

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
School District #33 (Chilliwack)**

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POLICY
Transportation**

The Board of Education believes that it has a responsibility to provide safe and reliable transportation to students in a fiscally and environmentally responsible manner.

All riders may be charged a fee for service.

The Board will provide bus service to students who:

- live where the catchment-area school is beyond 3.0 kilometres for elementary school students and 4.0 kilometres for middle and secondary students
- have an identified student learning need as approved by the Superintendent

Bus routes will be developed using the three-zone system of Regular Rider Zone, Conditional Rider Zone and No-Ride Zone. All ride zones and fees will be reviewed annually with changes reported to the Board prior to the school registration process in March.

The Board will work with government and other organizations to advocate for adequate public transit and safe walking routes for students.

Cross Refs: Division 11 *Motor Vehicle Act* Regulation, Professional Drivers' Manual, Administrative Regulations

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