

**P9-18-017 Reserved Use of Sedans, Minivans, and Non-Conforming Buses
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In addition to school buses, the Department of Pupil Transportation is authorized to use sedans and minivans to transport students to and from school or school-related activities when those vehicles provide a safe and efficient alternative to a school bus.

A “non-conforming bus” means any vehicle designed to carry more than 10 passengers that is used to transport students to or from school or school-related activities that does not meet the federal standards, 49 CFR Part 571, specific to school buses or multifunction school activity buses. These vehicles are not approved for transporting students to and from school or school-related activities, to include field and athletic trips.

**Refer to Policy P9-18-018, “Field Trips in Which School Buses Are Used”
Refer to Regulation R9-18-018, “Guidelines Pertaining to Field Trips in Which School Buses Are Used”**