

School Zone Road Safety Newsletter

Welcome to our term 4 School Zone road safety newsletter! With the warmer months ahead, families will be spending more time outdoors. In this term's newsletter, we are sharing some helpful road safety reminders.



Safe cycling, scootering and skateboarding with children

- The safest places to ride bikes, scooters and skateboards are within fenced areas.
- Always wear an Australian Standards approved helmet when you ride or skate
- Bright, light coloured, or reflective clothing help increase visibility
- Encourage children to ride during daylight hours
- Read Transport for NSW [Safety on wheels](#) brochure and learn more about the law and safety advice for bikes, scooters and skateboards

Helmet safety

- If you are thinking of buying yourself or your child a helmet, please check the latest [Helmet Star](#) safety ratings
- Choose an approved helmet with an Australian Standards sticker
- Pick a bright coloured helmet, so your child is easily seen
- Make sure it's the correct size, doesn't block their eyes, has adjustable straps and is lightweight and comfortable
- Avoid wearing a damaged helmet

Walking safely together

- Until your child is at least 8 years old, hold their hand when walking on the footpath, in a car park or crossing the road
- Up until at least 10 years old, supervise your child very closely and hold their hand when crossing the road
- **Stop, Look, Listen, Think**, every time you cross the road
- Always use pedestrian crossings where possible

For further online information about road safety visit [Safety Town](#). There are also great Safety Town activities for you and your child to explore and talk about.



Free child car seat safety check

2 in 3 car seats are not used properly

Make sure your child is safe with a free inspection by a Transport for NSW Authorised Restraint Fitter. You can have your child car seats and booster seats checked for safety and correct fit.

Date: Saturday 6 December 2025, 9:00am–1:00pm

Location: Eveleigh Early Learning and Preschool, 41 Henderson Road, Eveleigh

Bookings Essential: 9246 7630 or email: vstamper@cityofsydney.nsw.gov.au

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