

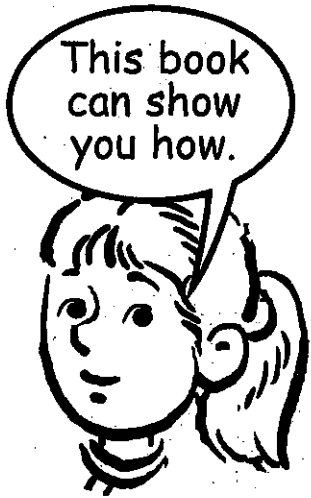
Hi! We're school bus buddies.



We ride to school together every day.



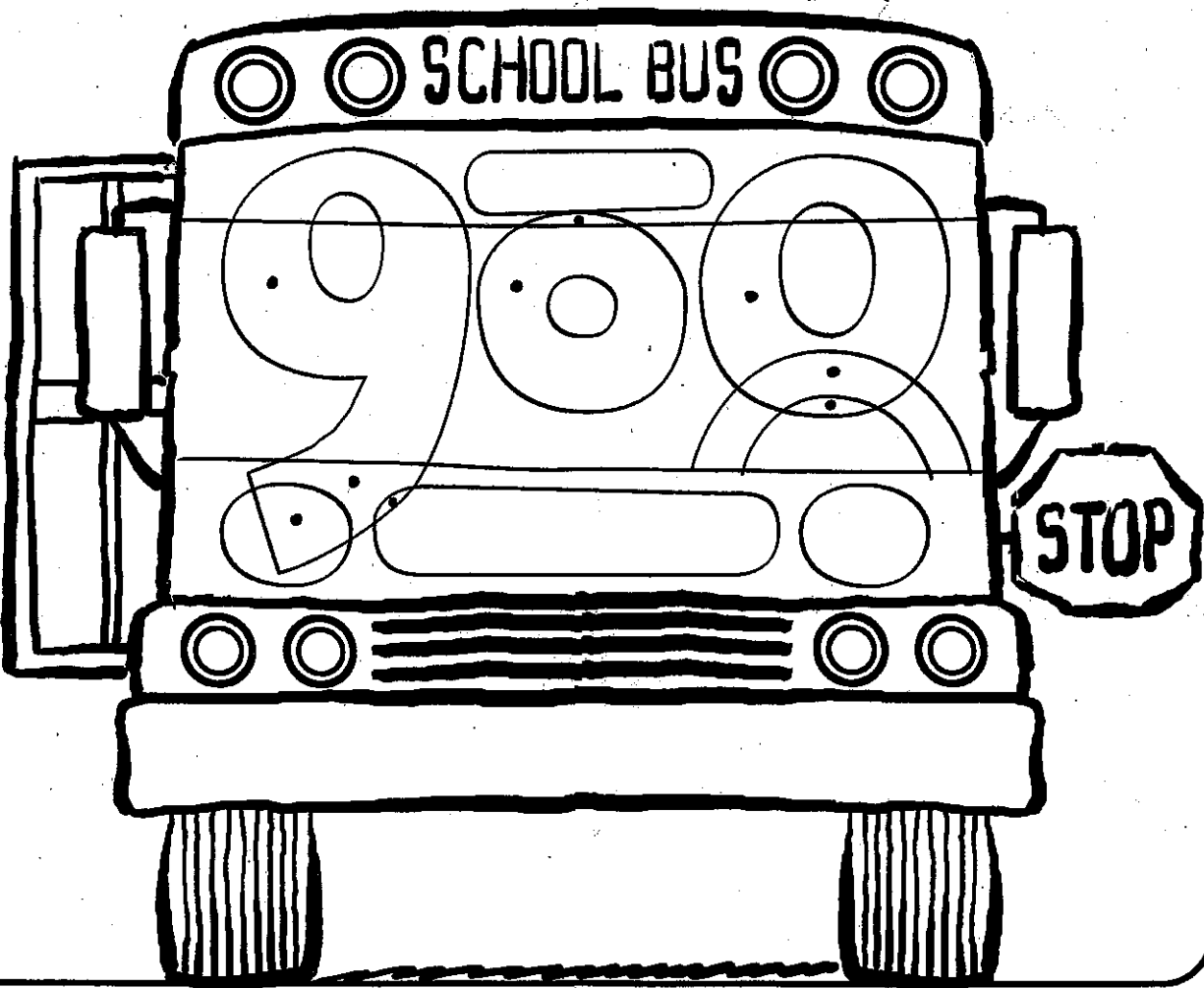
Do you know how to keep your bus ride safe and bully-free?



