

ENGADINE WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL

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9 May 2022

Walk Safely to School Day Friday 20 May 2022

Dear parents/carers,

Walk Safely to School Day (WSTSD) is an annual, national event where all primary school students are encouraged to walk and commute safely to school. It is a community event seeking to promote road safety, health, and the environment. Many schools conduct various activities on the day to promote this event.

Here at Engadine West Public School, we will be conducting a *walking bus* on Friday 20 May 2022 beginning at Cooper Street Park (corner of Cooper St and Old Princes Hwy) and walking along Woronora Rd to Engadine West Public School, a distance of 1.5 km. It is not a compulsory activity; however, you might like to join us in this fun activity to begin the day. Parents are encouraged to join their children and assist in escorting the students safely to school. Students and parents can join the *walking bus* at any point along Woronora Rd, however, we cannot guarantee specific times. The *walking bus* will leave Cooper St Park at 8:30am with the aim of reaching Engadine West Public School at around 9:00am. A representative from the local police command may accompany the *walking bus*, depending on their duties at the time.

If you and your child intend to participate in this fun activity, please indicate on the form below by **Tuesday 17 May 2022**, and return the signed permission note to the payment chute in the administration building.

Kind regards,

Tonia Dohmen, Leah Duncum, Laura Denniss Organising Teachers Julan

Sue Roach Principal

Please complete and return by Tuesday 17 May 2022

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I give my child/children permission to participate in this event.

Class

Please tick the relevant options below:

- o I will be accompanying my child on the *walking bus* from Cooper St Park.
- I will not be accompanying my child but give permission for him/her to walk with a supervising adult from Cooper St Park.
- I will be joining the *walking bus* with my child at ______ (street name) as it travels along Woronora Rd.
- I will not be accompanying my child but give permission for him/her to walk with a supervising adult from ______ (street name).
- o Medical conditions of my child of which the escorting teachers should be aware: