

#### Denton ISD Transportation

Third-Party Skills Testing
For Commercial Driver License

## 3 Trainers/Examiners



- In 2016, the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration enacted new regulations governing the Commercial Driver License (CDL) issuance process.
- As a part of the state of Texas' implementation of this regulation, CDL skills testing must take place at one of only twenty-nine locations around the state.
- ▶ Due to this, a backlog of up to three months developed.
- ► Therefore, the Texas Department of Public Safety (TxDPS) authorized the Third-Party Skills Testing Program be created. Qualified companies certified by TxDPS can administer the driving skills examination.

#### Benefits of Third Party Trainers/Examiners Certified on 10/26/17

- 20 DENTON ISD employees have received their CDL (school bus drivers and coaches).
- 4 employees are in the training phase of the CDL class.
- 20 trainees from 12 districts have become CDL certified by DENTON ISD Trainers/Examiners.
- A total of 14 districts have contacted DENTON ISD and filled out the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for CDL testing.

### School Districts Requesting Training/Testing From DENTON ISD

- Allen
- Argyle
- Birdville
- Castleberry
- Gainesville
- Greenville
- North Lamar

- Ponder
- Royce City
- Sacred Heart
- Sadler/Southmayd
- Weatherford
- Whitesboro
- Wylie

#### Cost/Revenue of Third Party Testing

- ▶ DENTON ISD charges outside Districts \$100 per examination.
- Cost incurred to DENTON ISD per examination is under \$40.
- ▶ DENTON ISD has generated a revenue of approximately \$3000.

# Questions?