This book can show you how.

ACTIVITY

Fill in every space with a dot to complete the sentence below.
Keeping the school bus safe and bully-free begins with



Start Being Safe Before You Get on the Bus

Pack your backpack at night so it's ready to go the next morning. That way you won't have to rush to the bus stop.

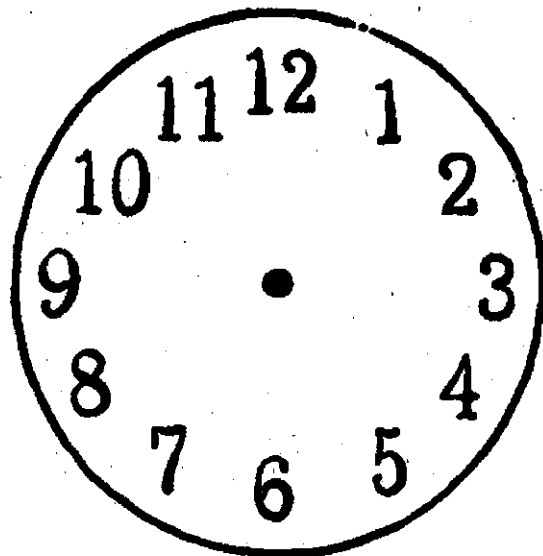
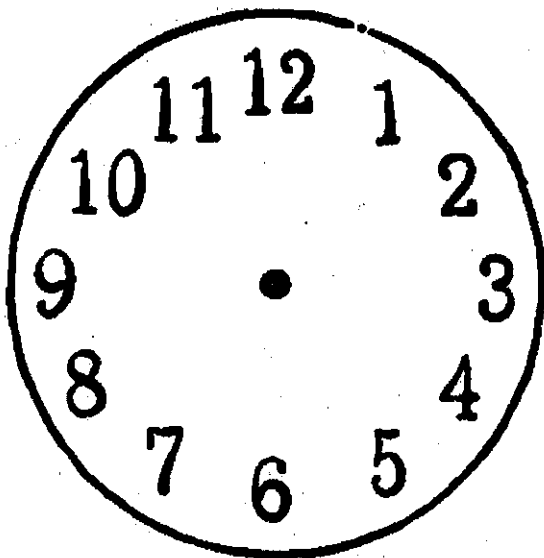


