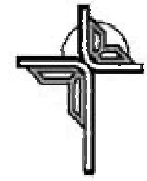


Kiss 'n Ride

An Injury Prevention Strategy

Activity Book

...keeping KIDS safe!



Windsor - Essex County
Injury Prevention Coalition
Safety is just a step away



Along with your local municipal Traffic Engineering & Police Departments in South Western Ontario



The purpose of this Kiss 'n Ride Activity Book is to empower parents and school communities as they strive to keep all children safe.

This Activity book is a collaborative effort of:

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The generous donations of

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provide safety vests, umbrellas, training manuals and activity books to all schools in the City and County taking part in the Kiss 'n Ride Program.



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Injury is the leading killer of children 1 – 14 years. Injuries account for more deaths than all other causes combined. It is also the most under-recognized major public health problems in our society.

Injuries are predictable and preventable.

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Dear Family,

Today I learned how to stay safe when you drive me to school....

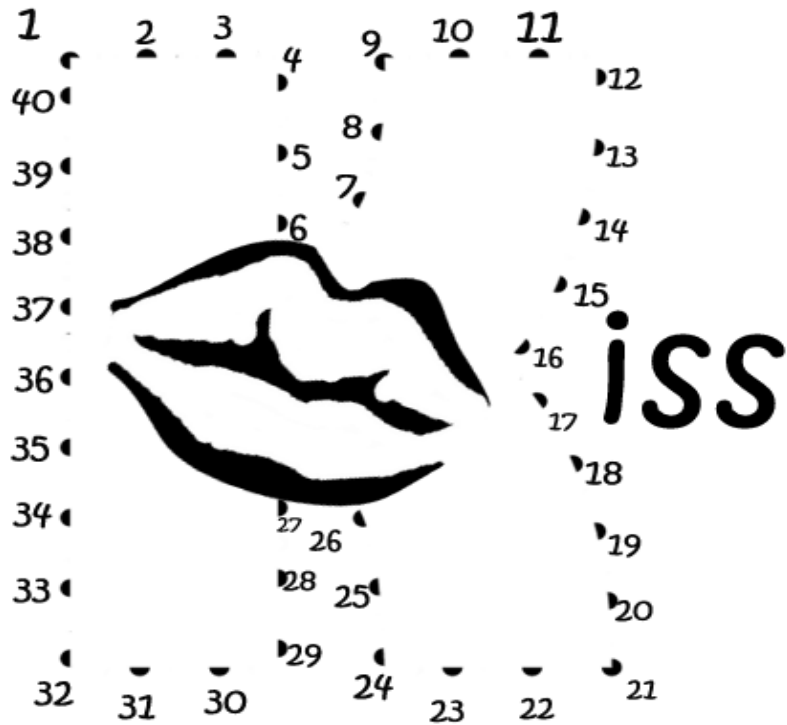


When I ride in a car I should ALWAYS...

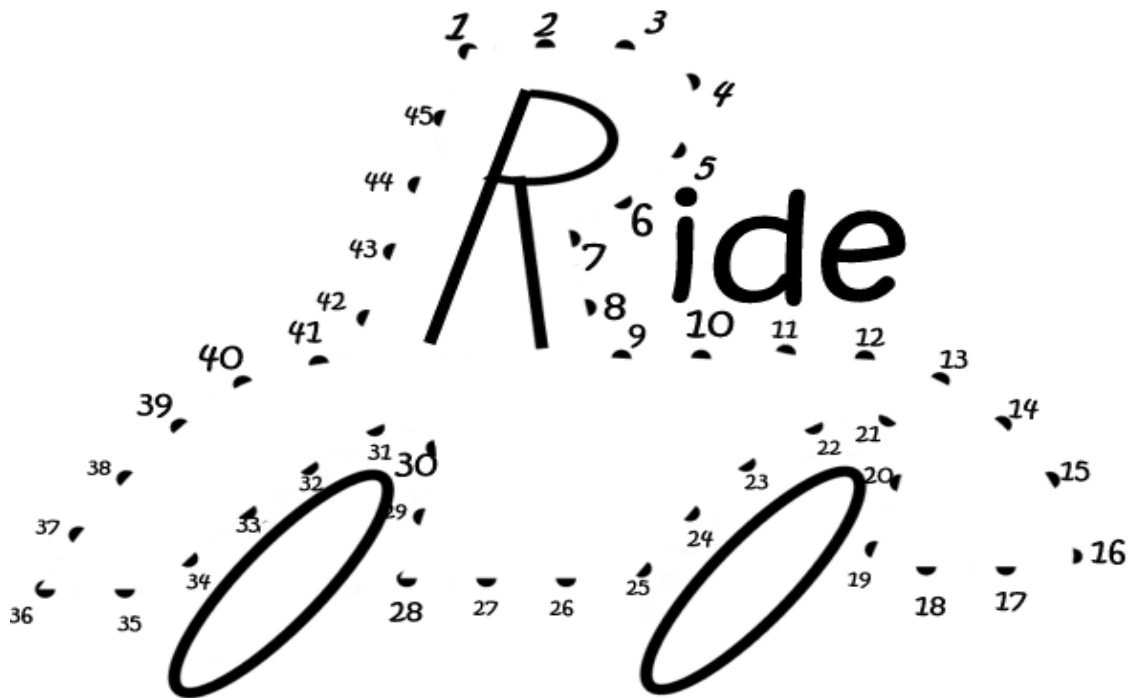
- Sit in the back seat
- Wear my seat belt
- Use Kiss 'n Ride when you drop me off at school

