

SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENT TRANSPORTATION

If appropriate bus service is not provided by a school district, the parents or guardians of any child in need of special education or special education and related services, when legally assigned, are eligible for necessary transportation compensation for their child, as provided in 13-30-3 or as determined by the placement committee.

In lieu of compensation for mileage, the district may pay the actual cost of transportation by common carrier or of bus service provided by contract with the facility in which the child is enrolled. The district wherein a child in need of special education or special education and related services has school residence shall pay the transportation expenses from the district's special education fund.

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