

Lesson Plans for Rules on the Bus

Expectations:

1. Be Respectful
2. Be Responsible
3. Be Safe

Specific Rules for the Bus

	Examples	Non-examples
Be Respectful 1. Use kind, polite words, and actions. 2. Listen and follow directions.	Helping someone who drops his/her books on the bus.	Laughing at someone Hitting someone Yelling at others
	Remaining quiet at RR crossings Obeying the driver	Talking and playing when the inside bus lights are on.
Be Responsible 1. Keep floor and seat clean and undamaged. 2. Get on and off your bus at your assigned stop.		
	Picking up dropped papers/pencils	Throwing trash on the floor; jabbing pencils into the seats
	Riding the correct bus to and from school	Riding a different bus to a friend's house
Be Safe 1. Keep hands, feet, and objects to self and inside the bus. 2. Remain seated on the bus. 3. Walk on and off the bus.		
		Throwing things inside the bus or out of the window
	Staying seated in assigned seat	Sticking your head out the window
	Walking in line on and off the bus	Standing or walking while the bus is moving

Activities to Allow Students to Practice Desired Behaviors:

Role-play different scenarios. (Good choices only)
 Catch each other being appropriate on the bus.

Plan for Rewarding Appropriate Behavior:

The schools' PBS teams will plan and collaborate with the bus drivers on rewarding the students. (tokens/points for students) Verbal praise associated with a specific action by individual.