SCHOOL BUS DANGER ZONE

Know the Danger Zones
* Every child must know the DANGER ZONES around the school bus.
* Children should never enter the DANGER ZONE unless the driver has given them permission.
* If a child can touch the bus, he or she is too close.
* If a child must cross the street, know all the rules to cross safely.
* The 10 Giant Step rule is a good measurement for children to identify the DANGER ZONE around the school bus, particularly when crossing in front of the bus.
* When near a bus, the children must have the attention of the school bus driver.
* Children should never play around or near school bus vehicles.
* When leaving the bus, children must walk directly home.

The Danger Zone is the area on all sides of the bus where children are in the most danger of being hit. Children should stay ten feet away from the bus (or as far away as they can) and never go behind the bus. Take 5 giant steps in front of the bus before crossing, so they can be seen by the driver.