

Bid Language for Conversion Seating

What is conversion seating?

Specialize school bus seats that can be converted from standard seats to three point seat belts or to integrated child restraint seats (ICS) without removing the seat from the bus and modifying the bus floor for needed reinforcements.

Suggested bid language to specify conversion seating on your new bus

All seats shall meet applicable FMVSS requirements¹ and seat frames shall be capable for installation of Type 2 belts and Integrated Child Safety Restraint Systems.² Conversion of seats shall not require the removal of the seat from the bus floor and will re-use the base frame of the standard seat.

Notes: Applicable FMVSS Requirements

¹ **FMVSS 222, 302 and 210**
Type 2 Seat Belts

² **FMVSS 209, 210, 213, 222 and 225**
Child Safety Restraint Systems (ICSRS) as they pertain to school buses.