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Transportation - General		Date June 2002 Revised April 20, 2010
Statement	<p>The Sudbury Student Services Consortium administers student transportation on behalf of the Rainbow District School Board, le <i>Conseil scolaire catholique du Nouvel-Ontario</i>, le Sudbury Catholic District School Board, le <i>Conseil scolaire public du Grand Nord de l'Ontario</i>.</p> <p>The Sudbury Student Services Consortium is governed by a board of directors, which is composed of the Superintendents of Business and Finance of the above-mentioned school boards.</p>	
Board's Responsibility to Provide Transportation	<p>Transportation to and from school is the responsibility of the students and their parents or guardians.</p> <p>The <i>Education Act</i> states that "a board may provide for a pupil who is enrolled in a school that the board operates, transportation to and from the school that the pupil attends."</p> <p>School transportation services are a privilege, not a right, and can be withdrawn if the rules are not followed.</p> <p>The Sudbury Student Services Consortium has established policies and procedures to ensure that school transportation services are at all times reliable, equitable and safe.</p>	

Student Safety	The Sudbury Student Services Consortium considers the safety of students to be of paramount importance and takes all reasonable precautions to ensure that all aspects of the transportation system comply with the relevant laws, regulations and safety standards. The Sudbury Student Services Consortium Cooperates with provincial and local police services and the Ministry of Transportation on all matters related to school bus safety.
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