

## SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.10 (ARROW LAKES)

Protocol 680.3 – Student Transportation – Transportation Assistance

- 1.1 To apply for transportation assistance, the student's parent or quardian must submit a Transportation Assistance Application form to their school <u>each school year</u>.
- 1.2 To qualify for transportation assistance:
  - 1.2.1 A student must live within the boundaries of the District.
  - 1.2.2 The distance from the student's home to the closer of their catchment school or the nearest bus stop on a route to their catchment school exceeds a "walk limit" as specified in section 1.4.2 below.
- 1.3 Full responsibility for safe transportation of the student to and from school, and having the appropriate insurance coverage, rests with the student's parent or guardian.
- 1.4 The amount of transportation assistance is calculated as follows:

## Trip Kilometres (Transportation Distance - Walk Limit) x Trips (4) x Daily Kilometre Rate x Number of School Days

- The Trip Kilometres is the difference between the Transportation Distance 1.4.1 and the Walk Limit.
- 1.4.2 The Transportation Distance is the distance from the student's home to the closer of the student's catchment school or bus stop on a route to that school.
- The Walk Limit is 2.5 kilometres for Kindergarten to Grade 3 students and 3.0 kilometres for Grade 4-12 students.
- 1.4.4 There are four "Trips" per day: a trip each way in the morning and again in the afternoon.
- 1.4.5 The Daily Kilometer Rate is \$0.25 per kilometre for the 2023-2024 school year.
- 1.4.6 The Number of School Days is the number of days the student attended school and parent or quardian transportation was provided.
- 1.4.7 The maximum daily rate is \$25.00 per school day for the 2023-2024 school year.

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