Having Fun, Staying Safe

remember these basic rules for safety

Chief James J. Dunne

- **HAVE A BUDDY** when playing around the neighborhood or walking to the bus, always try to stay with a friend
- **NEVER TALK TO STRANGERS** and if an adult approaches you and asks for help, find someone you trust to help them
- **MAKE A PLAN** and tell your parents where you're going and always tell them if plans change
- **KNOW YOUR INFO** which includes your name, address, and phone number in case you ever need it
- **ALWAYS REMEMBER** teachers, parents, and law enforcement officers are here to help you. Get to know their full names and phone numbers

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Ask parents to search for sex offenders in your area

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Ask parents to sign up for automatic email alerts

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Safety Pledge

I _____ pledge to have fun and stay safe. I will not talk to strangers or take rides from them. I will make plans and call if those plans change. I will always use the buddy system when playing around the neighborhood or walking to the bus. I pledge to be safe and talk to my parents about ways to stay safe.

_____ **Student**

_____ **Law Enforcement**