

AP 307-3

Application for Use of Passive Restraint Device

In accordance with [Abbotsford School District Procedure AP 307](#), Transportation of Students to and From School, the Transportation Department and the Learning Support Services Department have identified the requirement for use of a passive restraint when transporting your child to and from school. Please complete the information required on page number two of this document and return this form to the Transportation Department.

School staff are to communicate with the Transportation Department if a different vest size is needed.

Expectations and Roles

Parents/Guardians	Bus Drivers	School Staff
Morning - Ensure that there is a responsible adult at home to do the following: - Put on the harness prior to leaving the house, making sure it is secured properly to the student (no loose-fitting straps). - Accompany the student onto the bus and secure the harness to <u>ALL</u> the seat mounts. Afternoon - Ensure that there is a responsible adult at home to board the bus to do the following: - Disconnect the student's harness from the seat mounts and accompany the student off the bus.	Morning - Pick up students from their place of residence and transport them to their school. Afternoon - Pick up students from school and transport them to their place of residence.	Morning - Greet the driver and students. - Disconnect the student's harness from the seat mounts and accompany the student from the bus. Afternoon - Put on the harness prior to the end of the school day, securing it properly to the student (no loose-fitting straps). - Accompany the student onto the bus and secure the harness to <u>ALL</u> the seat mounts.

Support video for putting on and taking off a harness & securing harness to seat mounts

[Putting on/off harness](#)

[Securing harness to seat mounts](#)

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I/We _____, the legal parent(s)/guardian(s)
(Parent/Guardian)

of _____ grant authority to the Abbotsford School District to
(Student Name)

have my (our) child transported to and from _____ by school bus while
(School Name)

using a passive-restraint device, as identified below.

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Lap Belt

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Large waist belt with rear buckles

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4-way harness

Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian

Date

Date

Approved By:
Transportation Manager

Approved By:
Director of Learning Support Services (Or designate)

Date

Date