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Every Trip Every Time Every Child

Simple road safety tips for families with children aged 0-5 years



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Buckle Up Every Trip

Every trip is important
Even short trips

1

Choose the right car seat for your child



2

Make sure the car seat is fitted correctly



3

Click! Check the buckle is secure



4

Straps should be snug every time



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Do not hold your child on your lap



Need help with your car seat? Scan QR code for car seat information

Which car seat does your child need?

Use the correct car seat for your child's age and size

Baby
0-6 months

Rear facing
(faces the back of car)



Toddler
6 months - 4 years

Rear facing **OR** forward facing with inbuilt harness



Child
4+ years

Forward facing with harness **OR** booster



Older child
7+ years

Forward facing with inbuilt harness OR booster until the adult seatbelt fits **properly**





Not sure if your car seat is safe? Scan QR code for more information.

The child car seats need to be Australian Standards and recommended less than 10 years old.

Helmet on Every Ride



Wear a helmet on bikes, scooters and trikes



Helmet sits **flat** on head



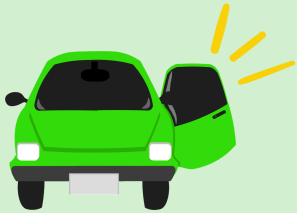
Helmet **straps** done up

Children copy adults - wear your helmet too!



Safe Car Door

Get your child out on the kerb side, away from cars

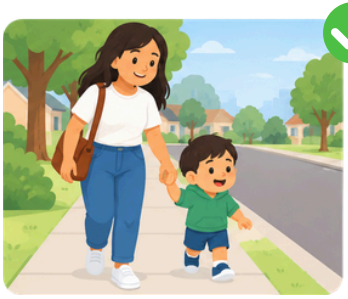




Park so your child gets out on the kerb side



Get your child out of the car on the kerb side



Hold your child's hand near roads



Do not get your child out on the traffic side

Safe Driveways

Always stop and check
before you move your car





Always check around your car before driving



Walk around your car to check surroundings



Check again before you reverse your car



Always supervise your children in the driveway at all times

Stop. Look. Listen. Think.



Hold hands near roads and in car parks



Stop



Look



Listen



Think



Who Can Help You?

Children 0-5 years in Western Australia

Roadwise	WALGA's RoadWise Advice and information on child car seats and fitting services 1300 780 713
Kidsafe WA	Car seat fitting & safety checks (08) 6244 4880 https://kidsafewa.com.au/road-safety/
Road Safety Commission WA	Road Safety information https://www.wa.gov.au/organisation/road-safety-commission
Department of Transport WA	Road rules, safe walking, bike riding 13 11 56
Child Health Nurse	Child health and safety 1300 749 869
WA Police	Call 131 444 for help. **Call 000** in an emergency.
Local Council	Safe streets, parks & local events. https://mycouncil.wa.gov.au/
Playgroup WA	Find a playgroup near you 9228 8088 | playgroup.wa.com.au

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Safer children.
Stronger communities.

