

BEAVERTON



Safe Routes to School



DRIVERS: Plan a safe trip to school

It's estimated that 20% of morning traffic can be attributed to parents driving their students to school. These car trips cause safety and health problems for our kids and the entire community. Sometimes driving students to school is necessary. When you do please take special care when around schools:

- **Reduce speed** in school zones, and extend this if lots of activity. Be ready to stop at all times.
- Stop and stay stopped for pedestrians at all intersections and crosswalks, marked or not.
- Be patient and wait for children to complete their crossing before proceeding.
- Stop when directed to do so by a crossing guard.
- Stop in both directions for a school bus flashing red lights.