

_____ takes a yellow bus to school, to learn and play with friends.

Two grownups on the bus are the Attendant and the Driver. They are a team. They wear matching shirts and pants.

The Attendant is there to make sure _____ gets on and off the bus with no problems.

The Driver is there to make sure the bus gets to school and home with no problems.

_____’s family and school know who to call if they have a question about the bus.

In the middle of the school year, the school bus routine might change a little bit.

What if _____’s school bus Driver on January 23 is not the same one who takes _____ to school now?

_____ does not like changes. If there is a change to the team of grownups on the bus, _____ might worry or be surprised, sad or angry.

That’s OK. _____ can show those feelings to people at home and school.

_____ can remember that the Driver and Attendant are still a team. In fact, the Attendant from before stays with _____’s bus for a week until the new Driver gets to know everyone.

On January 30 there could be a new Attendant. Wow, two changes in a row! _____ can remember that it’s because that person was helping other kids get used to their new Driver on some other bus.

_____ can notice that the new school bus Driver and new Attendant still wear matching shirts and pants. The new Attendant still helps _____ get on and off the bus. The new Driver still gets the bus where it needs to go.

_____’s family and school can talk with the school bus team so they all know what _____ needs.

The words and numbers on the school bus might be different, but the bus still has the right kind of wheels, windows, seats and mirrors.

The best thing is that _____ still has a way to go to school. _____ likes to be with other students and have fun!