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Before We Go

Being ready is not only about what is in your bag. It is knowing where you are going, who you are with, and getting the small things done before you walk out the door.

**I AM READY TO GO:**

- ☐ My bag is zipped and on my shoulder
- ☐ I have used the bathroom
- ☐ I know where we are going today
- ☐ I know which teacher I am with
- ☐ My phone is on silent and put away

WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

1. **Your class is leaving in five minutes and your bag is still open on the floor with your things next to it.**

What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Take just your phone and leave the rest
- b) Pack your things and zip your bag now, before the class lines up
- c) Carry it all loose in your arms
- d) Pack it later, at the bus stop

2. **Which of these should you know before your class leaves school?**

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Where the class is going today
- b) Which teacher you are with
- c) How you are getting there
- d) All of the above

3. **You are already on the bus when you remember that you never used the bathroom before you left.**

What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Get off at the next stop on your own
- b) Say nothing and hope you are all right
- c) Tell a teacher now, so they can plan a stop
- d) Wait until the whole trip is over

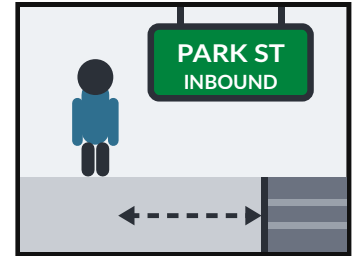
4. **Write one thing you check before you walk out of the classroom.**

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Waiting for the Train or Bus

A bus or train pulling in is the moment to be furthest back and paying the most attention, not the moment to move forward.



WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

1. The bus you want is coming down the street toward your stop. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Step into the road and wave both arms
- b) Walk toward it so you meet it sooner
- c) Stay on the sidewalk and let it pull in
- d) Keep looking at your phone until it stops

2. Two buses pull up at the same time. Which of these helps you get on the right one?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Read the number on the front of the bus
- b) Read where it says it is going, above the windshield
- c) Ask a teacher before you step on
- d) All of the above

3. The sign on the platform says the next train is going to Riverside, but your class is going downtown. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Get on it and change trains later
- b) Let it go and wait for the one going downtown
- c) Walk along the track to the next station
- d) Ask somebody you do not know to take you downtown

4. You are waiting on the platform with your class. Which of these is part of waiting well?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Keeping your feet back from the edge
- b) Keeping your voice down so you can hear announcements
- c) Staying where your teacher can see you
- d) All of the above

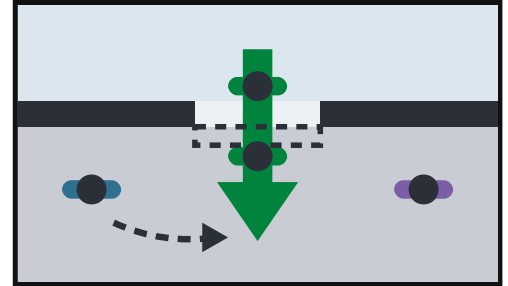
5. A bus pulls up and you are not sure it is the right one. Write what you would say to your teacher.

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Getting On

Look at the picture again. The people waiting are to the SIDE, and nobody starts getting on until the last person is off.



WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

1. Put these in the order you should do them. Write 1, 2, 3, 4.

- ☐ Take a seat or hold a rail, clear of the doors
- ☐ Put your phone in your pocket and look up
- ☐ Get on and move down the aisle
- ☐ Wait to the side while people step down

2. The doors open and one person is still stepping down. You are in a hurry. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Wait the few seconds until they are off
- b) Squeeze past them in the doorway
- c) Get on through the exit door instead
- d) Push the door open wider

3. You get on and the doorway is the only open space near you. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Stand in the doorway, because it is the only space
- b) Sit down on the floor
- c) Get off and wait for the next one
- d) Move further in and hold a rail

4. Which of these should already be true before the doors open?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Your phone is away
- b) Your bag is on your shoulder, not on the ground
- c) You are standing clear of where the doors will open
- d) All of the above

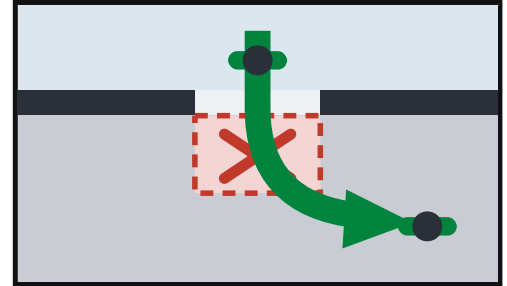
5. The train is so full that there is no room to move away from the doors. Write what you would do.

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Getting Off

Getting off starts one stop early, when you hear your stop coming. The red box in the picture is the space to walk through, not the space to stop in.



WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

1. Put these in the order you should do them. Write 1, 2, 3, 4.

- ☐ Move to the doors while it is slowing down
- ☐ Check your seat and the floor for your things
- ☐ Step off and walk clear of the doorway
- ☐ Hear your stop announced

2. The doors open at your stop and the person in front of you stops right in the doorway. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Push past them
- b) Say excuse me and wait for them to move
- c) Sit back down and get off later
- d) Go out of a different door on your own

3. You have stepped off the bus onto the sidewalk. What is the first thing to do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Check your phone
- b) Walk ahead to the corner
- c) Stand still in front of the door
- d) Find your teacher and the rest of your group

4. You are getting off. Which of these is yours to take with you?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) A bag somebody else left on the seat
- b) The newspaper on the floor
- c) Your jacket, if you took it off
- d) All of the above

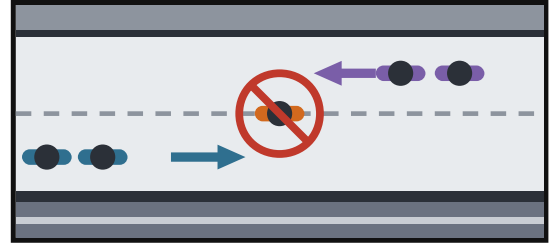
5. Why is it worth checking your seat before you stand up?