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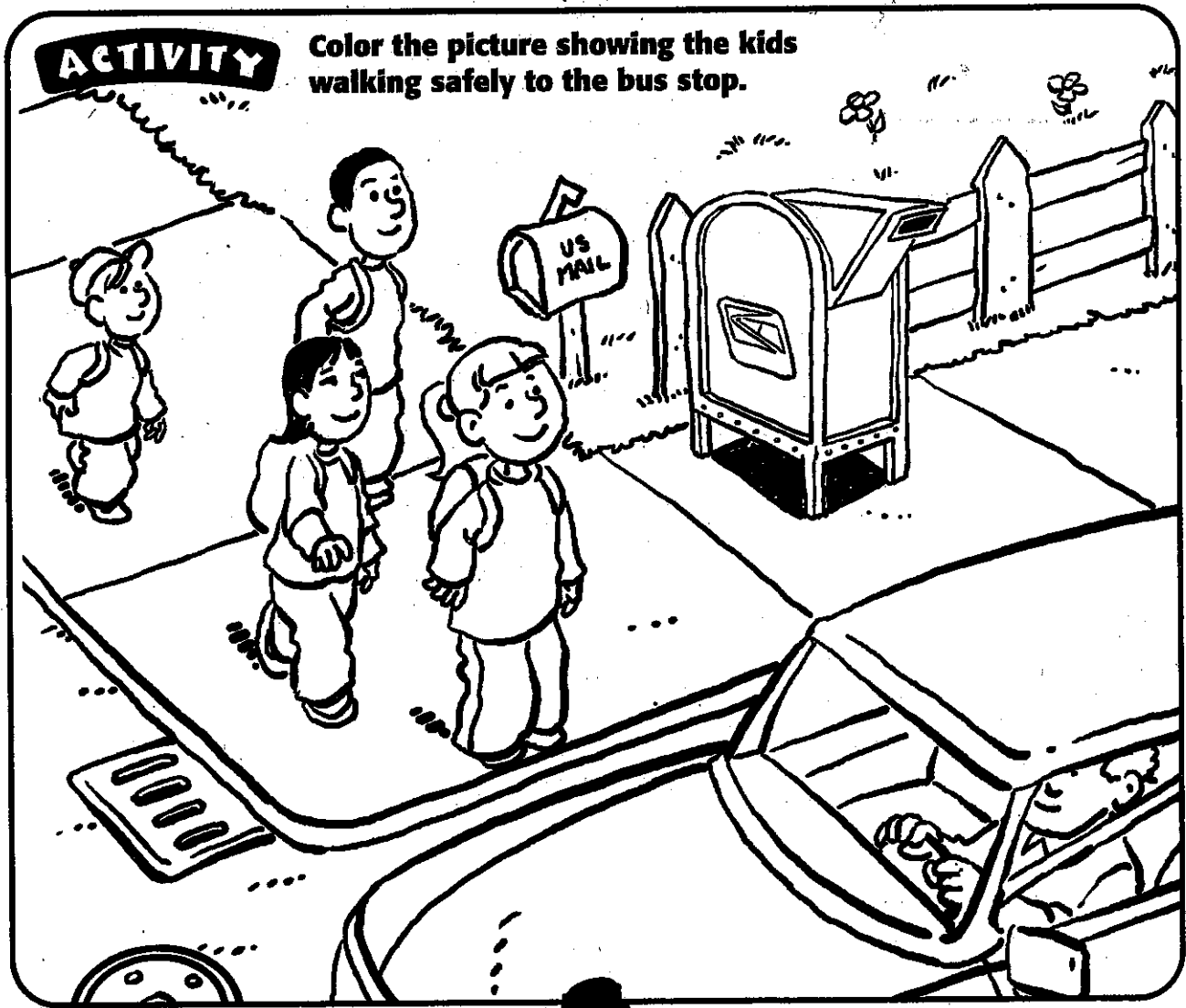
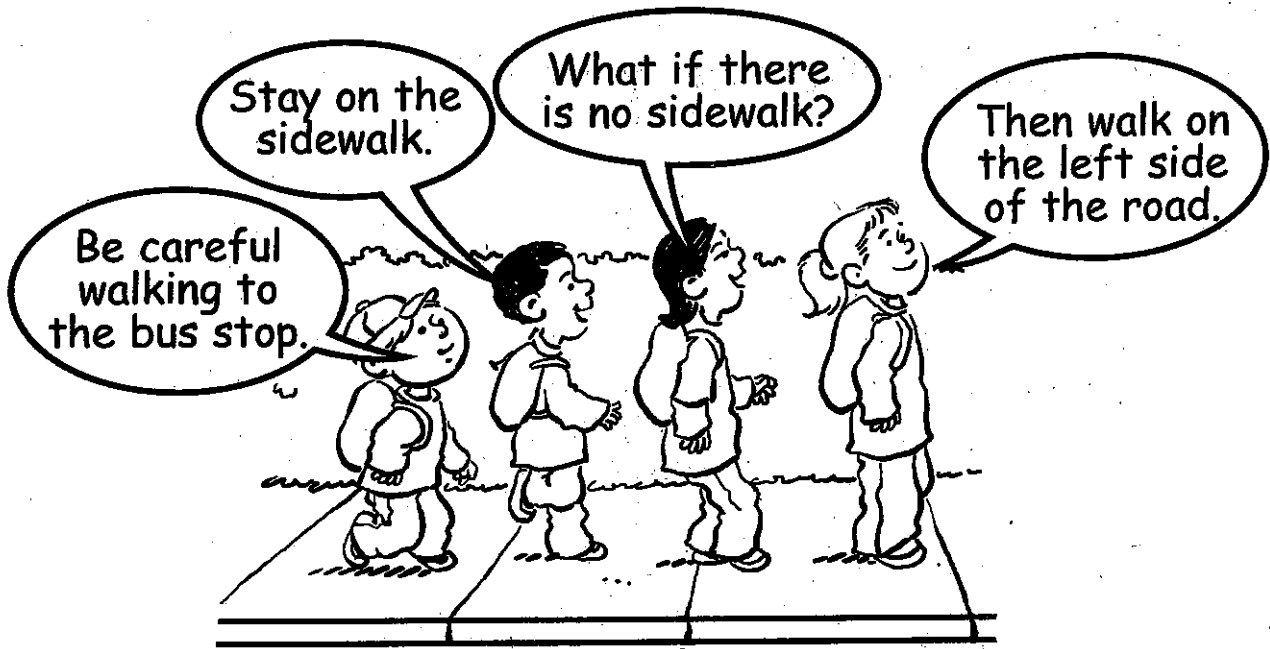
Get up in time to reach the bus stop at least 5 minutes before the bus is due.

