

## Transporting Students with Disabilities & Special Needs Conference and Trade Show

### 24<sup>th</sup> - 2023 TSD Roadeo Knowledge Test

This is an open book test to be completed by the team members who are entered in the 2023 Roadeo competition. The purpose of this test is to measure and increase your knowledge of transporting students with disabilities and preschoolers. As you consult the written resources and the websites that this document recommends as sources for answers to the test questions, you will learn more about the issues, solutions, organizations, government entities, and people involved in special needs transportation.

**This test consists of five (5) sections:**

- Section I:** Five multiple-choice questions worth 25 points
- Section II:** Ten true/false questions worth 10 points
- Section III:** Five matching questions worth 25 points
- Section IV:** Five fill in the blank questions worth 25 points
- Section V:** One essay question worth 25 points\*

*\*There are two essay questions; please choose only **one** of the two essay questions and respond using between 100 and 200 words (use attached form and/or additional page may be attached)*

**THE HIGHEST SCORE POSSIBLE ON THE TEST IS A TOTAL OF 100 POINTS.**

**IMPORTANT:** You are required to **bring a copy** of this completed test with you and turn it in at the on-site Roadeo Registration Desk at the Embassy Suites Dallas-Frisco Hotel, Convention Center and Spa, 7600 John Q. Hammons Drive, Frisco, Texas 75034. Please keep a copy for yourself. Make sure that team member names are entered on page 2 as well as signatures on essay page before handing in this test packet.



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*\*The following resources may assist, but are not limited to sources for use in the completion of this test*

**Suggested Written Recommended Resource Documents**

National School Transportation Specifications & Procedures (2015) Document  
NHTSA Child Passenger Safety Restraint Systems on School Buses National Training Student Manual (March 2008)

**Website Recommended Resources**

15<sup>th</sup> National Congress on School Transportation (NCST) [www.ncstonline.org](http://www.ncstonline.org)  
National Education Association (NEA) [www.nea.org](http://www.nea.org)  
US Department of Education [www.ed.gov](http://www.ed.gov)  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov>  
National School Transportation Association [www.yellowbuses.org](http://www.yellowbuses.org)  
Pupil Transportation Safety Institute (PTSI) [www.ptsi.org](http://www.ptsi.org)  
School Transportation News [www.stnonline.com/](http://www.stnonline.com/)  
The National Association of State Directors of Pupil Transportation Services (NASDPTS) [www.nasdpts.org](http://www.nasdpts.org)

**Team members completing this test:**

**(Please print your first and last name and complete the information below)**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

School District/Bus Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION I

**Multiple-Choice: Please circle the correct response (a, b, c, or d)**

- 1. The next National Congress on School Transportation (NCST) will take place:**
  - a. In 2024 in Warrensburg, Missouri
  - b. In Des Moines, Iowa in 2025
  - c. Five years from now
  - d. It is still undecided
- 2. When loading students in wheelchairs:**
  - a. The brakes on the wheelchair should be locked
  - b. There should be on-going communication with the passenger
  - c. There should be a driver and/or attendant within close proximity at all times
  - d. All of the above
- 3. The Least Restrictive Environment (LRE) means:**
  - a. Students with disabilities should always be on a school bus with their non-disabled peers
  - b. All students should be given the choice to be in the classroom in which they feel most free
  - c. A student's progress should be monitored to ensure their goals are being met in the best and least restrictive setting for them
  - d. Additional resources will always be necessary
- 4. The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)**
  - a. Was reauthorized in 2004
  - b. Requires school bus drivers to speak sign language if a child is hearing impaired
  - c. States that school transportation is always a required related service
  - d. Requires school transportation personnel be at every IEP meeting
- 5. When evacuating a school bus with students with disabilities**
  - a. Calling for help should be the driver's first priority
  - b. Students should be evacuated at least 10 feet away from the bus
  - c. A driver must have a practiced plan and be first concerned about the safety of passengers
  - d. All of the above

**SECTION II**

**Write the word True or False on the line provided after each question**

6. **With certain equipment, it is ok to stand on a wheelchair lift**  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. **Warm water is sufficient for cleaning up body fluids**  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. **IDEA requires school bus drivers be trained regarding students w/disabilities** \_\_\_\_\_
9. **The shoulder belt portion in a wheelchair securement system is always required**  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. **A Car Seat is considered a Child Safety Restraint System (CSRS)**  
\_\_\_\_\_
11. **HIPAA addresses security and privacy of health data**  
\_\_\_\_\_
12. **The American Psychiatric Association now groups all autism disorders as ASD**  
\_\_\_\_\_
13. **Air Conditioning or “Climate Control” is an IEP team decision and not IDEA**  
\_\_\_\_\_
14. **A child who is under the age of 4 is usually transported as part of Head Start**  
\_\_\_\_\_
15. **In order to compete in the TSD Special Needs Roadeo one needs to qualify first**  
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**SECTION III**

**Matching questions: select the correct answer in the right column & write the letter in the left box**

<b>16. FMVSS 208</b>	<b>A. IDEA Part B</b>
<b>17. Services for School Aged Children</b>	<b>B. School Bus Rear View Mirrors</b>
<b>18. AAP</b>	<b>C. 49 CFR § 571.131</b>
<b>19. School Bus Pedestrian Safety Device</b>	<b>D. American Academy of Pediatrics</b>
<b>20. FMVSS 111</b>	<b>E. Occupant Crash Protection</b>

**SECTION IV**

**Fill in the blank for questions 21-25**

**21. The two types of communication programs for students who are hearing impaired are: \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.**

**22. An electric school bus has \_\_\_\_\_ emissions.**

**23. Each year School Transportation News (STN) awards this prestigious honor \_\_\_\_\_**

**24. A student with a disability can be removed from the school bus and/or school for behavioral reasons for no more than \_\_\_\_\_**

**25. Working with these specialists is critical when addressing a student's physical mobility and/or proper occupant securement and positioning needs: \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.**







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Signatures:

Driver: \_\_\_\_\_ Attendant: \_\_\_\_\_

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