

Sulphur Springs Independent School District

Transportation Department

Band Instruments Transported on Route Buses

Rider safety in case of emergency is the highest priority.

Band instruments may be transported on route buses with the following exceptions/provisions:

Instruments too large to be transported safely and are not permitted on route buses include: drums, tubas, string bases, and cellos.

Larger instruments must be positioned inside a seat, against a window. Room must be present for at least two students to sit per seat. When three students per seat is required, instruments will have to be carried in student's lap.

Smaller instruments must be carried in the rider's lap.

Emergency exits cannot be blocked.

Any questions concerning band instruments on buses, will be directed to the Director of Transportation.