Draw in the hands of the clock below to show what time you wake up in the morning.

Draw in the hands on this clock to show what time you need to be at the bus stop.



Walk Safely



Always walk to the bus stop with a friend or parent. That will help to keep strangers from bothering you. It will also help protect you from bullies.

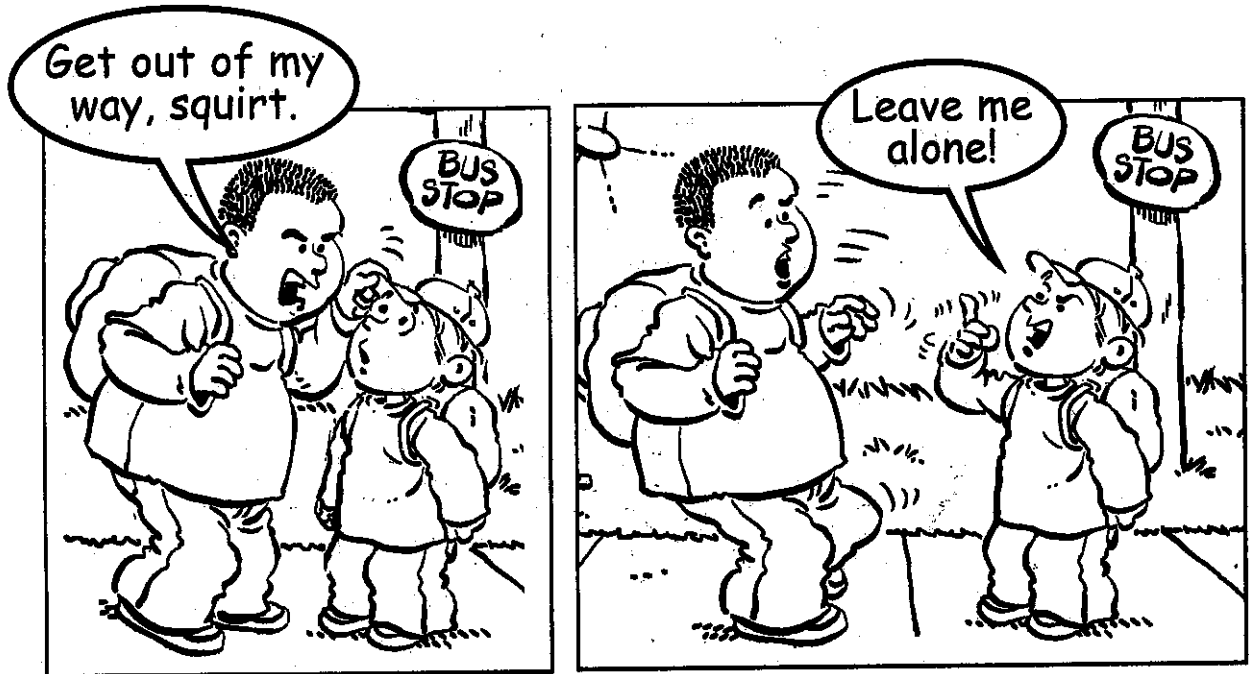


ACTIVITY

Who can you walk with to the bus stop? It can be a parent, guardian, or friend. Write your answer on the line.



