



BLUE BIRD®

VISION

DIESEL



The Reliable Choice for Your Fleet

An icon in school transportation, the Blue Bird Vision Diesel bus comes with our unwavering commitment to passenger safety, durability, service, and support. Our dedicated team of field service engineers focuses exclusively on school bus operations.

Custom, Safe, and Durable

With exceptional driver visibility and maneuverability, the Diesel Vision bus shares many body parts with the Blue Bird All American bus, resulting in a reduction in parts and service complexity. With multiple fuel types and powertrain options available, each bus is specifically tailored to each customer—choose what works best to reduce your total cost of ownership and your specific operating requirements. From chassis to body to cockpit, **the Vision Diesel is a purpose-built school bus from a purpose-driven company that is clearly best-in-class.**

Safety Is Built In

The Vision Diesel bus features exceptional driver-forward visibility, unique mirror systems for improved driver awareness and increased child safety, 90% cleaner emissions than in 2006, and ultra-low sulfur fuel usage.

What does that mean? It means that we don't cut corners when it comes to safety. That's our number one priority—always.

Transporting the World's Most Precious Cargo Since 1927

As with all Blue Bird buses, safety is our #1 concern.



The Vision Diesel bus features proven selective catalytic reduction (SCR) technology to protect the health of students and improve air quality.



The Vision Diesel bus features a custom-designed one-piece roof bow system that ensures safe student transportation.



Our buses are built to pass the industry's most trusted safety tests. This is standard with all our buses and is not optional.



Quality Is What Separates Our Buses From the Rest.

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Vision Diesel Bus Specifications

Capacity

Multiple floor plans available. Seating up to 83 (diesel, propane, and gasoline) and 72 (electric)

Exterior Width
96"

Interior Width
90 ³/₄"

Aisle Width
Varies by floor plan

Skirt Length
16 ¹/₄", 19 ³/₄", 25 ³/₄"

Interior Height
77"

Overall Height
121"-128"

Front Overhang
45" with standard steel bumper

Rear Overhang
Varies by body length/wheelbase

Air Conditioning
Factory installed available

Entrance Door

27" wide x 83" high, manual opening control with electric and air power options available

Rear Door
37" wide x 52" high

Exterior Mirrors
Manual, optional heated remote operated

Flooring
1/2" plywood subflooring, 5/8" optional

Engine
Cummins B6.7 200-260 hp

Alternator
210, 240, 270, and 320 amps with 12 volts

Front Axle
Rating varies by capacity

Rear Axle
With hypoid, single reduction gears with broad range of ratios available to optimize powertrain performance (rating varies by capacity)

Wheelbase
169"/189"/217"/238"/252"/273"/280"

Brakes

4-wheel hydraulic brakes with 4-channel anti-lock brake system; air drum and air disc brakes available

Suspension
Soft ride front leaf spring suspension; single stage steel leaf rear spring suspension system (ratings varies by capacity); air suspension available

Wheel Cut
50°

GVWR
Up to 33,000 lbs.

Steering
Tilt & telescoping steering column

Tire Size
11R x 22.5G, all-position radials

Transmission
Allison 2500 PTS - 5 & 6 speed automatic
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Fuel Tank
Standard 60-gallon, optional 100-gallon located between frame rails in rear overhang

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