

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

POLICY 513 - Appendix C

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APPENDIX C

DRIVER'S LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

Large Bus (25 passengers or more)

To drive a bus with a capacity of 25 or more passengers, a person must have a valid Class 2 license. In order to have a class 2 license a person must pass a medical examination and a vision screening test, pass required written tests (basic, signs and supplementary) and pass a road test in a vehicle that meets the Class 2 requirements.

Small Bus (10 to 24 passengers)

To drive a bus with a capacity of less than 25 passengers, a person must have a valid Class 4 driver's license. In order to have a Class 4 license a person must pass a medical examination and a vision screening test, pass required written tests (basic and signs) and pass a road test in a vehicle which meets the Class 4 requirements.

Passenger Cars or Vans

To drive a passenger cars or a small van (i.e., with a capacity for fewer than nine passengers), a person must have a valid Class 5 driver's license.

Note:

- To drive a school bus, the driver must have a B or C endorsement, be at least 21 years of age, and be retested every 2 years.
- For a valid class 2 or 4 the applicant must be least 18 years of age, however when transporting students to and from an off-site related-school activity the driver must be at least 21 years of age.