Never let me cross the street by myself and when you drive me to school **PLEASE** keep me safe and use Kiss 'n Ride!

Connect the dots and find out what keeps kids safe!



&



keeps ME safe!

WATCH



the traffic signs and signals on your way to school

Be on the look out for these signs on your way to school.
Draw a line from the **TRAFFIC SIGN** to the **SAME SHAPE**.

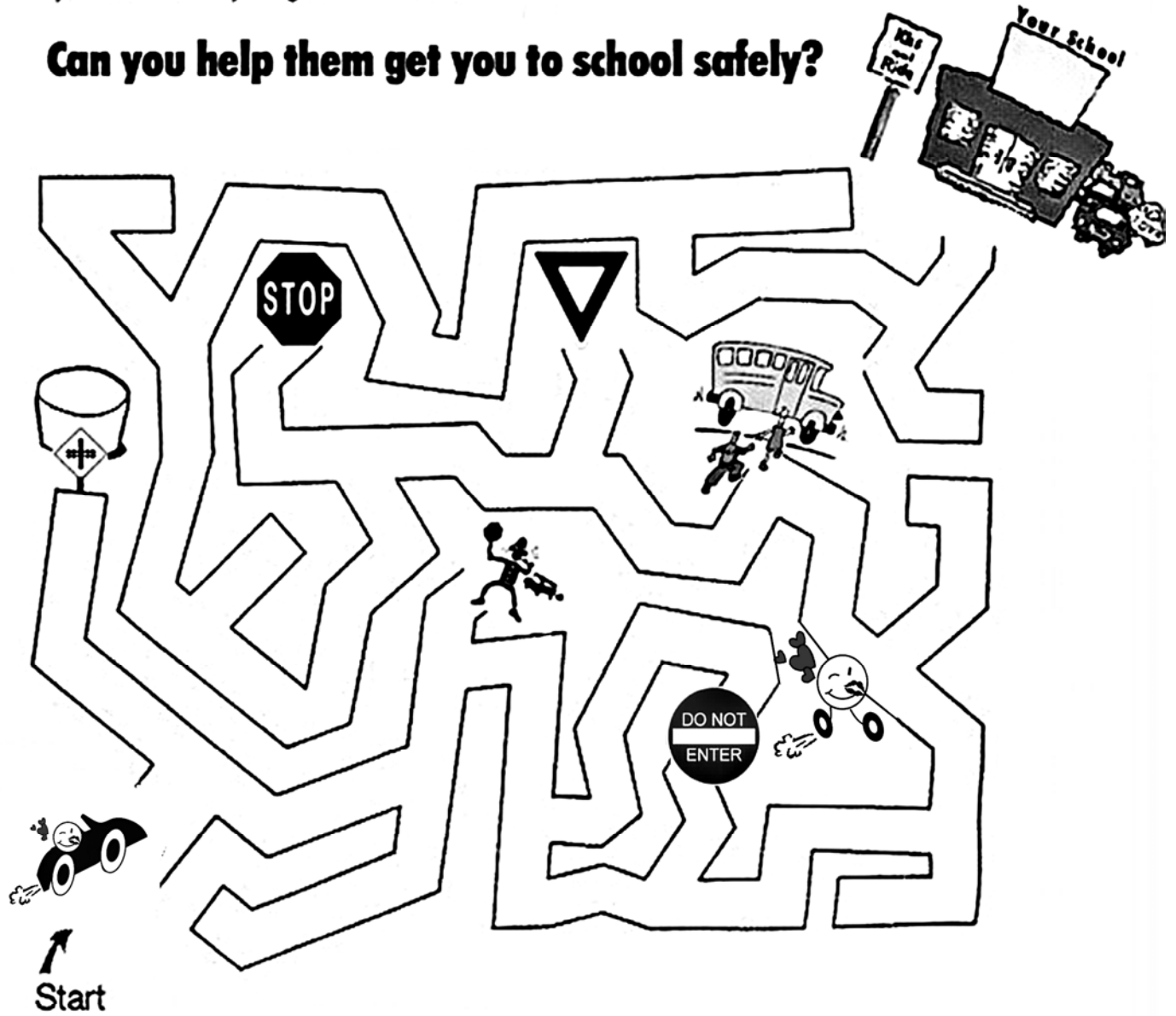
How many of these signs do **YOU** see on your way to school everyday?



