

## Safer Car Travel

Top tips to help keep you safer when you're in the car



- Always wear your seatbelt on every trip.
- It's important to have the right seat, booster cushion, belt or restraint for your weight and height.
- Never distract or annoy the driver by being noisy or asking too many questions.
- Never lean out or throw anything from the window.
- Never open the car door when the car is moving.
- Never block the rear view mirror.
- Make sure any pets or luggage are secured and not loose in the car.
- Always get out on the side furthest away from the traffic.

### Notes for you to remind the drivers

- Remember if you are taken to school by car, then ask your driver not to park on the zig-zag lines outside the school.
- The driver must always stop when the School Crossing Patrol person walks out on the road with their sign stopping the traffic, to let pedestrians cross safely.