Every Student Succeeds Act: Foster Care Transportation

October 2016
Plan for how transportation will be provided, arranged and funded for the duration of the time in foster care.

Children who are eligible under Title IV-E can be eligible to have a portion of transportation costs drawn down.
Ensure all children promptly receive transportation in a cost-effective manner.
Prioritize the child’s educational stability.

Ensure transportation is provided through the end of the school year.
If there are additional costs incurred in providing transportation to the school of origin, the school district will provide such transportation if:

The local child protection agency agrees to reimburse the district for the cost of such transportation.
If there are additional costs incurred in providing transportation to the school of origin, the school district will provide such transportation if:

The district agrees to pay for the cost; or
If there are additional costs incurred in providing transportation to the school of origin, the school district will provide such transportation if:

The district and local child protection agency agree to share the cost.
District must provide transportation to and from the school while any disputes are being resolved.
Dec. 10 Effective Date
• Overview of foster care provisions
• Educational stability for foster youth
• Information about the district point of contact
• Local collaboration