

SCHOOL SAFETY: KEEP OUR KIDS SAFE DURING DROP-OFF AND PICK-UP

As school drop-off and pick-up times can be hectic, it's crucial to take extra care to protect our children. Kids often act impulsively and can be hard to see, so let's work together to ensure their safety!

KEY SAFETY TIPS



Lead by example

Model the behaviour we expect from others. Show your children the importance of good road behaviours and safe practices.



Mind the speed limit

Remember school zones have a speed limit of **25km/h**. Slow down to keep everyone safe!



Avoid traffic congestion

If parking adjacent the school is full, don't queue in traffic. Instead, go around the block and try again. This helps keep the flow of traffic moving smoothly.



Park and walk

If parking is limited, consider parking a bit further away and walking to the school. This reduces congestion and keeps our roads safer.



Know the road rules

Familiarise yourself with traffic signs and regulations. Always park safely and legally around schools.





Council's role

While it's not the Council's responsibility to provide parking, we do need to manage the limited on-street parking spaces around the school the best way we can. Parking restrictions are established around schools and are regularly patrolled to ensure children's safety.



Plan ahead

Set yourself up for success by planning your route and drop-off/pick-up locations. Allowing extra time helps you avoid rash decisions and unsafe behaviours.

For more information on traffic rules around schools, check out our Keep Kids Safe brochure on our website unley.sa.gov.au/safety-around-schools





Let's work together to keep our children safe!
Thank you for your cooperation and
commitment to school safety in the City of Unley.

