CEVSD
Policy for the
Transportation of
Homeless Students

- Transportation of homeless students will be provided in a safe and timely manner.
- If a student attends a school of origin, but resides in CEVSD, both districts will share the cost and responsibility of transportation.
- If a family finds permanent housing during the school year, a student attending CEVSD will still be eligible for transportation services to and from the school he or she is attending for the remainder of the school year.
- The Homeless Liaison for the district will inform parents/guardians of homeless children about all transportation services and options available to them.
- CEVSD will provide transportation for any homeless student during the dispute process until a resolution can be reached.
- CEVSD will provide transportation to all extracurricular activities for students who are homeless.
• CEVSD will provide, arrange and fund transportation for homeless students using one of the following means:
  1. Regular Bussing
  2. Handicap-Accessible Bussing (for students with disabilities who require specialized transportation)
  3. District Van
  4. Compensation to Parents who opt to drive students to and from a Local Education Agency (LEA or school of origin).
• CEVSD will provide transportation to Preschool students who are homeless.
• All district personnel involved in the transportation of homeless students (bus/van drivers, transportation coordinator, and bus/van aides) will be familiar with the McKinney-Vento Act, know how to identify homeless students and will be made aware of the steps to take to notify the district homeless liaison regarding suspected homeless children.