If a bully does bother you, act strong and hold your head high. Stand tall and look the bully right in the eyes. Use a firm voice and tell the bully to leave you alone.



ACTIVITY Write what you would say to stand up to a bully.

A large, empty speech bubble shape with a tail pointing towards the top right, intended for the student to write their response to the activity prompt.



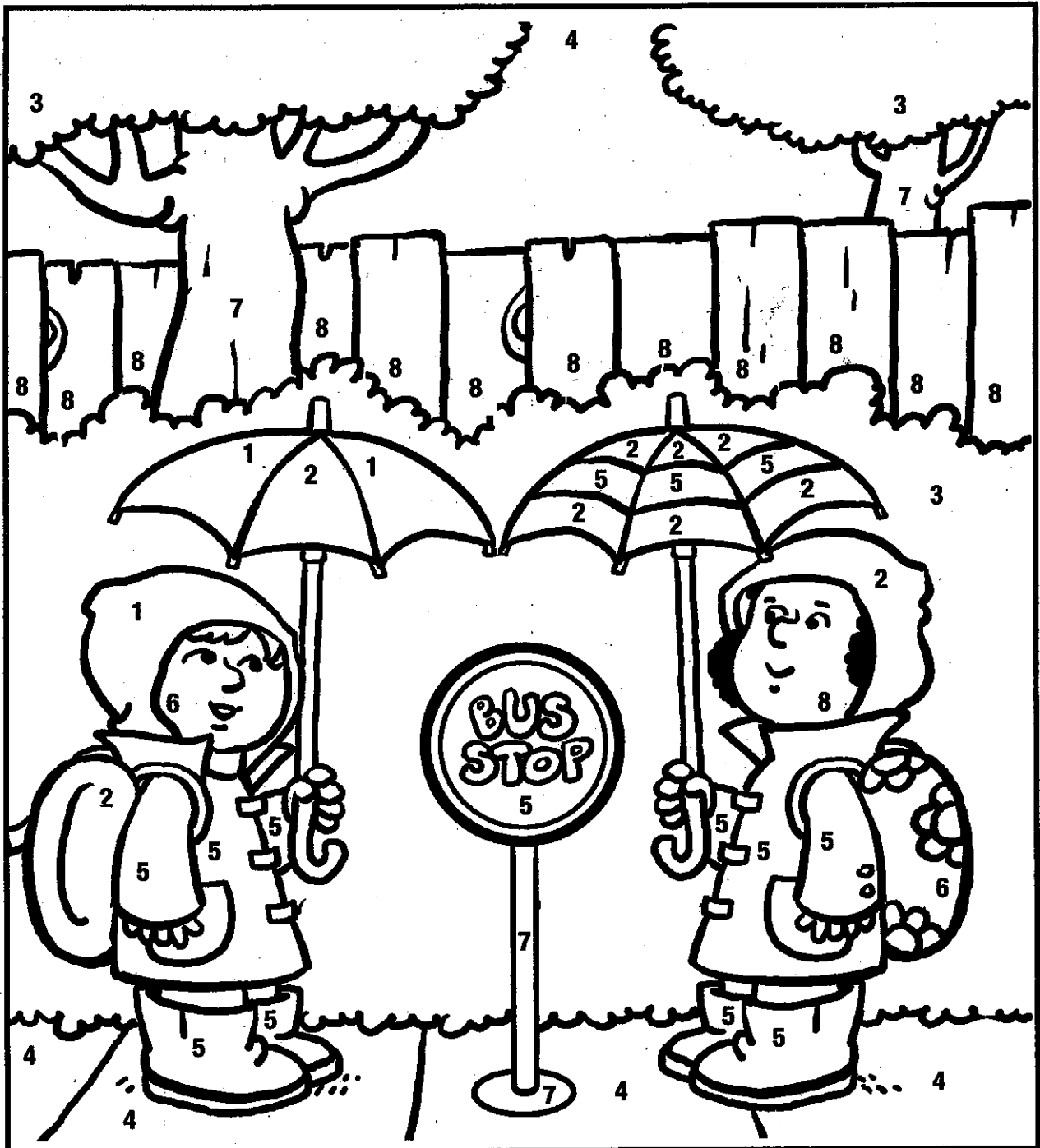
Stay Safe at the Bus Stop

Wear bright clothes so the bus driver can see you, especially when the weather is bad.

