

2025-26 Field Trip Chaperone Guidelines

Thank you for taking the time out of your busy schedules to drive our students to and from a field trip. Field trips are an important part of a well-rounded educational experience. SSCS believes there is so much to be learned outside of the walls of the classroom.

We want to ensure that all of our students have a similar field trip experience no matter which vehicle they ride. With that said, below are some “do’s and don’ts” for chaperoning an SSCS field trip.

Also, each chaperone will need to complete a “Chaperone Policy Agreement” prior to each field trip”. The teacher will send this to you prior to the field trip. We want everyone to have a safe, fun field trip and the agreement makes sure that everyone is on the same page.

DO:

1. Get to know the students in your car.
2. Ensure every passenger is safe by wearing a seatbelt and car seat/booster if required. (Double buckling is not allowed.)
3. Play Christian or Classical music only in the car.
4. Actively participate and engage with the children in the activities of the field trip.
5. Drive only the students you are assigned to and from the field trip.
6. Have fun!

DON'T:

1. Don't show movies in the car.
2. Don't make any unscheduled stops unless authorized by the teacher in charge of the field trip.
3. Don't purchase anything for the students (gifts, drinks, snacks, etc...) without permission from the teacher in charge of the field trip. We want to make sure that all students have the same field trip experience.