

# Hardy County Schools Transportation Rules

Per the West Virginia Board of Education Legislative Rule: POLICY 4336:

12.4. Additional Procedures for Students Who Must Cross the Roadway.

12.4.a. If a student or students must cross the roadway, they shall follow these procedures:

12.4.a.1. students shall walk approximately ten feet away from the side of the bus to a position where the operator can see them.

12.4.a.2. students shall walk to a location at least ten feet in front of the right corner of the bumper, but still remaining away from the front of the bus.

12.4.a.3. students shall stop at the right edge of the roadway. The operator should be able to see the student's feet.

12.4.a.4. when students reach the edge of the roadway, they shall:

12.4.a.4.A. stop and look in all directions, making sure the roadway is clear and safe.

12.4.a.4.B. check to see if the red flashing lights on the bus are still flashing.

12.4.a.4.C. wait for the operator's signal before crossing the roadway. The signal shall

consist of the "thumbs up" method. External PA shall be an acceptable alternative.

12.4.a.4.D. upon the operator's signal, cross far enough in front of the bus to be in view

of the operator.

12.4.a.4.E. stop at the left edge of the bus stop and look again for the operator's signal

to continue to cross the roadway.

12.4.a.5.F. look for traffic in both directions, making sure roadway is clear.

12.4.a.6.G. students shall proceed across the roadway, continuing to look in all directions.