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Road Safety Education newsletter 7-12



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On the move

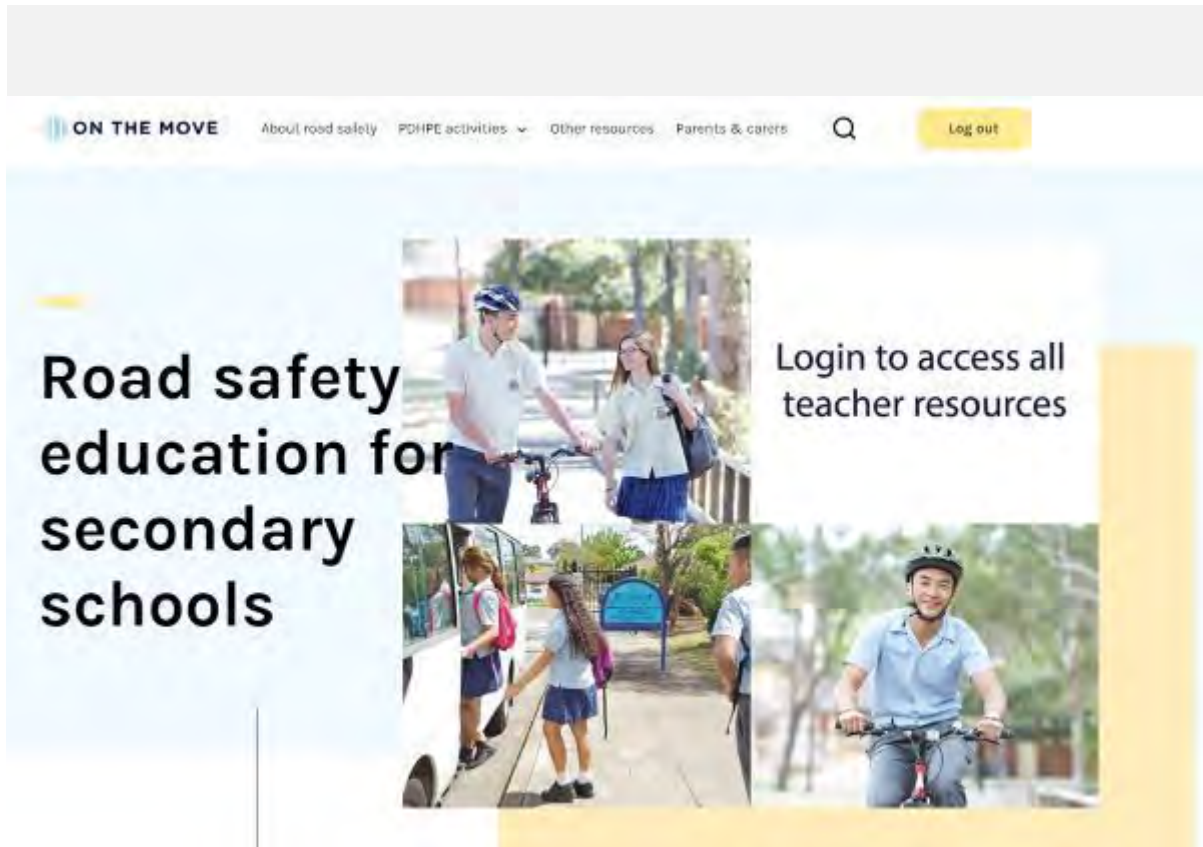
Transport for NSW are continually updating their online secondary school road safety resource '[ON THE MOVE](#)'.

ON THE MOVE has a range of teaching and learning activities and links to resources including:

- being a safe pedestrian and wheels user
- being a safer passenger and future driver
- localised crash statistics

- road safety fact sheets
- access to free resources.

All teaching and learning activities support the Personal Development, Health and Physical Education K-10 Syllabus.



[On the move](#) promotion poster.

Mobile phone ban at your school – what happens after school?

Students who have been off their phones all day may be diving for them on their way out the gate. Please remind students at your school to stop somewhere safe and read or reply to any messages or calls before they start to walk home.

Crossing roads and being on the phone don't mix.

Pedestrian injuries among 15–19-year-olds has increased 25% in the last 5 years due to distractions.

The Big Picture – animated statistics

The Big Picture teaching and learning activity can be found on the online resource [ON THE MOVE](#).



'The big picture' teaching and learning activity.

Road Safety Education: Safer behaviours through PDHPE 7-10 workshops

Has a member of your staff been to the latest professional learning [Road Safety Education: Safer behaviours through PDHPE 7-10?](#)

Teachers will have the opportunity to engage with best practice road safety education, specifically designed for students in Years 7 to 10. Using the PDHPE K-10 syllabus and [ON THE MOVE resources](#), participants will explore teaching and learning programs through embedding the PDHPE skills and a focus on literacy and numeracy. Check out dates for 2024.

Registration: Via MyPL – Face to face delivery – [AC00119](#) or virtual delivery – [AC00137](#).

Life Ready workshop

Attention Life Ready Coordinators: Are you interested in updating your school's Life Ready program? Join us for: [Stage 6 Life Ready: Teaching the skills through Safe Travel online](#) workshop – Thursday 16 November 2023.

Through the learning context of safe travel, teachers will have time to strengthen their understanding and application of the Life Ready course for Stage 6 students. Teachers will be able to reflect and review skills-based teaching and learning activities and plan ideas for the implementation of Life Ready.

Registration: Via MyPL [AC00139](#).

E-scooters are illegal in NSW

Do you have students who ride their e-scooters to school? Please remind them that it is illegal in NSW, unless in a trial area.

Share [the facts on riding motorised wheeled devices in NSW](#) with your school community.



Illegal riding of motorised wheeled devices.

Road safety discussion points to share with your students

Use these [road safety discussion points](#) to encourage students to discuss, question, and reflect on what they can do to keep themselves and others safe as road users.

A [teaching and learning activity for Stage 4](#) is also available using the Critical Creative Thinking process to comment and reflect on the discussion points.

Information to share with parents/carers and students interested in getting their licence

In the final years of schooling, many young people will want to get their learner licence and provisional licence. This can lead to talk about getting a licence, buying a second family car or getting their own car.

This information can be shared and discussed with your students and families.

Getting a licence isn't easy for some people. For further advice you can refer to [helping young people get their driver's license](#).

When buying a vehicle, safety should be a priority for [Year 11 and Year 12 students thinking about buying a car - help make it the safest choice](#).



Getting your Learner licence.

Have you met our Road Safety Education team?

We are thrilled to have 3 new Road Safety Education Officers. Denise Tyra, Glenfield Office, Kim Yatras, Nirimba Office and Chris North, Bathurst Office.

[Contact us](#) to find out who your local Road Safety Education Officer is.

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We recognise the Ongoing Custodians of the lands and waterways where we work and live. We pay respect to Elders past and present as ongoing teachers of knowledge, songlines and stories. We strive

to ensure every Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander learner in NSW achieves their potential through education.

