

Walking to and from School Safely

1. **Stop at the curb and look left-right-left, ahead and behind before crossing the street.**



2. **Watch for the “Walk” signal.** This signal means it’s OK to cross but keep watch for turning cars.



3. **Don’t start crossing when the “Don’t Walk” signal is flashing.** If you are in the crosswalk, finish your crossing.



4. **Cross at crosswalks.** If there are no crosswalks, cross at street corners or intersections.



5. **Do not cross behind or between parked cars.**



6. **Pay attention to drivers turning or pulling out of driveways.**



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Bicycling to and from School Safely

1. **Wear a helmet every time you ride your bike.**



2. **Obey all traffic signs and signals.** When you ride in the street, you are a vehicle.



3. **Stop and check for traffic in all directions** before entering the street.



4. **Keep a safe distance from the "door zone."** Parked car doors can open suddenly.



5. **Use hand signals** when stopping and turning left or right.



6. **Ride on the right in the same direction as traffic** is traveling.



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