



## Protect Your Child With Smart911

### School Safety Checklist:

- Choose a backpack for your child carefully to avoid injury. The backpack should weigh no more than 10 to 20 percent of your child's body weight.
- Don't put your child's name on his or her backpack or clothing. If your child's name is easily readable on his or her backpack, it makes it easier for strangers to approach them.
- Teach your children that any adult they don't know is a stranger, even if they look nice, and that they should never go anywhere with a stranger.
- Educate your child on when and how to dial 9-1-1. Make sure your children know when they should dial 9-1-1, how to dial 9-1-1, and their home address.
- Create a Smart911 Safety Profile at [www.smart911.com](http://www.smart911.com) to provide 9-1-1 and first responders additional information that can help protect your family in an emergency.

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- Talk to your teen about walking safety. Teach your child to remove all distractions, to walk on sidewalks and to look before crossing the street.
- Review texting & social networking safety tips. Discuss the types of information that should not be shared and set boundaries.
- Discuss bullying with your teen. Encourage your child to come to you if they ever witness a bullying act or become the victim of it.
- Remind your child to dial 9-1-1 in the event of an emergency.
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