

# **SCHOOL BUS DRIVER TRAINING AUDIO-VISUAL DIRECTORY**

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### **ACTIVITY TRIPS**

**\*\* T157 – SAFE DRIVING – A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER’S SERIES III – JJ Keller -2008  
- DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, trainers

**Overview** –3 part:

**Driving Techniques** – Provides practical driving information and emphasizes safety skills for railroad crossings, turning, merging, intersections, and backing.

**City Driving** – Gives sound strategies for driving in urban areas and explores trip plans, hazard perception, speed and space management and staying calm.

**Emergency Maneuvers** – Demonstrates strategies for handling a variety of emergency situations, such as tire blowouts and brake failure.

\*\* T94 – CITY DRIVING/COUNTRY DRIVING – 18:55 minutes (1996) – Dick Fischer's Series

**Audience** - Drivers, trainers

**Overview** - This program covers the different driving skills required for driving in urban, suburban and rural areas and along the roads and streets that connect these areas.

T99 – DRIVING THE ACTIVITY BUS – 14 minutes (1989) – AMS Distributors

**Audience** - Drivers, trainers

**Overview** - Tips and procedures for driving an activity bus in and outside your district.

### **ADVERSE WEATHER DRIVING**

\*\* T152 – WINTER DRIVING SAFETY FOR SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS – 20 minutes (2009) – Video Communications - DVD

**Audience** - Drivers, trainers

**Overview** - Topics covered include; proper spacing on an icy road, special awareness of changing conditions, how and when to chain up, insuring you have proper PPE on your bus, how to handle skidding.

\*\* T153 – DRIVING A SCHOOL BUS IN FOG, WIND, & RAIN – 25 minutes (2011) – Video Communications - DVD

**Audience** - Drivers, trainers

**Overview** - Topics include; the importance of pre-trip inspections, driving in dense fog, dangers of heavy rain, controlling a bus in high winds, safe driving speeds based on road concerns, and additional weather related safety concerns.

T13 - EXTREME DRIVING CONDITIONS - 15 minutes (1987) - J.J. Keller

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - This video demonstrates driving techniques to be used under extreme conditions such as skidding, mountain, and fog.

T48 - WATER SKIING ON 4 WHEELS - 12 minutes - AAA

**Audience** - General drivers

**Overview** - Describes how tire tread and other factors affect traction and hydroplaning. Ways to reduce these problems are demonstrated.

T49 - WINTER AND ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS - 13 minutes – Minnesota - DVD

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - Designed to prepare both beginning and veteran school bus drivers to develop skills needed to safely drive in winter and adverse weather conditions.

**T62 - SCHOOL BUS DRIVING, CONTROLLING SKIDS - 15 minutes - AIMS Media**

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - Techniques for handling front and rear wheel skids, all wheel skids, power skids, spinouts, and hydroplaning are carefully demonstrated.

**T69 - WINTER DRIVING TACTICS - 14 minutes (1985) - AIMS Media**

**Audience** - General drivers and staff

**Overview** - Techniques for handling skids, using snow tires, developing the proper attitude, adjusting driving habits, and being prepared for the special problems of driving on snow and ice are demonstrated. Winter driving experts from the Anchorage, Alaska, Police Department are used.

**T108 – HIGHWAY TO THE WINTER ZONE – 9 minutes (1997)– Video Media Group and CDOT**

**Audience** - General driver

**Overview** - This is an upbeat educational video that provides motorists with a battle plan for winter driving that includes sharing the road with snowplow drivers, preparing for a winter road trip, and packing a winter survival kit.

**T127 – SEVEN MINUTE SOLUTIONS – EXTREME WEATHER DRIVING – 7 minutes - J. J. Keller & Associates**

**Audience** - Professional drivers, truckers

**Overview** - Tips for handling a vehicle regarding Black Ice, Snow, Rain, Fog, and Fatigue Driving.

### **DOT REGULATIONS/LEGAL ISSUES**

**\*\* T77 – ALCOHOL & DRUG TESTING – DRIVER AWARENESS TRAINING – JJ Keller – (2006) - DVD**

**Audience** – CDL drivers

**Overview** – This program will help drivers understand the details of and what their rights and responsibilities are under the federally mandated drug and alcohol testing program. Completion of this program will meet the minimum federal requirement for driver training.

