

Section A

It is the policy of the Board of Education of District #225 to pay for transportation for special education students under the terms and conditions set forth below:

- 1) the student's program, as recommended by the District 225 IEP Team, is located in a school other than the one the student would normally attend; or
- 2) the nature of the student's disability is such that special transportation is required, or
- 3) the nature of the student's special program is such that special transportation is required.

Section B

Transportation time for special education students attending a day school shall not exceed two hours round trip per day, unless a longer transportation time is approved in writing by the Illinois State Board of Education.

Section C

Special education students approved to attend a residential school shall be provided one round trip to and from the residential school per year. Parents of students who attend residential programs shall be provided transportation per the student's IEP.

Section D

All requests for transportation for special education students shall require the prior written approval of the director of special education. All arrangements shall be made through the district business office and reimbursement for approved expenses shall conform with the parameters established by the school Board.

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