Your mom or dad are driving you to school and they need your help.

Guide them through the maze to help them get you to school safely using the Kiss 'n Ride!

Can you help them get you to school safely?

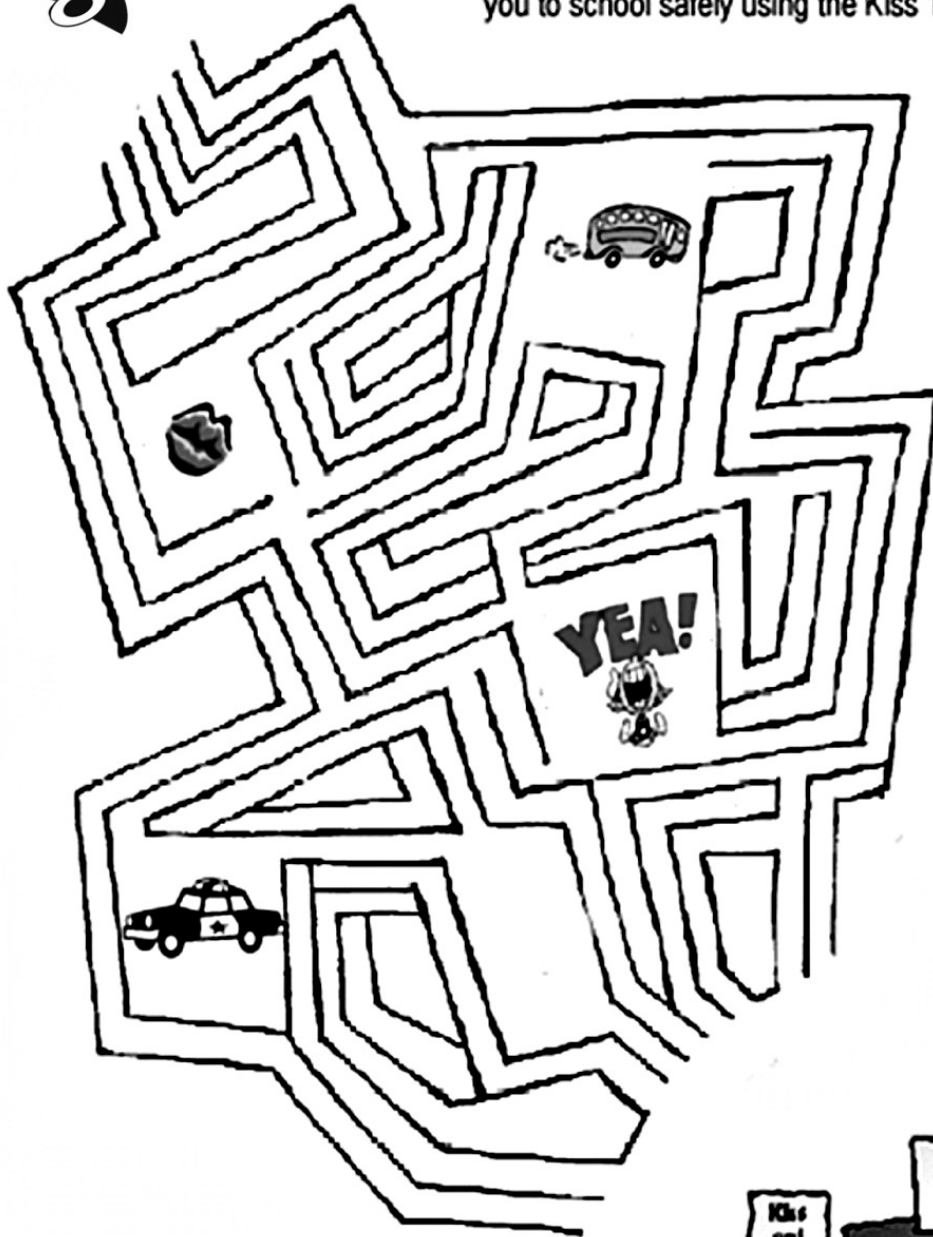


Did you remember to buckle-up?