**\*\* T78 – A SUPERVISOR'S GUIDE TO REASONABLE SUSPICION TESTING – JJ Keller – (2006) - DVD**

**Audience** – Supervisors of CDL drivers

**Overview** – This program will help supervisors understand what reasonable suspicion is about, how to spot the tell-tale signs of alcohol misuse and drug use, and get potentially dangerous drivers off the road. Completion of this program will meet the minimum federal

requirement for supervisor training.

**\*\* T147 – MY OWN FOUR WALLS – (2009) – HEAR US Inc - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, anyone in contact with homeless children

**Overview** – A collection of documentaries featuring homeless children and teens from non-urban communities across the nation. These children tell their own stories.

**\*\* T144 – STEERING CLEAR OF LIABILITY: TRAINING FOR SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS – 17:30 minutes (2006) – Education Compliance - DVD**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and supervisors

**Overview** - This program makes clear to drivers how their single departure from regular procedure can lead to tragic results – even when students aren't on the bus. The training video depicts real-life situations that graphically demonstrate school bus drivers' role in preventing student behavior off the school bus that is predictable and dangerous.

**\*\* T145 – CONFIDENTIAL RECORDS: TRAINING FOR SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS – 16 minutes (1999) – Education Compliance - DVD**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and supervisors

**Overview** - School bus drivers often need access to confidential student information to do their jobs effectively. This includes health and medical needs of the riders on their bus. Both the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA") and the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act ("IDEA") require that school bus drivers first be trained about the use and misuse of such information.

**T53 - LEGAL ISSUES IN SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION - 57 minutes (1992) - Teaching Strategies, Inc.**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and supervisors

**Overview** - Designed to be an interactive tool to guide district administrative staff through a process reviewing the district's compliance with statues and liability concerns. We suggest using your district legal office with this program.

**T54 - TRANSPORTING STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES, LEGAL ISSUES - 46 minutes (1992) - Teaching Strategies**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and supervisors

**Overview** - Designed to be an interactive tool to guide district administrative staff through a review process of the district's program to transport students with disabilities.

**T63 - WHO'S LIABLE - 19 minutes - AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - Uses actual court cases to discuss the four conditions that have to be met to prove liability: duty, breach of duty, cause, and damage or injury. The program also covers the potential for personal fault or

liability on the part of the driver.

T125 – CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES & ALCOHOL TESTING – Part 382 – One hour  
25 minutes - J. J. Keller & Associates

Audience - Supervisors

Overview - Explains the DOT Regulations on Controlled Substances & Alcohol Testing

### *DRIVER IMPROVEMENT*

\*\* T156 – SAFE DRIVING – A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER’S SERIES II – JJ Keller -2008 -  
DVD

Audience – Drivers, staff, trainers

Overview –3 part:

Defensive Driving – Explains how to anticipate and prepare for common dangers, and how to maneuver safely around road hazards, other vehicles, and pedestrians.

Seeing Hazards – Helps sharpen the hazard perception skills needed to avoid dangerous situations. Includes information on overcoming visual restrictions and proper visual scanning.

Using Your Mirrors – Explains how to adjust mirrors for clear viewing and describes how to use mirrors during a variety of driving situations.

\*\* T139 – Driven to Extremes – 12 minutes – National Safety Council

Audience – Drivers, staff

Overview – Designed to help people recognize the symptoms of aggressive driving and identify ways to prevent road rage, since 1/3 of all accidents result from this behavior.

T8 - DRIVER AWARENESS - 35 minutes - AMS Distributors

Audience - Drivers, directors, and staff

Overview - Shows 35 different moving traffic scenes shown from the driver's seat. Following each scene, the viewer chooses whether the action taken was correct. At the end, all the scenes are reviewed and the correct response is explained.

T19 - HAZARD PERCEPTION - 14 minutes (1987) - J.J. Keller

Audience - Drivers, directors, staff, and truckers

Overview - Teaches drivers how to identify and avoid potential road hazards.

T23 - A MATTER OF TIME - 10 minutes (1991) - AMS Distributors (Combo with T27)

Audience - Drivers and directors

Overview - Different traffic scenes show what can happen if the driver is distracted for two seconds.

T55 - PRO DRIVING ATTITUDES - 16 minutes - AIMS Distributors

Audience - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - This program demonstrates four key attitudes characteristic of professionals.

