REMEMBER

- The bus driver or principal may assign a seat to you on the bus
- Dress for the weather. If it is cold outside, wear warm clothes
- Be at the bus stop 5 minutes before pick-up time
- Check with an adult about bus delays and school closures before heading to the bus stop, especially if the weather is bad!
- Always watch for cars when getting on or off the bus or walking to or from the bus stop

For more information on bus safety or Safe and Caring Schools, check out:

www.novacentral.ca

http://www.ed.gov.nl.ca/edu/k12/busing/ students.html

http://www.elmer.ca/safety-village/school-bus-safety.php

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BUS SAFETY

IF THERE IS AN EMERGENCY

TELL THE BUS DRIVER • LISTEN FOR INSTRUCTIONS

ON THE BUS

- Talk quietly
- Keep head, hands & feet inside the bus
- Stay sitting in your seat
- Never run, push, shout or throw things on the bus
- Pay attention to instructions from the bus driver or bus monitors
- Wait for the bus to come to a complete stop before getting out of your seat

OFF THE BUS

- Wait for the bus on the side of the road or on the sidewalk, away from traffic
- Wait for the bus to stop before moving forward to get on the bus
- Board the bus in a single line. Do not push or crowd others.
- Watch for cars and obey signals when crossing the street. Make sure the bus driver sees you crossing
- Be careful in the danger zones. Never pick up anything around the outside of the bus or under the bus. Tell the driver or another adult and wait for them to help you

KEEP YOUR BUS SAFE & RESPECTFUL

- Be respectful of the driver and others on the bus
- Be courteous
- Help to keep the bus clean
- Eat your snack or lunch at home or at school, not on the bus
- Help to keep the exits and aisles clear
- Do not bring pets on the bus
- Do not bring anything on the bus that could hurt you or someone else
- Do not cause damage to the bus
- Report safety issues or danger!