ACTIVITY

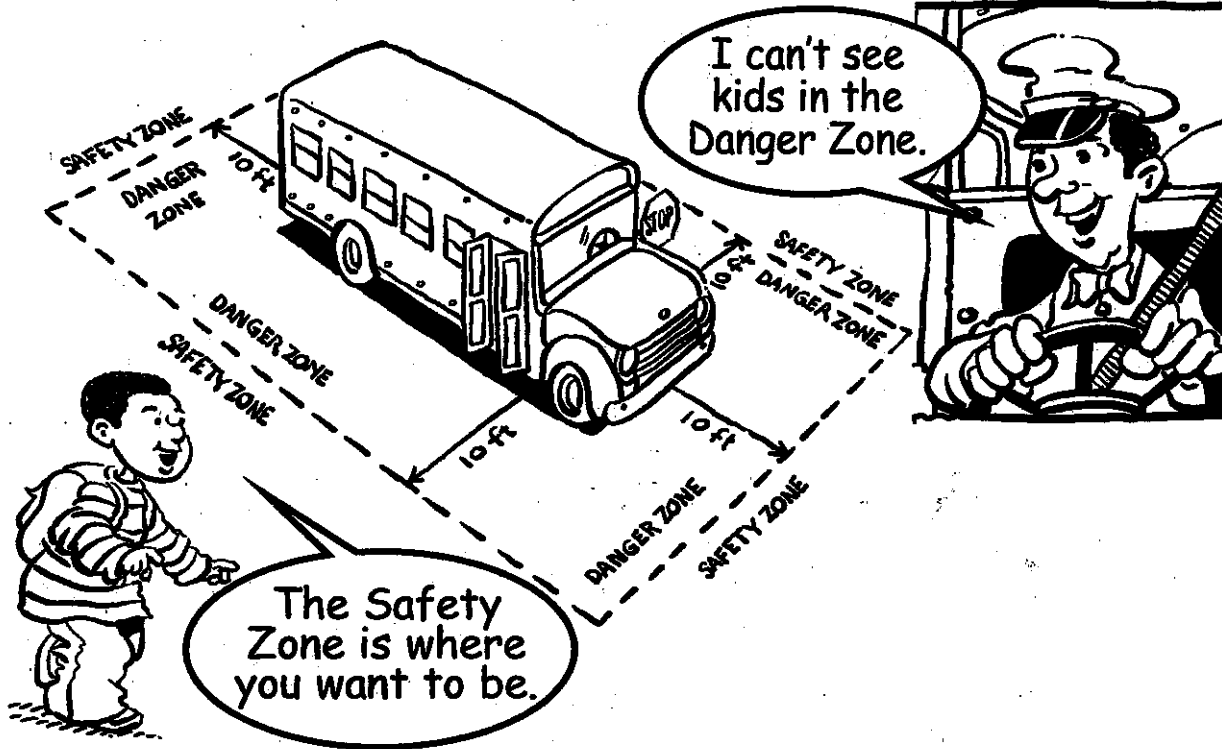
Color the picture using the Color Code.

COLOR CODE 1. Red, 2. Blue, 3. Green, 4. Gray, 5. Yellow, 6. Pink, 7. Brown, 8. Tan



Stay Out of the Danger Zone

Every bus has a Danger Zone around it. The Danger Zone is 10 feet around the bus in every direction.



ACTIVITY

It's smart and easy to stay in the Safety Zone. Solve each math problem below. Then use the Code Key to find the missing word. Write the letters in the boxes.