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Walking on a Busy Sidewalk

Look at the picture from above again. People keep to the right, so there is room for everybody coming the other way, and you pass on the left.



WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

1. You and two friends are walking side by side and people cannot get past you. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Move into a line, one behind the other
- b) Keep walking three across
- c) Step into the road to make room
- d) Stop and let everybody go around you

2. You are walking behind somebody who is going slower than you. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Walk very close behind them until they speed up
- b) Squeeze between them and the wall
- c) Go around them on the left when there is room
- d) Call out for them to move over

3. Which of these can make you bump into somebody on a busy sidewalk?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Looking down at your phone while you walk
- b) Stopping suddenly without looking behind you
- c) Turning around fast with a big backpack on
- d) All of the above

4. Somebody is coming toward you pushing a stroller and the sidewalk is narrow. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Keep going and make them go around you
- b) Walk in the road to get around them
- c) Step to the side and let them through
- d) Stop right in front of them

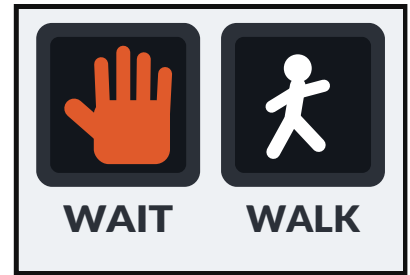
5. Write what you would say if you needed to get past somebody on a busy sidewalk.

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Crossing the Street

If the walking person is already showing when you arrive, you do not know how long it has been on. Waiting for the next one gives you the whole crossing time.



WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

1. **You reach the corner and the white walking person is already showing. What should you do?**

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Run so that you make it across
- b) Wait for the next signal and cross with your group
- c) Cross quickly on your own
- d) Stop in the middle of the road and wait there

2. **You are waiting to cross and a driver stops and waves you across. What should you do?**

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Cross right away, because the driver waved
- b) Wave back and cross without looking
- c) Walk around the back of the car
- d) Stay on the sidewalk and cross when your teacher says it is time

3. **You have pressed the button at the crosswalk. What happens next?**

Circle the one best answer.

- a) You wait for the walking person to show
- b) The signal changes faster if you press it again
- c) You can start crossing as soon as you have pressed it
- d) All of the above

4. **You are at a corner with no crosswalk, but you can see one half a block away. What should you do?**

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Walk to the crosswalk and cross there with your group
- b) Cross here, because it is quicker
- c) Cross here, but run
- d) Wait at this corner for somebody to help you

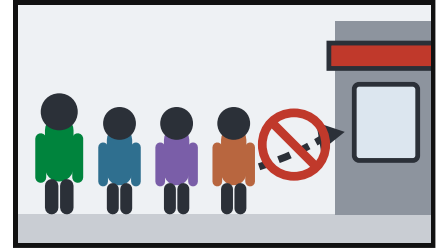
5. **Why is looking at the signal not enough on its own?**

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Staying With the Group

Most of the time you will not mean to leave the group. You will stop for one small thing, and the group will keep going.



WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

1. Your group is going into a store and you want to look at something in the window outside. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Go in with the group, and ask if you can look on the way out
- b) Stay outside on your own to look
- c) Tell one friend and stay outside together
- d) Go in, then come back out by yourself

2. Your shoe comes untied and the group is still walking. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Stop where you are and let them walk on
- b) Tell a teacher you need to stop, then tie it
- c) Keep walking with it untied
- d) Sit down in the middle of the sidewalk

3. Which of these helps you stay with your group in a crowded place?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Keeping the person in front of you in sight
- b) Checking where your teacher is
- c) Saying something if the group gets too far ahead
- d) All of the above

4. Your group is getting into an elevator and it fills up before you get in. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Squeeze in anyway
- b) Take the stairs on your own
- c) Go and find another way up
- d) Wait with whoever is left and go up together

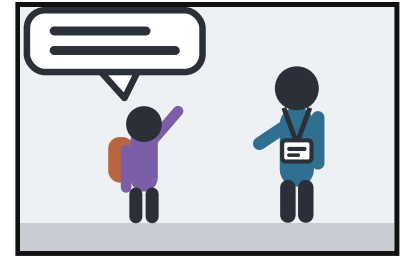
5. You need the group to stop for a moment. Write exactly what you would say.

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Telling a Teacher What You Need

Say it early and it is a small thing to sort out. Say it an hour later, when you are already upset, and it is a much bigger one.



WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

1. Your feet are hurting and there is still a long walk left. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Tell a teacher that your feet hurt
- b) Keep walking and say nothing
- c) Sit down and refuse to move
- d) Walk slower and fall behind the group

2. The store is much louder than you expected and it is bothering you. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Walk out of the store on your own
- b) Cover your ears and say nothing
- c) Tell a teacher that it is too loud for you
- d) Shout so that people can hear you over it

3. You start to feel unwell on the way back. What should you do?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Wait and see if it goes away on its own
- b) Tell a friend and ask them not to say anything
- c) Get off at the next stop
- d) Tell a teacher as soon as you feel it

4. When is a good time to tell a teacher what you need?

Circle the one best answer.

- a) Only at the very end of the trip
- b) As soon as you notice it
- c) Only if somebody asks you first
- d) All of the above

5. Write what you would say to a teacher if something on the trip was bothering you.