

Traveling to and from school

Back to School Safety Tips



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Use the traffic safety words below to fill in the blanks.

1. Always wear a _____, no matter how short or long the ride.
2. Ride your bicycle on the _____ side of the road in the same direction as traffic.
3. When riding your bike, you should use appropriate _____.
4. Respect and follow _____ and stop signs while walking or riding a bike.
5. Wait for the bus to _____ before approaching it from the curb.
6. Stay seated and do not _____ around on the bus.
7. Wearing a _____ will help to keep you safe when riding in a car.
8. To increase your visibility, wear _____ colored clothing when walking to school or riding your bike.
9. When walking to school, walk on _____ whenever possible.
10. When sidewalks are not available, walk on the _____ side of the road facing traffic.

traffic lights

move

helmet

right

left

sidewalks

hand signals

seatbelt

brightly

stop

A word from the Chief



Dear Kids,

Beginning a new school year can be a lot of fun. Your friends at Waterloo Fire Rescue and Fire PALS ask that during this busy and hectic time, you slow down and remember the rules to keep you safe while you are traveling to and from school. If you follow the rules that you learned in the activity above, I'm sure that you will have a safe, happy and fun-filled educational adventure this year in school.

Sincerely,

Doug Carter

Waterloo Fire Rescue Fire Chief