

MESSAGE FROM POLICE CHIEF, BRIAN STURGILL

STAY ALERT: **Back-to-School Safety Tips**

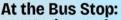
Drivers:

- Obey speed limits: The School Zone has a reduced speed limit (20MPH) which is strictly enforced during school hours.
- Watch for pedestrians: Children may be unpredictable, so be extra cautious near crosswalks and school
- Stop for school buses: Always stop when a school bus has its red lights flashing and stop arm extended.
- Obey crossing guards: Follow their signals and instructions.
- Avoid distractions: Put away phones, radios, and other distractions while driving in school zones.
- Drop-off procedures and routes: Use only designated drop-off and pick-up locations. Follow all procedures and routes as instructed by the school district...

Walking Students:

- Walking to School: Use sidewalks, crosswalks, and obey crossing guards. "Look left, right, and left" again before crossing. Make eye contact with drivers before crossing.
- Cell Phones: Avoid looking at cell phones or using earphones or "ear buds" while walking to school.
- Backpack Safety: Choose a backpack with wide, padded straps, pack light, and use both straps to distribute weight.
- Stranger Danger: Avoid talking to or accepting rides from strangers.

Bus Safety



- Arrive early: Be at your bus stop at least five minutes before the bus is scheduled to
- Stand 6 feet: Stay 6 feet away (or three giant steps) wait for the bus away from the
- Do not engage in "horseplay" while waiting.

Around the Bus:

- Cross in front of the bus at least 10 feet (or five giant steps) and make eye contact with the driver before crossing.
- Never walk behind the bus.
- If you drop something near the bus, do not pick it up; tell the bus driver instead.

Behavior on the Bus:

SCHOOL BUS

- Buckle up if seat belts are available.
- Stay in your seat keeping head, arms and papers inside the bus, and talk quietly.
- Keep the aisles clear of books and bags.
- Follow all of the bus driver's instructions.

Getting On/Off the Bus:

- Wait until the bus has stopped and the door opens before approaching the bus or standing up on the bus.
- Use the handrail.
- Secure any loose or hanging objects like straps on a backpack or drawstrings on a hood.

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