

School District of Mosinee

Parent-Pay Bus Transportation Application

Wisconsin Statute 121.545 provides that the parent or guardian of a pupil who attends a public or private school and who is not required to be transported under S.121.54 may contract with the School Board of the district for transportation under this section. The School Board may provide transportation under this section if requested to do so and if the parent or guardian agrees to pay to the Board a fee sufficient to reimburse the Board for the costs incurred in providing such transportation. No state aid shall be provided to the district for transportation under this section. The School District of Mosinee shall charge \$248.00 per year (\$124.00 per semester) per household for transporting student(s) to and from school. This charge is based 67% of the transportation cost found in the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction tuition calculation worksheet and is to be recalculated annually. For families who qualify for free or reduced meals, the cost of this service will be reduced by 50%. The guidelines are as follows:

1. Application forms will be available in all school buildings and at the transportation office for Lamers Bus Lines, Inc. Parent-pay bus passengers will be required to abide by the same Bus Rules and Regulations as qualified bus passengers. No applications from current students will be accepted during a semester unless the student's place of residence moved or their babysitter changed during that semester.
2. Payment must be received with the application. Checks are to be made payable to the School District of Mosinee. Payments for the first semester will need to be made prior to August 10th, and for the second semester payment is due by January 1st. Payments for new enrollees or move-ins will be calculated assuming 90 days per semester. Refunds will be made available to parents who no longer desire this service upon parent request, based on the number of school days remaining in the semester prorated over a 90-day semester.
3. No buses will be added to accommodate students who are provided transportation under this policy. Transportation requests under this policy will be considered in the order they are received.
4. If the district is required to add pupils to buses beyond the prescribed vehicle capacity, contracts granted under this policy will be revoked on a "last approved - first revoked" basis with an appropriate refund of fees to the parent or guardian of the affected pupil(s) until the prescribed capacity is reached. Parent-pay bus transportation is provided on a space available basis.
5. Pay passengers will be entitled to pickup and drop-off as close as possible to their babysitters or their place of residence.

Parent _____ Phone _____
Address _____
Student(s) _____
Grade(s) _____ School(s) _____

Parent Signature _____