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2025–2026 School Year

Student Name: _____

Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Contact Number: _____

Bus Safety & Behavior Rules

To ensure a safe and respectful environment for all riders, students must follow these rules at all times:

Before Boarding

- Arrive at the bus stop at least 15 minutes early. To keep the schedule tight, we try and avoid waiting for students in the mornings and stick to the schedule as closely as possible.
- Wait in a safe, orderly manner away from traffic.
- Respect the property and space of others at the stop.

While on the Bus

- Follow the driver's instructions at all times.
- Remain seated and facing forward while the bus is moving.
- Keep hands, feet, and belongings to yourself.
- Use quiet voices—no yelling, profanity, or disruptive behavior.
- No eating, drinking, or gum on the bus.
- Keep aisles clear of bags and personal items.
- Electronic devices must be used with headphones and at a low volume.

After Exiting

- Exit the bus calmly and safely.
- If crossing the street, wait for the driver's signal and cross in front of the bus.
- Leave the bus stop area promptly and respectfully
- We do require a parent to sign out the student each day from the bus. They will need to come up to the bus and get their student. We will not leave a student at a drop-off without a parent present to pick them up.



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Consequences for Misconduct

Violations of bus rules may result in:

- Verbal warning
- Parent/guardian contact
- Assigned seat
- Temporary or permanent suspension from the bus and/or school

Acknowledgment

By signing below, we acknowledge that we have read, understood, and agree to follow the Oglethorpe Charter School Bus Rider Contract.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____