

### **R 12-2-3 Parental Responsibility**

*SBP 4336 – West Virginia School Bus Transportation Policy and Procedures Manual* states that the parents of children who receive transportation services from the Preston County Board of Education shall:

- ❖ Provide written guidance regarding any special care a student may need while riding the bus; and
- ❖ Provide supervision at all bus stops until the bus arrives for both pickup and delivery.

The Board strongly suggests that parents/guardians of young children be at the bus stop for pickup and delivery of their child. Parents are also expected to assist in resolving disciplinary issues that arise concerning their children.

Parents/guardians shall be required to provide transportation for their children in the event they are excluded or suspended from riding the bus for a period of time or if their busing privileges are permanently revoked.

**Because of the Transportation Department's accountability for the safety of the students who ride county buses, the transportation department and its bus drivers will only pick up and return students to their designated bus stop (as identified on the bus driver's schedule) daily. Students and parents may not use the county bus system to transport a student from one school attendance area to another for personal reasons.**