**T73 – DISASTER DRILL PROGRAM FURNISHED BY THE CDE – 25 minutes – (1992)**

**Audience** - Drivers, supervisors

**Overview** - “Operation Banana” from Loveland, Colorado – Mock Disaster. This video talks about how to have a drill for a mock disaster and whom to contact.

**T110 – ABS & SIR: HOW THEY WORK FOR YOU – 28 minutes – GM Corp. (1995)**

**Audience** - General driver

**Overview** - Shows how the ABS brakes work and about 15 minutes on Air Bag Safety and what you need to know about Air Bags.

**T128 – SEVEN MINUTE SOLUTIONS – SPEED & SPACE MANAGEMENT – 7 minutes - J. J. Keller & Associates**

**Audience** - Professional driver, truckers

**Overview** - Tips for judging following distances, turns, and stopping distances.

**T130 – SEVEN MINUTE SOLUTIONS – SEEING HAZARDS – 7 minutes - J. J. Keller & Associates**

**Audience** - Professional driver, truckers

**Overview** - Using “Conversational Driving” to see and react properly to hazards.

**T131 – SEVEN MINUTE SOLUTIONS – NIGHT DRIVING - 7 minutes - J. J. Keller & Associates**

**Audience** - Professional driver, truckers

**Overview** - Tips on how to deal with night fatigue and how to adjust your lights for better visibility.

**T133 – ROAD RAGE – 13 minutes – J. J. Keller & Associates**

**Audience** - Professional driver, truckers

**Overview** - Tips on Anger Management – What to do when others show road rage and how to keep yourself from having road rage.

### **EMERGENCY PROCEDURES**

**\*\* T157 – SAFE DRIVING – A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER’S SERIES III – JJ Keller -2008 - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, trainers

**Overview** –3 part:

**Driving Techniques** – Provides practical driving information and emphasizes safety skills for railroad crossings, turning, merging, intersections, and backing.

**City Driving** – Gives sound strategies for driving in urban areas and explores trip plans, hazard perception, speed and space management and staying calm.

**Emergency Maneuvers** – Demonstrates strategies for handling a variety of emergency situations, such as tire blowouts and brake failure.

**\*\* T155 – SAFE DRIVING – A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER’S SERIES I – JJ Keller -2008 - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, trainers

**Overview** –3 part:

**Vehicle Inspections** – Demonstrates how to conduct a proper vehicle inspection and reduce the chance of a breakdown

**Passenger Safety** – Provides sound strategies for keeping passengers safe and maintaining order

**Accident Procedures** – Shows drivers what to do when a crash occurs, from safeguarding passengers to documentation

**\*\* T141 – THE SAFEST WAY OUT: EMERGENCY SCHOOL BUS EVACUATION (GENERAL VERSION) – 15 minutes (1997) – AAA**

**Audience** – Drivers and Staff

**Overview** – This program describes the techniques to safely evacuate a bus utilizing the different emergency exits.

**T9 - EMERGENCY EVACUATION DRILLS - 12 minutes (1989) - Minnesota**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and students

**Overview** - The purpose of this video tape is two-fold. It is designed to provide new and veteran drivers with the information needed to correctly perform emergency evacuation drills with different styles of school buses. It is also designed to be used in the student classroom to prepare students for the evacuation drills as well as to inform the school teaching staff how to supervise and monitor the evacuation drills.

### **FUNDAMENTAL BUS DRIVER TRAINING**

**\*\* T157 – SAFE DRIVING – A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER’S SERIES III – JJ Keller -2008 - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, trainers

**Overview** –3 part:

**Driving Techniques** – Provides practical driving information and emphasizes safety skills for railroad crossings, turning, merging, intersections, and backing.

**City Driving** – Gives sound strategies for driving in urban areas and explores trip plans, hazard perception, speed and space management and staying calm.

**Emergency Maneuvers** – Demonstrates strategies for handling a variety of emergency situations, such as tire blowouts and brake failure.

**\*\* T156 – SAFE DRIVING – A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER’S SERIES II – JJ Keller -2008 - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, trainers

**Overview** –3 part:

**Defensive Driving** – Explains how to anticipate and prepare for common dangers, and how to maneuver safely around road hazards, other vehicles, and pedestrians.

