

Athlos Academy St. Cloud provides transportation to students who reside in the St. Cloud School District at no cost. Students who reside outside of the St. Cloud School District and within 25 miles of the school may qualify for transportation aid.

In accordance with Minn. Stat. §124D.03, Subd. 8:

- A parent/guardian may qualify to be reimbursed by the nonresident district for the costs of transportation from the pupil's residence to the border of the nonresident district if the pupil is from a family whose income is at or below the poverty level, as determined by the federal government. The reimbursement may not exceed the pupil's actual cost of transportation or 15 cents per mile traveled, whichever is less. Reimbursement may not be paid for more than 250 miles per week.

Athlos Academy St. Cloud can assist families who think they may qualify for transportation reimbursement from the state of Minnesota. See procedures outlined below, and contact our office staff for assistance in navigating this option for your family.

Procedures for receiving financial assistance are as follows:

- Family completes the MN state application for educational benefits.
- Family completes the application for transportation assistance.
- Family signs the transportation policy and procedures form.
- Family completes the monthly application for reimbursement form and returns it to the school within 5 business days of the end of each month.
- Athlos Academy St. Cloud will submit the forms to the MN Department of Education, and when funds are received from the state, Athlos Academy St. Cloud will issue a check to the family based on state allocated mileage and reimbursement rates.