

TRANSPORTATION

Bus transportation shall be provided to and from school for those students who qualify. Transportation may be provided by the district for all school activities. Transportation may be denied to students who are detained after school for disciplinary reasons.

Appropriate rules shall be published in the student handbook.

Resident and Non-Resident Pupil Transportation

The Board of Education shall not furnish or provide transportation on a regular basis for pupils or students who reside in another school district unless: requested to do so by the neighboring district through a formal written request; in an emergency; or the pupil or student boards the school bus within the boundaries or on the boundary of the Pratt USD 382 at a regular bus stop.

The Board of Education shall not approve any transportation requests to allow resident pupils or students to be transported on a regular basis from within its district's boundaries by another district. Unique periodic or emergency transportation requests may be granted on a case by case basis by the Superintendent or his designee.

Special Education student transportation under the structure of the South Central Kansas Special Education Cooperative shall be exempt from the above policy.

*Students and residences qualifying under 1997 SB17 may be exempted from the above policy.