**Seeing Hazards** – Helps sharpen the hazard perception skills needed to avoid dangerous situations. Includes information on overcoming visual restrictions and proper visual scanning.

**Using Your Mirrors** – Explains how to adjust mirrors for clear viewing and describes how to use mirrors during a variety of driving situations.

**\*\* T151 – SAFE TURNING PROCEDURE FOR SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS - Video  
Communications – (2011) – 24 minutes - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, trainers

**Overview** – the importance of knowing how to safely and accurately make turns in a school bus is demonstrated in this program. Right and left turns are broken down into their component parts, so drivers will be able to visualize each part of a turn.

**\*\* T150 - TAIL SWING SAFETY FOR SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS – Video  
Communications – 16 minutes - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, trainers

**Overview** – This program demonstrates the amount and effects of tail swing by different sizes of school buses. Techniques on minimizing this program are discussed.

**\*\* T149 – BRAKES AND BRAKING – Dick Fischer – (2002) – 22 minutes - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, trainers

**Overview** – This program details how the different types of brake systems work and how to test air brakes and hydraulic brakes. The program also covers the effects of traction, resistance and braking time on stopping, and what to do in the event of brake failure.

**\*\* T92 – MIRRORS ON SCHOOL BUSES – Flemington Transportation – 20 minutes**

**Audience** – Drivers, trainers

**Overview** – Discusses the federal standard for school bus mirrors and different techniques to verify proper adjustment. Proper use of the mirrors for watching for children in the Danger Zone is also stressed.

**\*\* T146 – OUT OF SIGHT, OUT OF MIND – PTSI – 12:30 minutes (2007) - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers

**Overview** – Leaving children on a school bus happens much too often. To a child, it's traumatic – it can also be life threatening. This program dramatically shows what can happen when a driver makes that critical error in judgment and skips the post-trip inspection.

**\*\* T143 – SOMEONE WHO MAKES A DIFFERENCE: The Key Role of Bus Attendants  
– 16 minutes (2003) – PTSI**

**Audience** – Drivers, attendants and staff

**Overview** – This program discusses the impact a bus attendant may have on students from the point of view of a high school senior.

**\*\* T142 – IF BUSES COULD TALK: The Importance of Staff Morale – 18 minutes (2003) – PTSI**

**Audience** – Drivers and Staff

**Overview** – This humorous but thought-provoking video imagines what buses might say about their drivers if they could talk.

**T138 – WHY NOT YOU? – 13 minutes (1998) – Professional Video**

**Audience** – Prospective drivers

**Overview** – This program uses three actual driver cases to describe the benefits of becoming a school bus driver.

**T136 – ONE BUS STOP AT A TIME: THE MOMENT OF TRUTH – 25 minutes (1995) - PTSI**

**Audience** – Drivers

**Overview** - The loading and unloading of school buses is a critical part of your operation. This program provides an in-depth analysis of the "best practices" for school bus safety. It also stresses the importance of providing training and route information for substitute drivers. Packed with more detail on bus safety than any other video you can buy.

**T3 - BRAKING TECHNIQUES - 12 minutes (1989) - J.J. Keller**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, mechanics and truckers

**Overview** - Provides information on proper emergency braking techniques and other aspects of air brake systems.

**T74 – LOADING AND UNLOADING SAFETY – 10 minutes (1989) Albuquerque Public Schools – Department of Special Education Alternative Transportation**

**Audience** - Drivers

**Overview** - Rules and Regulations for loading and unloading school children at schools and on highways.

**T84 – SAFE AND SECURE TRANSPORTING PRESCHOOL CHILDREN – 10 minutes – Automotive Safety for Children**

**Audience** - Drivers of small vehicles

**Overview** - Child Care facilities using vans with seatbelts, car seats, and booster seats.

**T96 – REFERENCE POINT DRIVING – 32 minutes – AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Professional Driver

**Overview** - How to set your reference and pivot points; keys to help a driver to use mirrors and have control.

**T97 – 5 SEES OF DRIVING – 13 minutes – AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Professional driver

**Overview** - Common causes of accidents and the 5 "See's" for driving defensibly to counter accidents.

**T98 – LOADING AND UNLOADING – 13 minutes (1998) – AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Professional driver

**Overview** - Explains standard loading and unloading procedures. You will have to explain any differences for your district.