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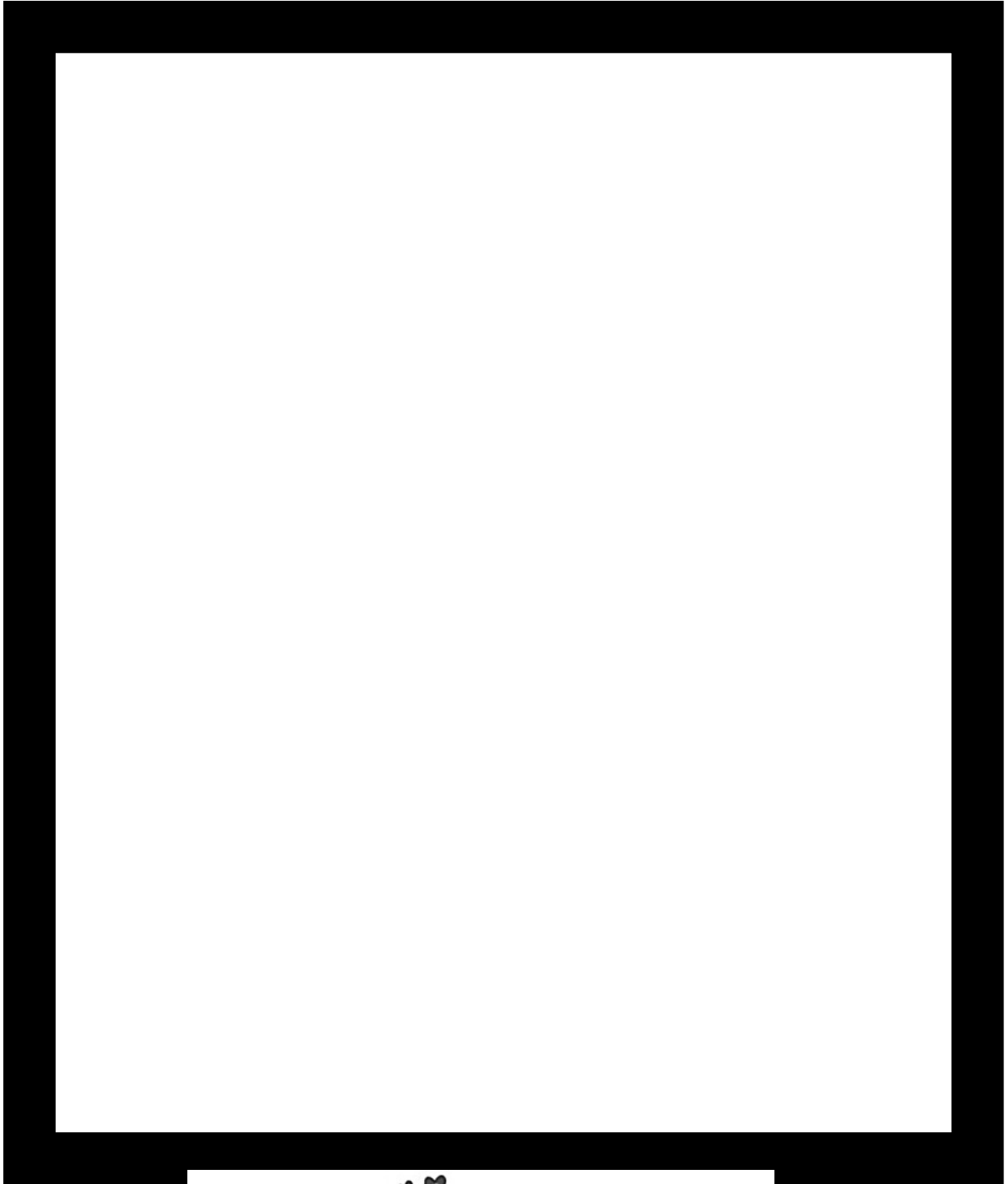


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Draw a picture of how Kiss 'n Ride keeps you safe!



Please return this portion to School Council

Child's Pledge



I, _____ in Grade ____ promise to remind my parent/guardian to use Kiss 'n Ride whenever they drive me to school.

Signature: _____



Parent's/Guardian Pledge

Please print

I, _____ promise to do my part in keeping children safe by using Kiss 'n Ride when I drive my child(ren) to school.

I am available to help a few mornings a month.
Please contact me at _____.

Signature: _____