To get from the Danger Zone into the Safety Zone,

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ -4 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 5 \\ -3 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 6 \\ -1 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 9 \\ -5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

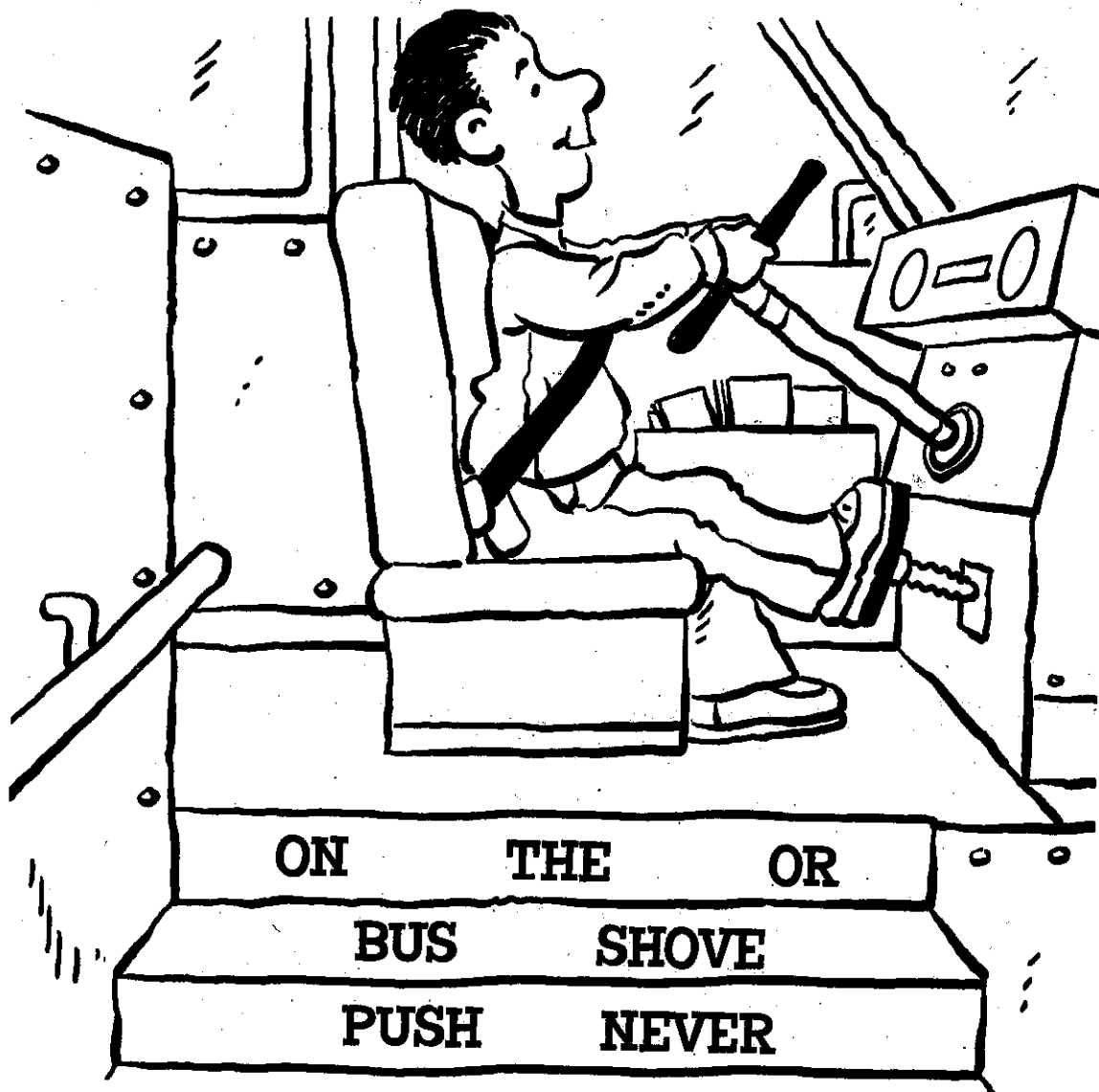
CODE KEY	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
	R	O	I	F	E	V	U

take giant steps.



