



School Bus Safety

Be on time!



NEVER run to the bus stop!!
Always be at the bus stop 5 minutes early

When waiting for the bus...



At least 10 giant steps

Stay away from the edge of the road

When you see the bus coming



No pushing or shoving!

***Wait! – Let the bus stop!
Before moving from your safe space***



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***Before moving from your safe space
Wait for your bus drivers signal***



Never
cross
behind
the bus

Danger Zones!





ALWAYS watch for cars
and wait for your bus drivers signal that
it's okay to cross

Always watch your bus driver



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Use the handrail



Board the bus one at a time



Always follow the Bus Rules

BUS RULES



1. **Stay in your seat and face forward in your seat.**
2. **Listen to and obey bus drivers.**
3. **Keep the aisles clear of feet, books, bags, etc.**
4. **Keep conversations at a low volume.**
5. **Be at the bus stop on time**
6. **Seatbelts on if they are available on the bus**
7. **No eating or drinking on the bus**

Please remember that riding the school bus is a privilege and you need to follow the rules in order to keep everyone safe.

Walk to your seat



Hold your bookbag on your lap



**Or place it under your seat
or the seat in front you**

Who's in charge?

The Driver



Listen to your bus driver

The driver can always see you



Talk quietly to the person next to you



And always use kind words

Always stay in your seat and face forward



Everyone needs to be a safe sitter

Is this a safe sitter?



Is this proper?



Is this being nice?





Is this proper bus behavior?

Is this safe?



Never hang out the windows!

Trees



Can you eat or drink?



Only if the bus driver says its ok

Do you block the aisleway?



Is this OK?



Never throw things on the bus

Trash goes where?



When waiting at school to go home



**Stand Behind the
Yellow Line**



When waiting at school to go home



State Law Requires That There Be An Adult Present At School Every Day When You Get On and Off The Bus at School

Getting off the bus



Exit one at a time and use the handrail

Tuck straps away



School Buses are VERY BIG



If you walk too close to the bus, the driver may not see you!



When getting off the bus take five steps away from the bus



When crossing the street, take 10 Giant steps in front of the bus



Watch Your Bus Driver





Wait for the Signal



Look both ways



Then cross the street

Do vehicles always stop?



NOT ALWAYS. If the bus driver honks the horn, go back to the side of the road

If you drop something



Do this instead...



Danger Zone

**Never play under or
around the bus**

**The bus driver may not
see you and drive away**



What do you do if someone stops and offers you a ride?



Never get into a strangers vehicle!!!

Just who is a 'Stranger'?

*A 'Stranger' is
someone – you don't
know.*



A stranger might ask you

how to get somewhere

offer you candy

want to show you their pet

want to give you a gift

tell you your parents told them to pick you up

Just tell them they need to ask an ADULT

You need to then tell a trusted adult

Let's Review What WE'VE Learned

What color of lights come on first?

YELLOW



What color of lights come on next?

RED



Who's in charge in the classroom

The Teacher

Who's in charge on the bus?

The bus driver!

If the driver honks the horn, what do you do?

Stop go back to the side of the road.

***Do you Promise
to be SAFE ?***

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THANK YOU
For being a G-R-E-A-T school bus rider

