

# Policies

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## **Westerly Public Schools Transportation for Disabled Adults**

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**No. 8600**

The Westerly School Committee recognizes its responsibility to transport students with disabilities. This responsibility ceases when the student reaches age twenty-one (21). The Superintendent may, on an individual basis, allow a student who becomes twenty-one years of age during a school year, and has been regularly transported by the school district, to continue being transported by the school district until the end of the student's current program year or until transitioned to an adult transportation service provider, whichever occurs first.

The student shall receive transition assistance to adult transportation providers during this period. Under no circumstances is a disabled adult (twenty-one years or older) to be regularly transported by the school district beyond this transition period.

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