Stay Safe Getting on the Bus

When the bus comes to a stop, the driver will signal you to enter. Board the bus in a single line. Climb one step at a time and use the handrail.



ACTIVITY

Arrange the words on the steps to find a special message. Write them on the lines below. One word has been done for you.

S H O V E _____



Be a Safe Rider

Ride safely. Your driver will give you directions about opening windows. If your window is open, keep your head, hands, and feet inside. Don't throw anything out of the window.



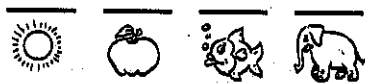
ACTIVITY

Write the beginning letter of each picture or use the code key to finish each safe rider tip.

1. _____ to your seat and sit down. Sit up straight.



2. Share a seat with a friend or someone who makes you feel













3. _____ in your seat.



4. _____ quietly.



CODE KEY

	= A		= R
	= E		= S
	= F		= T
	= K		= W
	= L		= Y



Don't Be Bullied on the Bus

It's not OK to be picked on by school bus bullies. Sometimes you can't solve a bully problem by yourself. Talk to the driver, a parent, teacher, or another trusted adult.



ACTIVITY

Here are three fun questions to ask your seatmate while you ride the bus. There's room to write your answer, too!

1. What is your favorite thing to eat for breakfast?

2. What is your favorite movie?

3. What kind of pet would you like to have?



Show Respect for the Bus Driver

Talk and laugh quietly
with your friends so that
you don't distract the bus driver.
The driver needs to watch traffic and
drive the bus safely.



ACTIVITY

Put an X on the children who are not following school bus safety rules. Circle the three students who are being safe.



Keep the Aisle Clear

If the aisle isn't clear, people can trip and get hurt. Help everyone stay safe. Keep your pack on your lap or under your seat.

ACTIVITY

The Word List shows 14 things that should never be in the aisle. Find them in the Word Search. Look across, down, and diagonally.

WORD LIST

ARMS
BAG
BALL

BOOK
CAP
FEET

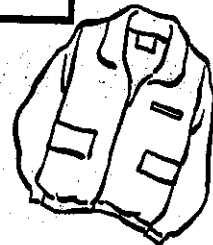
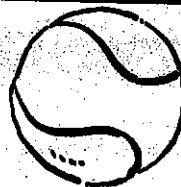
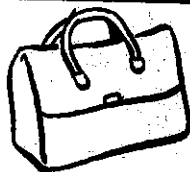
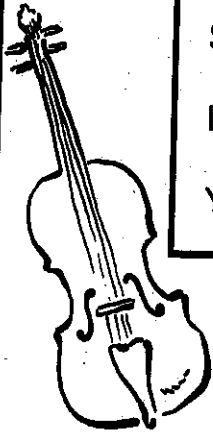
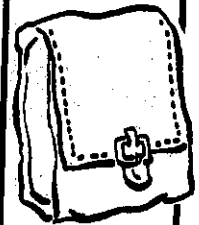
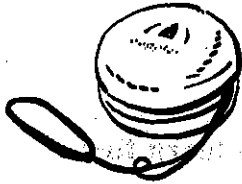
FLUTE
HANDS
JACKET

LEGS
LUNCHBOX
PENCIL

VIOLIN
YOYO

WORD SEARCH

N	P	E	H	F	Y	L	H	J	L	V	Z
Q	E	O	X	A	L	I	V	A	U	X	G
A	N	B	H	P	F	U	L	C	N	R	T
R	C	O	A	I	X	E	T	K	C	D	D
M	I	E	E	L	W	A	E	E	H	Z	S
S	L	V	I	O	L	I	N	T	B	W	C
L	E	G	S	L	B	O	O	K	O	M	A
Y	O	Y	O	B	A	G	V	Y	X	S	P



Be Safe Getting Off the Bus

It's time to get off the bus! When the bus comes to a complete stop, walk in a single line to the front of the bus.



ACTIVITY

Always use the handrail when you get off the bus. Find out what else you need to do. Cross out every other letter and write the leftover letters on the lines. The first one has been done for you.

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S

Z D A O S W X N

F W L I N T B H W

C H A J R Y E