### **GENERAL DRIVING**

**T25 - MOUNTAIN DRIVING OVERVIEW - 15 minutes - People Prods. & Colorado Dept. of Education**

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - An overview of proper mountain driving tactics for Colorado school bus drivers

**T27 - NIGHT OPERATION - 15 minutes (1987) - J.J. Keller (Combo with T23)**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and supervisors

**Overview** - Shows drivers how to handle nighttime driving conditions including roadway, vehicle, and other driver considerations.

**T41 - SHARING THE ROAD WITH BIG TRUCKS - 18 minutes (1989) - Minnesota**

**Audience** - General drivers

**Overview** - Produced by the AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety in 1985; will assist in preparing both beginning and veteran school bus drivers to understand the unique characteristics of big trucks and how to safely share the road with them.

**T70 - CITY DRIVING TACTICS - 20 minutes - AIMS Media**

**Audience** - General drivers and staff

**Overview** - The program stresses the importance of being patient and alert behind the wheel, wary of potential hazards, and considerate of others in city driving.

**T95 – YOU AND YOUR BUS – A PERFECT FIT – 15 minutes – AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Drivers

**Overview** - Reviews depth perception, seat adjustments, and mirror adjustments.

**T109 – DRIVING A SCHOOL BUS WITH ABS – 4:26 minutes – International (1998)**

**Audience** - Professional drivers

**Overview** - Explains how to use ABS brakes while driving a school bus and how they work.

**T129 – SEVEN MINUTE SOLUTIONS – TRUCK FIRES – 7 minutes - J. J. Keller & Associates**

**Audience** - Professional drivers, truckers

**Overview** - Shows the use of Fire Extinguishers (Point, Aim, Sweep Side to Side) "PASS"

Also talks about cab, engine fires, and cargo fires.

### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

T61 - SLIPS, TRIPS AND FALLS - 16.5 minutes AIMS Media

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - Teaches drivers and supervisors how to eliminate the causes of falls and to cooperate in correcting or reporting potential hazards in the office, shop, or outside.

### **LAP BELTS FOR STUDENTS**

T40 – SEATBELTS ON SCHOOL BUSES – GOOD IDEA OR BAD – 14 minutes  
(1986) Pennsylvania School Bus Association

**Audience** - Drivers, parents

**Overview** - Utilization, safety, protection, and studies of seatbelts on school buses.

### **PARENT EDUCATION**

T67 - A SAFE BUS RIDE - IT ALL BEGINS WITH YOU - 15.5 minutes (1993) -  
AMS Distributors

**Audience** - Students (Pre-k - 3), parents

**Overview** - Involves parents in teaching the young rider the rules of safety, both on and off the bus. The children's version of this video is T66 "BUZZY'S SAFE RIDER RULES."

T89 – HANDLING THE PARENT CONTACT – 20 minutes – STS

**Audience** - Driver

**Overview** - The goal of this topic is to give some practical ideas for resolving disputes. Tips on how to make a parent an ally versus an enemy.

### **PRE-TRIP INSPECTIONS**

\*\* T155 – SAFE DRIVING – A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER'S SERIES I – JJ Keller -2008 -  
DVD

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, trainers

**Overview** –3 part:

**Vehicle Inspections** – Demonstrates how to conduct a proper vehicle inspection and reduce the chance of a breakdown

**Passenger Safety** – Provides sound strategies for keeping passengers safe and maintaining order

**Accident Procedures** – Shows drivers what to do when a crash occurs, from safeguarding passengers to documentation

T14 - FATAL STOP - 25 minutes - Visucom

**Audience** - Drivers, directors, parent teacher groups

**Overview** - Develop an awareness of why pre-trip inspections are required and the potential consequences of not doing a thorough pre-trip.

### **RAILROAD CROSSINGS**

\*\* T114 – OPERATION LIFESAVER SAFETY VIDEOS – Operation Lifesaver -2005

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, trainers

**Overview** – The DVD has eight different safety programs aimed at different users including school bus drivers. This is the latest program from Operation Lifesaver. The program DECIDE SMART, ARRIVE SAFE is the current training for school bus drivers. This is an excellent in-service program.

