

Maria Montessori Charter Academy

Agreement to Transport Students Under Education Code Section 35330

Dear MMCA Parents,

Please complete, sign, date, and return this agreement to the school office. The agreement must be completed for each school year. It requires, in part, that you have automobile insurance coverage in the stated amounts and a valid driver's license with no pending action to suspend or revoke. It also stipulates that you will be transporting students under Education Code 35330 (a complete copy is available from the school office), which in summary says that you, not the school, will be responsible for your transportation and insurance expenses, and that you, not the school, will be liable in the unlikely event of an accident caused by your own negligence.

I am a parent/guardian of a student of MMCA. I am willing to transport students in my privately owned vehicle to and from school activities off campus on the following terms:

1. I currently have and will continue to maintain liability insurance coverage on the vehicle used to transport MMCA students in the amount of not less than \$100,000 per individual, 300,000 total injury to persons, and 50,000 damage to property per accident. My insurance is with _____, Policy Number _____.
2. I currently have a valid California Driver's license (Number _____) which expires on _____. I will immediately inform MMCA if my Driver's License has been, or is in danger of being suspended or revoked. I have attached a copy of my driver's license.
3. I understand that I will be transporting students under Education Code 35330.
4. I have attached a signed Department of Motor Vehicle printout of my driving record.
5. Car seats are required for all students under 6 years of age and 60 pounds. (to be provided by parent)
6. I will follow all speed limits and traffic regulations.
7. I will drive directly to and from the destinations (no detours or stops).
8. I will follow the path designated by the teacher and will make every reasonable effort to stay between the lead and rear vehicles.
9. I will have adequate fuel for the trip prior to leaving with students.
10. No siblings.
11. I will not under any circumstance provide the students with snacks or beverages.
12. Teacher will make car assignments.
13. I will not conduct personal or business cell phone calls for the duration of the field trip.
14. I will make every effort to avoid cancelling on the day of the trip.

I have read the above policy and agree to follow it. I understand that if I do not follow these rules, I may not be eligible to drive on future field trips.

___ I will drive on MMCA field trips and will be responsible for turning in all appropriate paper work.

___ I do not intend to drive on any MMCA field trips. Should I change my mind, I will be responsible for turning in all appropriate paperwork.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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