

**STUDENT TRANSPORTATION IN PRIVATE VEHICLES**

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who seek permission for their son/daughter to provide their own transportation to other Board approved school, District sponsored activities, or program sites shall file their request, in writing, with the Superintendent stating, specifically, the nature of their request. Completely filling out the form below fulfills this requirement.

\_\_\_\_\_ is requesting permission for their \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Name Son/Daughter Name

to self-transport to and/or from the following activity: \_\_\_\_\_

Furthermore, I affirm and verify that:

- The vehicle to be used is equipped with seatbelts that are operable and in good repair. Seatbelts shall be used at all times when the vehicle is in operation.
- The vehicle shall be generally in good condition, particularly as it pertains to safety equipment such as brakes, horn, tires, lights, etc.
- Vehicle and driver shall be insured and proof of insurance, along with a valid Michigan Driver’s License, shall be presented prior to permission being given for student self-transport.
- No other student “passengers” may be carried by the student under this policy and these rules without specific permission of the Superintendent. Students found to be transporting other students, without having permission to do so, will have their permission for self-transportation revoked immediately.
- The student shall maintain a driving record free of violations or infractions of the Michigan Vehicle Code. Violations such as tickets for speeding, reckless or careless driving, driving while intoxicated or the like, shall result in immediate suspension of the permission to self-transport.
- The Board of Education shall be held harmless from any claims, suits, liabilities, causes of action or responsibility for any type for any accidents, injuries or death connected with the permission for student self-transport, it being specifically understood that the parent(s)/guardian(s) and student involved assume total and complete responsibility for all liabilities connected to the permission for student self-transport.

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I have read the information above and understand all the requests and requirements expected of me under this policy, Student Transportation In Private Vehicles, for the Public Schools of Petoskey.

Student’s driver’s license number is \_\_\_\_\_ Student’s date of birth is \_\_\_\_\_

My auto insurance company is \_\_\_\_\_ My policy number is \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Student Signature

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Parent/Guardian Print Name

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Student Print Name

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