



EPHRATA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 165

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TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

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2025-2026

PRIVATE SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION CONTRACT AGREEMENT

AGREEMENT made this day, _____, between Ephrata School District No. 165 of Grant County, State of Washington, herein referred to as "District" and _____ herein referred to as "Parent / Guardian".

I

District, for and in consideration of the payments to be made to it by the Parent / Guardian as hereinafter set forth, hereby agrees to transport for the school year 2023-2024 students attending private schools within the confines of District 165 of Grant County, on such days as School District No. 165 is in session and on the availability of seat space for said students on the District's established routes and at the District's established stops. Round-trip service will be provided by the District based on the below-stated rates.

II

The Parent / Guardian agrees, in consideration of the service rendered by the District under this Agreement to the following:

1. To pay the District a sum as determined by the following criteria:

- ☐ \$75.00 per first child per year who is transported 3.0 or fewer miles from home to school or
- ☐ \$150.00 per first child per year who is transported between 3.1 and 7.0 miles from home to school or
- ☐ \$215.00 per first child per year who is transported 7.1 or more miles from home to school
- ☐ All siblings of first child pay one-half the above rate per year

2. Parents / Guardians will have only one opportunity per school year to make changes in their child/children's ridership or to enter or drop out of the program. Contracts and charges will be terminated if a student moves from the school district.

III

All money to be paid to the District, from Parents / Guardians under the terms of this Agreement, shall be paid at the beginning of the school year to the Ephrata School District by August 29, 2023.

IV

Parents / Guardians agree that the general rules, regulations, and guidelines established by the District relating to buses and the transportation of students shall be followed by their child or children; and that their child or children are subject to the same disciplinary action as other children being transported, under rules, regulations and guidelines set forth by the District.

V

Willful violation of any terms or conditions herein by the other party shall terminate this Agreement and it shall be of no force and effect whatsoever.

VI

This agreement may be varied, modified or altered by mutual consent of the parties hereto. No alteration, modification or variation of the terms of this Agreement shall be valid unless made in writing and signed by the parties hereto.

VII

It is further agreed by the parties hereto if it is considered to be in the best interest of the District, the District may terminate this agreement upon giving thirty (30) days' notice in writing to the parents/guardians.

IT WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto execute this Agreement at Ephrata, Washington, on the day and year first written above.

Parent / Guardian Name (Printed): _____

Student(s) Name(s) & Grade: _____

School: ☐ New Life Christian School ☐ St Rose School

For Kindergartners, we require an authorized adult present or an authorized older sibling for drop-off. Please log into the District website, fill out the appropriate form, email it back, or give it to your child's bus driver.



Home/Sitter Pick Up & Drop Off Address:

☐ AM (If different) _____

☐ PM (If different) _____

Mailing Address (if different): _____

Phone Number: _____

Parent / Guardian Signature _____

Date: _____

Calculated Mileage & Amount
(per Ephrata Schools Transportation
Dept.)

Ephrata School District No. 165
Ken Murray, Superintendent