### **SPECIAL NEEDS**

\*\* T140 – THE SAFEST WAY OUT: EMERGENCY SCHOOL BUS EVACUATION (SPECIAL NEEDS) – 15 minute (1997) – AAA

**Audience** – Special needs drivers and para-professionals

**Overview** – This program describes how to develop a written evacuation plan and the techniques to safely evacuate a bus transporting special needs students.

T5 - CHARACTERISTICS: STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS - 16 minutes (1990)  
- Albuquerque Public Schools

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and directors

**Overview** - Provides information on characteristics of students with special needs as defined in the Education For All Handicapped Children Act, PL94-142.

T22 - LIFELINE TO LEARNING - 27 minutes - Visucom

**Audience** - Bus drivers, transportation directors, driver applicants, parents, teachers, and other concerned citizens

**Overview** - Designed to create an awareness of the difficult but necessary task of transporting the handicapped. It stresses the special qualities needed by anyone dealing with the handicapped; the necessity of treating the students as individuals; and the critical relationship between parent or guardian, transporter and teacher.

T103 – SEXUALITY AND SOCIALIZATION FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES – 9 minutes – AMS Distributors

**Audience** - Drivers and Para-professionals

**Overview** - Understanding and preventing inappropriate behavior on the bus.

T104 – TRANSPORTING STUDENTS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES – 14

minutes AMS Distributors

**Audience** - Drivers and Para-professionals

**Overview** - Explains what developmental disabilities are and gives tips to help students on the bus.

**T105 – TRANSPORTING STUDENTS WITH ADD/ADHD – 14 minutes – AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Drivers and Para-professionals

**Overview** - What is ADD and ADHD and helpful hints about dealing with students with ADD/ADHD.

**T121 – EVACUATING THE SPECIAL NEEDS BUS - 16 minutes – AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Bus drivers and Para-professionals

**Overview** - Talks about teamwork & how and when to evacuate the bus.

**T122 – SPECIAL EMERGENCY EVACUATION – 20 minutes – Littleton Public Schools (1997)**

**Audience** - Bus drivers and Para-professionals

**Overview** - Demonstrates Special Needs evacuations within the Littleton Public Schools.

**T134 – COMMUNICATION WHEEL – 13 minutes – CDE & CSPTA**

**Audience** - Drivers and Para-professionals

**Overview** - Emphasizes the importance of communication between the drivers, parents, school staff, and administration about a student.

### **STUDENT EDUCATION**

**\*\* T155 – SAFE DRIVING – A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER’S SERIES I – JJ Keller -2008 - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, staff, trainers

**Overview** –3 part:

**Vehicle Inspections** – Demonstrates how to conduct a proper vehicle inspection and reduce the chance of a breakdown

**Passenger Safety** – Provides sound strategies for keeping passengers safe and maintaining order

**Accident Procedures** – Shows drivers what to do when a crash occurs, from safeguarding passengers to documentation

**\*\* T154 – SCHOOL BUS SAFETY FOR STUDENTS – 12 minute – (2010) – The Training Network - DVD**

**Audience** – K-3 students

**Overview** – Young students have to be taught the rules of riding a school bus. This imaginative and warm program gently but firmly guides them through this process. This program dramatizes the most important issues that are likely to cause injuries placing a special emphasis on showing younger age students what they must do in order to avoid injury.

**\*\* T135 – SAFE CROSSING: AN “EGG-CELLENT” IDEA – 10 minute (1991) – Cayuga-Onondaga BOCES**

**Audience** – K-3 students

**Overview** - Use this video to reinforce the importance of safe crossing and loading/unloading behaviors for your primary age students. The video's main character goes on an adventure with his pet dinosaur "EGG" in a story that stresses the dangers of the loading zone.

**T4 - BUSTER AND THE BOOSTERS - 19 minutes - AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and students (K-12)

**Overview** - Uses "Buster the Bus" to explain school bus safety rules to school children.

**T38 - SCHOOL BUS SAFETY - THE DANGER ZONE - 3 minutes - Colorado Self Insurance Pool**

**Audience** - Students and drivers

**Overview** - Students show the right and wrong way to act outside the school bus in the danger zone.

**T46 - TROUBLE SPOTS - 28 minutes - Seven Oaks Productions**

**Audience** - All age students, drivers, and supervisors

**Overview** - Deals with the potentially dangerous "Trouble Spots" that school bus drivers and riders must be aware of when driving and moving in or around school buses. It is designed to create an awareness (in all concerned with pupil transportation safety) of the unforeseen, seemingly incidental events which lead to tragedy. It will acquaint viewers with a variety of evacuation techniques that may save their lives in numerous emergency situations whether they ride a school bus regularly or only occasionally on a field trip. Because of its unique, three-part design, the video reaches all age groups. The first episode is planned for children in grades K through 6 and their drivers; the first and second, for junior high or middle and their drivers. The entire program should be shown to senior high school students, school bus drivers, concerned teachers, and adults. Each part is a complete episode that draws to a natural conclusion.

