

Good morning,

I know we are only a few weeks into the 2025 school year & Term 1, but I have had a number of complaints regarding vehicles driving dangerously past school buses.

I am sending this email requesting assistance from local schools for a friendly reminder to be put in school newsletters regarding speed limits around school zones & school buses to ensure student safety.

From www.myllicence.sa.gov.au here is a copy & paste:

25km/h speed limit applies:

- Between school crossing (koala crossing) when the lights are flashing as indicated by a Children's Crossing sign.
- When a child is within a school zone, which is formed between a school zone sign and end school zone sign. This applies whenever a child is on the road, footpath, median strip, or even on a bicycle including outside of school hours. A 'child' means a person less than 18 years of age, and includes a student of any age wearing a school uniform. A school zone is also marked with zigzag lines on the road where practicable, to show that you are approaching a school zone.
- You must not exceed 25 km/h when passing, in either direction, a school bus that has stopped for the purpose of setting down or picking up children.

I appreciate your assistance.

Kind regards,

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