

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 71 (COMOX VALLEY)

POLICY MANUAL

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BOARD REGULATION

Student Bus Transportation Limits

1. The Ministry of Education considers as shareable expenses necessary busing for students residing outside the following walk limits:
 - (a) Primary Program: Living beyond 4.0 kilometres from school.
 - (b) Grades 4-12: Living beyond 4.8 kilometres from school.
 - (c) All Grade 1-12 students living within 3.2 kilometres of the nearest bus stop will walk to that bus stop.
2. It is recognized that this is the general policy of the Ministry of Education for all school districts, and school districts may, through non-shareable funds, alter the Ministry of Education's policy where conditions dictate. In recognizing local conditions, the policy of the Board with respect to bus transportation is therefore as follows:

Subject to available seating space, school bus transportation may be provided for:

- (1) Primary Program students who live beyond 3.2 kilometres from school;
- (2) Grade 4 - 6 students who live beyond 4.0 kilometres from school;
- (3) Grade 7 - 12 students who live beyond 4.8 kilometres from school.