**T66 - BUZZY'S SAFE RIDER RULES - 18.5 minutes (1993) - AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Drivers and K-3 students

**Overview** - Features a charming puppet known as "Buzzy" to talk students through the basic rules of school bus safety.

**T68 - SAFELY WALK TO SCHOOL - 12 minutes - AIMS Media**

**Audience** - Students (K-8) and drivers

**Overview** - The program follows two students' route to school and illustrates safety rules that govern crossing the street, accepting rides, obeying traffic signals, and walking on sidewalks.

**T75 – SCHOOL BUS/PEDESTRIAN SAFETY – 12 minutes - (1992) Wisconsin**

Department of Public Instruction

**Audience** - Primary students K-3

**Overview** - With Rae, the mime, the video provides an array of potential dangers that children might encounter on their journeys to and from the bus, loading and unloading sites, and while riding the bus.

**T112 – OPERATION SCHOOL BUS SAFETY – BE COOL, FOLLOW THE RULES – 15 minutes – Navistar & National PTA**

**Audience** - Elementary school students

**Overview** - This is a play regarding school bus safety rules.

**T119 – SCHOOL BUS SAFETY – 11 minutes – AAA – Michigan**

**Audience** - Elementary students

**Overview** - Discusses the danger zones, school bus stops, and front crossing procedures.

### **STUDENT MANAGEMENT**

**\*\* T148 – GROWING RESPECT ON YOUR BUS – 30 minute (2005) – PTSI - DVD**

**Audience** – Drivers, bus attendants, staff

**Overview** – This program educates about the importance of establishing a respectful, secure, “bully-free” environment on the bus. The video defines bullying and harassment and shows the severe impact they can have on kids in today’s world.

**\*\* T137 – THE END OF THE ROAD – 10 minute (2006) – AMS**

**Audience** – Middle school students

**Overview** – This program uses students to describe the effects of a major school bus accident caused by them not following the bus rules.

**T2 - ASSERTIVE DISCIPLINE – Two 30-minute videos - Lee Canter**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and supervisors

**Overview** - Teaches school bus drivers a set of techniques they can quickly and effectively master and put to use immediately. Through the combination of on-screen discussion and role-playing, Lee Canter illustrates effective concepts that are reinforced with repeated examples. Realistic scenes are designed to be stopped for group discussion.

**T6 - CHILDREN IN TRAFFIC - WHY ARE THEY DIFFERENT? - 13 minutes - Minnesota**

**Audience** - Drivers, staff, and supervisors

**Overview** - A video tape produced by the AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety in 1983. It will assist school bus pupil transportation supervisors and instructors in preparing both beginning and veteran school bus drivers to understand how children differ from adults in their perceptions of traffic.

**T57 - DISCIPLINE ON THE SCHOOL BUS - PART 1 - 55 minutes - Personal**

Learning Institute

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - Describes the A-B-C approach to discipline using preventive strategies. Part 1 goes into detail about the program while Part 2 can be an annual refresher.

**T58 - DISCIPLINE ON THE SCHOOL BUS - PART 2 - 35 minutes - Personal Learning Institute**

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - Describes the A-B-C approach to discipline using preventive strategies. Part 1 goes into detail about the program while Part 2 can be an annual refresher.

**T60 - MANAGING THE MIDDLE SCHOOL RIDER - 45 minutes - AMS Distributors**

**Audience** - Drivers and staff

**Overview** - Presents real life examples of proven methods of student discipline on the bus when transporting middle school or junior high students.

**T143 – SOMEONE WHO MAKES A DIFFERENCE: The Key Role of Bus Attendants – 16 minute (2003) – PTSI**

**Audience** – Drivers and Staff

**Overview** – This program discusses the impact a bus attendant may have on students from the point of view of a high school senior.