

Road safety Wordfind

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It's cool to walk to
school!

See how
many road
safety
words you
can find!

- Bicycle
- Bus
- Car
- Crossing
- Listen
- Look
- Patrol
- Safe route
- School zone
- Seatbelt
- Stop
- Walk



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journey to school active,
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School Zone



Auckland Transport has installed a **School Zone on Riddell Rd**. A school zone seeks to raise the awareness of motorists in the locality of the school, the presence of children and the surrounding environment. This is done by installing electronic, solar powered school zone signs with alternating flashing beacons on each approach to the zone, and supporting signage with the operating times displayed. The electronic signs operate at the beginning and end of each school day.



Park and walk area

When possible, we strongly recommend that parents park a little away from the school to reduce the demand on parking outside school gates. Children can then walk safely the short distance to your car.

Some suggestions:

- Park at the bottom of Roberta Ave
- Park on the other side of the park

We are also very fortunate that the local church nearby have given us permission to use part of their carpark as a drop-off and pick-up area. The school puts up signs to show where our parents can park as the church does require their own parking areas for their child-care centre.



www.aucklandcity.govt.nz/transport



It is cool to walk to school!

Please choose your child's **SAFETY** over **CONVENIENCE** at all times!

Parking at School

Parking on site

Due to the large number of students arriving and departing school each day between 8:30 – 9:00am and 3:00 to 3:20 pm, we ask that the on-site visitor parking is not used as a drop-off and pick-up area.



Yellow lines

Please do not park on the yellow lines. This area is kept clear to improve visibility for the road patrollers who help the students cross safely. Please do not use this area as a drop-off zone.

When parking around the school it is important to observe the laws and be considerate.

Remember:

- you cannot stop or park on broken yellow lines
- park at least 1 metre clear of driveways
- you must be at least 6 metres away from a pedestrian crossing
- observe parking restrictions and no stopping areas

Thank you for your support in making our school community safer!



It's cool to walk to school



Cycling at Glendowie Primary School

Glendowie Primary School encourages children aged 10 years and over to ride to school. Children under the age of 10 years must provide the Principal with a written request before they can ride to school.

All students **MUST** wear a correctly fitted helmet and obey all rules.

Spot checks will be carried out regularly (eg every term) by Auckland City Council's road safety coordinator – walking and cycling.

Parents should also check the route their child is using to get to and from the school regularly. Students must walk their bikes once on school grounds.

Bikes should be stored in the bike racks provided and locked securely with their own bike lock.

BIKE BETTER

Auckland City Council's Bike Better program is designed to enhance the safe cycling practices of students who cycle to school. This will be organised each year by the school for all Year 5 students.

It covers correct fitting and wearing of a helmet, hand signals, planning a safe route to school and basic cycle maintenance.



Always cross at the crossing!



WALKING SCHOOL BUS

Glendowie Primary School has 4 Walking School Buses!

The Walking School Bus (WSB) assists children to walk to and from school safely.

Parents are rostered to walk with a group of children who are picked up and dropped off along a designated route by a parent 'driver' and a 'conductor'.

Walking School Bus routes vary in length, normally a max of 1.5km and/or 30 minutes walk.

There are currently 4 Walking School Buses at Glendowie Primary School; we are always interested at setting up more routes if required.

If you are interested in helping set up a new route or helping on an existing bus, please let the school office know and they will pass your details on to the school WSB coordinator or send an email to gps.walkingschoolbus@gmail.com

IT'S COOL TO WALK TO SCHOOL!



THE WALKING SCHOOL BUS WALKS RAIN OR SHINE!

ATTENTION!

We are always looking for volunteers for our WSB.

If you are available to assist on any of the routes, please do not hesitate to contact the **SCHOOL OFFICE** for more information



ROUTE MAP



I would like to learn more about the Walking School Bus

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| Parent's Name | |
| Child's Name | |
| Child's Class | |
| Phone | |
| E-mail | |

or email gps.walkingschoolbus@gmail.com

If you are interested in learning more about the Glendowie Primary School Walking School Bus, please complete the form below and drop off to the school office.

