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**BUS AND TRANSPORTATION RULES – PLEASE READ CAREFULLY-
RECENT ADDITIONS HAVE BEEN MADE TO THIS FORM**

Dear Parent or Guardian,

At Round Top-Carmine ISD we try to make our bus routes (regular and extracurricular) as safe as possible. The conduct of the students on the bus is vital to the safety of all. Riding the bus is a privilege and students are expected to follow the rules. Those students who choose not to follow the rules will be suspended from this opportunity. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Please find below a list of the rules for bus transportation. We ask that you review these with your children, sign, date, and return to your homeroom teacher on the elementary campus or Mrs. Hardaway on the high school campus.

- Observe the student code of conduct.
- Be courteous; use no profane or disruptive language.
- Do not eat or drink on the bus.
- Respect the driver and school property.
- Do not use alcohol, tobacco, or drugs.
- Stay in your seat.
- Keep head, hands, and feet inside the bus.
- Bus driver may assign seats and students are required to stay in their seats as assigned.
- Video cameras are used on buses to help monitor student behavior.
- Any student, who will be getting off at a stop other than their own, must provide a signed note, initialed by the principal or her designee, to the bus driver.
- Arrangements for your child’s afternoon transportation should be made before they come to school. Do not call the school to change or arrange for afternoon transportation changes unless there is an emergency. This is for your child’s safety.
- If an emergency arises, be sure to call the school before 2:15 to change your child’s transportation arrangements.
- **Bus changes will not be made to accommodate social events such as birthday parties.**
- Bus drivers can only stop at established stops on their route.

I have read and understand the rules of riding the bus.

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date