

GOLDSTAR DISCIPLINE GUIDELINES

1ST TIER OFFENSES - INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

Yelling, Screaming, Making Loud Disturbing Noises	Opening Windows
Walking in Isle While Bus is in Motion	Placing Body Parts Out of Window
Standing Up While Bus is in Motion	Throwing Items Out of Window
Sitting in an Unassigned Seat	Hoodies Not Removed While On Bus
Switching Seats While Bus is in Motion	Hitting/Banging on Bus
Inappropriate Use of Cell Phone	Not Following Bus Driver Directions
* No audible sounds, photographs, video recordings	Eating Food/Drinking While on the Bus
Talking Negatively About Another's Race or Sexual Orientation	Leaving Trash On the Bus

1ST TIER CONSEQUENCES

1st Write Up: Parent Square Message to Parent	4th Write Up: 5 day Suspension of Bus Privileges
2nd Write Up: Parent Message & Campus Notified	5th Write Up: 10 day Suspension of Bus Privileges
3rd Write Up: 3 day Suspension of Bus Privileges	6th Write Up: 15 day Suspension of Bus Privileges
7th Write Up: Discus Removal of Privileges for Remainder of Year	

2ND TIER OFFENSES - INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

Play Hitting/Wrestling	Intentional Disruption
Profanity Towards Each Other or Driver	Persistent Behavior
Vulgar Language	Possession of a Prohibited/Disruptive Item
Getting On/Off at the Wrong Stop	Throwing Objects of Any Kind
Not Giving Correct Name/ID Number Upon Request	Racial Slurs

2ND TIER CONSEQUENCES

1st Write Up: 1 Day Suspension of Bus Privileges	4th Write Up: 15 days Suspension of Bus Privileges
2nd Write Up: 5 days Suspension of Bus Privileges	5th Write Up: 20 day Suspension of Bus Privileges
3rd Write Up: 10 day Suspension of Bus Privileges	6th Write Up: 30 day Suspension of Bus Privileges
7th Write Up: Removal of Bus Privileges for Remainder of Year	

3RD TIER OFFENSES - INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

Fighting (WILL RESULT IN A PERMANENT SUSPENSION)	Verbal/Written Harassment or Threat
Intimidation/Bullying/Hitting Another Student	Possession of Illegal Substance
Tobacco/Vape/Alcohol Usage	Possession/Sharing of Inappropriate Images
Theft	Destruction of Another's Property
Weapons of any kind - Real or fake (Including pocket knives)	Vandalism/Graffiti*
Sexual Harassment - Kissing, Inappropriate Touching, ETC.	

* Damages to bus that require replacement is an automatic 10 day suspension of bus privileges & cost of replacement must be paid in full before student will be allowed to access bus privileges.

3RD TIER CONSEQUENCES

GOLDSTAR WILL CONTACT THE PARENT AND THE CAMPUS PRINCIPAL ON ALL 3RD TIER OFFENSES

1st Write Up: 10 days Suspension of Bus Privileges	3rd Write Up: 30 days Suspension of Bus Privileges
2nd Write Up: 20 days Suspension of Bus Privileges	4th Write Up: Removal of Bus Privileges for Remainder of Year

GoldStar reserves the right to skip steps according to severity of infraction.

Any combination of offenses will elevate Referral/Suspension to highest tier level for consequences.

NO SKATEBOARDS OR LOOSE ATHLETIC EQUIPMENT ALLOWED ON-BOARD BUSES

ALL INSTRUMENTS MUST BE CARRIED IN STUDENT'S LAP WHILE ON-BOARD

The purpose of these guidelines is to provide fair warning and, in some cases, the opportunity to correct behavior rather than punish. However, misconduct will be punished in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct; the privilege to ride on a school bus, may be suspended or revoked.

Neither Wichita Falls ISD, the bus driver, nor GoldStar Transit is responsible for lost or left behind articles. Everyone who is eligible for bus service has the right to have a safe ride to and from school. Please be courteous to the driver and other riders. If a problem does arise, please feel free to call.

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