

# Safe Walking

Kia ora e te whānau;

At school over the next few weeks we will be learning about Safe Walking.

We will learn about;

- The different traffic on the roads
- How to cross safely at a pedestrian crossing
- How to cross safely at the lights
- To follow the instructions of the road patrollers
- To identify and be careful around 'sneaky driveways'
- How to cross the road safely with an adult
- How to stay safe riding a bike

We will be learning about safe walking in class but to help us put that learning into practice we take our classes to the roads around our school (along with additional adult support and our road patrollers).

This year we have planned the following dates;

Wednesday 5th March - Wairere Drive

Thursday 6th February - Knighton Road

On these dates we will be joined by Koka Materoa and two road patrollers to help us cross the road safely.

We also take our class to Somme Cres to look for sneaky driveways and talk about keeping ourselves safe, each teacher chooses the date / time they will take their class.

To support this learning, please ensure your child brings safe walking shoes next Tuesday and Thursday.

**Please talk to your child's teacher if you do not want your child to take part in these activities and we will ensure they stay with another teacher at school.**

Nga mihi

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