

HOW TO STAY SAFE WHILE WALKING



What is a pedestrian?

People who walk are called pedestrians. When you walk to school, that's you!

Where is the safest place to walk?

The safest place for pedestrians to walk is on a sidewalk.

What if there is no sidewalk?

If there are no sidewalks, walk on the left side of the street facing traffic.

Is there anything I should NOT do while walking?

When walking next to traffic, be careful and don't run or push. Don't let toys, phones, or music players distract you.

What else should I be aware of?

Look for driveways and entrances where cars might come in or out. Stop and look both ways to make sure no cars are coming.

How do I make sure drivers can see me?

Wear bright clothing and reflective materials when walking near traffic. If it's dark outside, carry a flashlight to help drivers see you.