

SAFETY

The staff makes a great effort to provide a safe environment for each student. We ask that each child display the same concern for the safety of all students and employees in their actions while in attendance at Carl Sandburg.

Student Arrival: Students should not arrive on school grounds before 8:45 AM. They should go directly to the playground, where supervision is provided, until the 8:55 AM bell rings. Walkers should arrive as close to 8:55 AM as possible.

- Please be aware that supervision is not provided before 8:45 AM.
- Students are not permitted in the building until the 8:55 AM bell rings.

The Safe Arrival Program notifies parents if their child has not arrived at school. Parent volunteers manage this program. If a child is absent and the school has not been notified, the volunteer will attempt to call the parents. Our hope is to have this program staffed daily.

Safe Arrival Line: 425-821-6329.

Safety Patrol: Adult crossing guards are on duty before and after school at the intersection of 84th Ave. NE and NE 132nd, at the five-way stop on 84th Ave. NE, at the driveway from the parking lot to NE 128th, and on the intersection of 128th and 84th. Student safety patrols are also on duty before and after school.

- Please instruct your child to follow the traffic pattern policies at school and the safest, most direct route to and from home.
- Students are to obey the patrol guards to ensure the safety of all.
- Parents visiting the school are asked to follow the directions of the safety patrols and use crosswalks to help set an example for students.

Bus Riders: If you have any questions regarding the bus routes, rules, etc., please call Transportation at 425-882-5120. Please see page on bus conduct.

Bicycles: Only grade 4th, 5th and 6th grade students may ride bicycles to school. Bicycle riders must be registered. Forms are available in the office. All riders **must wear helmets**, lock their bicycles in the bike rack, and walk their bicycles on and off campus. Students are to walk their bicycles through crosswalks. Parents are advised to instruct their child on bicycle safety rules.

Skateboards/Scooters, In-Line Skates, or 'Heelys' are not allowed on campus.