



# Advice for students travelling on all Buses

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## **At home**

Confirm the pick-up time at the nearest bus stop.  
Pack your bag the night before.  
Make sure you have your bus pass or fare ready.

## **On the way**

Always leave on time.  
Be Safe Be Seen. Wear a bright or reflective coat or bag.  
Walk safely to the bus stop, using the Green Cross Code.  
At the bus stop, wait sensibly, queue away from the road and put your arm out when you see the bus.  
Wait till the bus has stopped and then get on calmly without pushing.  
If you drop something near the bus, tell the driver, make sure it is safe.  
Show your pass or pay your fare.  
Don't forget to say hello to the driver!!

## **On the Bus**

Find a seat and stay there. Chat to friends nearby.  
Keep your seatbelt fastened throughout the journey.  
Do not distract the driver unless in an emergency.  
Do not leave your bag in the aisle.  
Behave sensibly and show respect.  
Do not damage the bus or drop litter.  
Never touch the emergency door! It is for emergencies only.  
Tell a teacher about students who smoke and use bad language. It is unacceptable.  
Talk to a teacher if you see bullying, dangerous or bad behaviour on your bus.  
Remember this is your journey too!

## **Getting off the Bus**

Remain seated until the bus stops- your driver knows which is your correct bus stop from the register.  
If you have to cross the road or bus bay after you get off the bus, wait until the bus has moved off and you can see the road/bus bay clearly in both directions, or go to the nearest available crossing, if appropriate.  
NEVER walk in front of the bus- even if the bus is stationary.

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF TRAVEL ON YELLOW BUSES**

You are respectfully reminded that by being registered, you undertake to accept the terms and conditions of travel. This includes sanctions which would be applied if the required standards of behaviour are not met. Parents need to be aware that if their child causes any damage or does not meet the required standard of behaviour on the bus they could:

- Be suspended from the bus for a period of time or permanently.
- Be prosecuted by the police.
- Be required to pay for any damage caused.
- Face sanctions under the Behaviour for Learning system in school.