## **Bus Safety**

Greenwood Community School Corporation owns and operates approximately 40 buses, running 160 routes to and from schools daily. Extra-curricular activities are in addition to our daily transport needs. Drivers must be focused on the job at hand and that's to transport our students to and from safely.

The following rules must be observed and obeyed by all:

Observe classroom conduct Be courteous, use no profane language Do not eat or drink on the bus Keep the bus clean Cooperate with the driver Do not smoke Do not damage bus or equipment Stay in your seat Keep head, hands, and feet inside the bus Do not fight, push, or shove Do not tamper with bus equipment Do not bring any pets on the bus Do not bring flammable material on bus The bus driver is authorized to assign seats The driver and school administrators will manage bus disciplinary action Have a safe trip!

## **Waiting For The Bus**

Students must be at the bus stop 5 minutes prior to scheduled pick-up time. Buses will not wait for tardy students nor will buses return for tardy students. Parents need to have a back-up plan in the event their child misses the school bus.

Parents and students are responsible for conduct at the bus stop, from home to the bus stop, and from the bus stop to home. Students are considered under school authority when the bus driver arrives at the bus stop.

Students must stay back at least 10 feet from the edge of the roadway and clear of all traffic. Do not push, shove, fight, or play while in line. Wait until the bus has come to a complete stop and the door has opened before moving toward the bus entrance.

Students that must cross the road need to wait until the driver signals them to cross. Students may cross only in front of the bus and no other location.