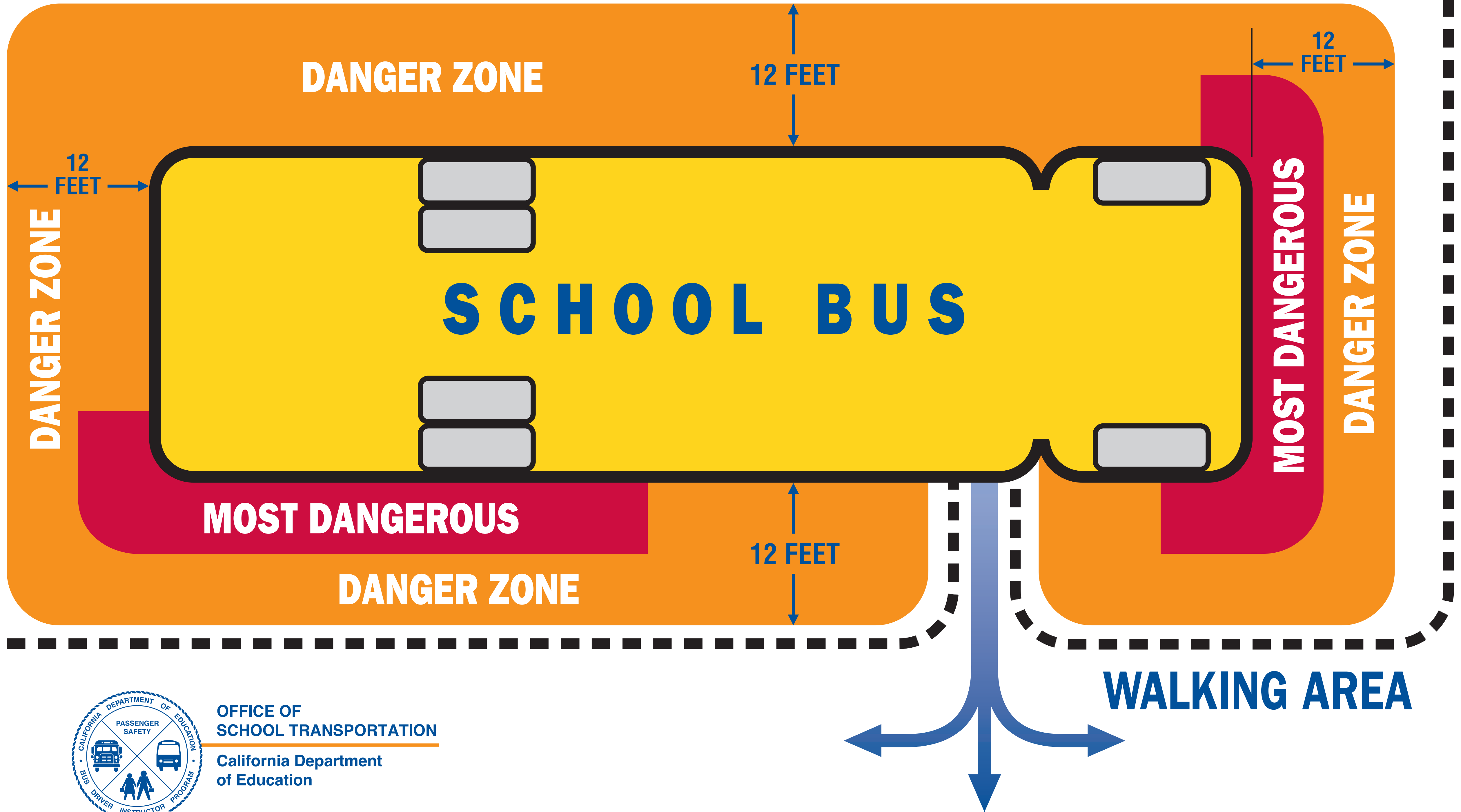
Violation of Rules of Conduct will result in detention, lunch detention, or immediate denial of transportation as follows:

- 1st infraction: detention or 1-day of riding privilege
- 2nd infraction: detention or Saturday school or loss of 5 days of riding privilege
- 3rd infraction: loss of between 5-20 days of riding privilege
- 4th infraction: loss of between 20-60 days of riding privilege
- 5th infraction: Remainder of the year

Note: There will be no refunds for days a pupil's bus riding privileges are suspended/revoked.

Parents/guardians as well as students should be familiar with the regulations. For any questions, please contact Ricardo Villanueva, Transportation Supervisor, at (562)799-4700 ext. 81111.

DANGER ZONES



OFFICE OF
SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION
California Department
of Education