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## Student Transportation

- I. District transportation for students is defined as: School Bus Transportation and Spokane Transit Authority (STA) bus pass.
  
- II. School Bus Transportation: School bus transportation will be provided to students residing in the district and enrolled in district schools who:
  1. Live in a school geographic attendance area and reside one radius mile or more from the school as calculated on a straight line from the street address of the school to the street address of the student's home and not by walking or traveling distance;
  2. Live within one radius mile of the school if the transportation supervisor determines that there is no reasonable walkway to school;
  3. Live within one radius mile of the school and who have a disability, who are not ambulatory and/or who are not capable of protecting their own welfare while traveling to and/or from the school or agency where special education services are provided;
  4. Are assigned to a school outside of the school geographic attendance area in which the student resides for the purpose of equalizing class loads or optimizing facility utilization;
  5. Choice into a school outside of the school geographic attendance area in which the student resides per Procedure 3131 and use an existing bus stop for the school if there is sufficient bus capacity to accommodate the student (bussing for early or late activities shall not be provided);
  6. Are accepted into a school or program outside of the school geographic attendance area in which the student resides when the number of confirmed bus riders is sufficient to provide a bus route funded by the state's student transportation operations allocation (bussing for early or late activities shall not be provided);
  
- III. Spokane Transit Authority (STA) Bus Pass: STA bus passes will be provided for students to attend a school outside of the school geographic attendance area in which the student resides, consistent with Procedure 6600, when school bus transportation is not provided.

The superintendent shall prepare procedures to implement this policy.

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