

**POLICY 200.30 (Revised May 2019)**

Parishes/schools/agencies must follow a strategy of “two-deep” ministry with minors, where at least two (2) adults who are in full compliance with Diocesan safe environment policies are present at all activities and situations. This includes, but is not limited to, transporting minors in motor vehicles for field trips, practices, sporting events, mission trips, and so forth.

This does not apply to situations where the driver is the parent or legal guardian of **ALL** the minors in the motor vehicle.

For the purposes of this policy, “full compliance with Diocesan safe environment policies” means: (1) the person’s criminal background report is on file with the Safe Environment Office; and, (2) the person has **completed** the VIRTUS *Protecting God’s Children* training.