

Downey Unified School District

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

TRANSPORTATION - CHARTER BUSES

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The school principal, with the authorization of the Superintendent, may charter a bus or buses to transport students, teachers, and chaperones to and from student activities outside the District.

All student activity charter buses will be chartered by or through the Director, Maintenance, Operations, and Transportation, in conformance with the following regulations:

1. Buses shall be chartered only from persons or companies who have on file with the District a current certification that they maintain a terminal rating of A or B, and that they will comply with all federal, state, and local laws pertaining to student transportation.
2. The Transportation Supervisor shall check each chartered bus and the driver's license and log prior to beginning the trip to ascertain that the bus and the driver are in full compliance with all rules, regulations, and laws pertaining to student activity transportation.

All charter bus costs, fees, and rentals shall be borne by the requesting school unless otherwise approved by the Superintendent.