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Redford Union Schools Transportation Department Eligibility Criteria for District Transportation

The Redford Union Schools Transportation Department determines eligibility for student transportation using several criteria as outlined below. The initial basis for determination will be made on each student's legal District address of record. Please understand that the State of Michigan does not require school Districts to transport regular education students.

1. Boundaries
 - Pre-K & Kindergarten students determined to live more than one (1) mile from their school building will receive District transportation
 - First through Twelfth grade students determined to live one and one-half (1.5) miles or more from their school building will receive District transportation
2. Students with a physical condition (permanent or temporary) determined and documented by a physician which prevents that student from walking to school will receive District transportation. Evaluation for transportation eligibility is done on a yearly basis.
3. Students in receipt of a current I.E.P.T. (Individual Education Placement Team) will receive District transportation accordingly. Please understand that Special Education students are not automatically eligible for transportation.
4. Students whose residence is determined, by Department definition, to be within route of hazardous conditions or unsafe crossing zones.

Bus stop locations are established in consideration of District routing needs and are set and subject according to State laws.

Please understand that, under some conditions, students enrolled in Kindergarten through Fifth (5th) Grade may be expected to walk or self-transport up to one quarter (1/4) mile to reach their established bus stop. Students enrolled in sixth (6th) through twelfth (12th) grade may be expected to walk or self-transport up to one-half (1/2) mile to reach their established bus stop.

Bus stop changes – written request

Any student/family may appeal their Transportation Eligibility by requesting a hearing. A written request for appeal must be sent to: Mr. Chuck Martin, Supervisor of Transportation
15111 Garfield, Redford, MI 48239.