

Policing in Pitt Meadows

September 2020

HELP KEEP KIDS SAFE AS SCHOOLS RETURN



As schools resume this month, creating congestion on our roads, ensure you leave extra travel time, stay focused on the road and watch for children, especially around school zones.

Remember that every school day, unless otherwise posted, a **30 km/h speed limit is in effect in school zones from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

Follow these rules to help keep school zones safe for everyone:

1. Slow down and look around near school zones and be sure to only stop or park in designated stopping areas.
2. If a vehicle is stopped in front of you or next to you, they may be yielding to a pedestrian, so proceed with caution and be prepared to stop.
3. Pedestrians and cyclists should always cross at marked crosswalks and wait for traffic to stop before crossing.
4. When school bus lights are flashing, vehicles approaching from both directions must stop.
5. Before getting into your vehicle, walk around it to make sure no small children are hidden from your view. Always look for pedestrians when you're backing up.

Pitt Meadows Community Policing Office

We're still here for you

Just a reminder, although our Pitt Meadows Community Policing office is closed to the public due to COVID-19, you can still make a police report through our online service or by calling 604-463-6251. Our RCMP officers are still on the job, responding to calls, working around the clock to keep residents safe. Visit [rcmp.gc.ca](https://www.rcmp.gc.ca)

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