



Children's Safety First Stories

Stories about staying safe, stranger danger, being prepared and those who help us stay safe such as firefighters, police officers and parents.

Arthur's Fire Drill – Mark Tolon Brown – Arthur helps ease D.W.'s fire fears by practicing fire drills at home. 21 pages
E B

Be Careful and Stay Safe – Cheri J Meiners – Without scaring kids (or alarming adults), this book teaches little ones how to avoid potentially dangerous situations, ask for help, follow directions, use things carefully, and plan ahead. Includes questions, activities, and safety games that reinforce the ideas being taught. 35 pages
E M
J 649.12 Mei

Officer Buckle and Gloria – Peggy Rathmann – The children at Napville Elementary School always ignore Officer Buckle's safety tips, until a police dog named Gloria accompanies him when he gives his safety speeches. 40 pages
E R

Emily's Out and About Book – Cindy Post Senning – On a trip around town with her mother, Emily demonstrates the importance of having good manners.
E S

Cottonball Colin – Jeanne Willis – Afraid that her smallest child, Colin, will be hurt if he goes outside or plays, a mother mouse insists that he sit quietly indoors until his grandmother suggests wrapping him in cotton wool, which proves to be effective, but in a most unexpected way.
E W

Dealing with Weapons at school and at Home – Lorelei Apel – Points out the danger of having weapons at school and at home and offers tips on how to avoid getting hurt or hurting others. 24 pages
J 363.3 Ape

I Can Play It Safe – Alison Feigh – I can play it safe engages young children in the conversation about their safety and helps them practice the rules of personal safety. 32 pages
J 613.6 Fei

What Would You Do? A Kid's Guide to Tricky and Sticky Situations – Linda Schwartz – Gives advice on what should be done in confusing, ambiguous, dangerous, or unexpected situations at home, school, or out on your own. 184 pages
J 646.7 Sch

Going to the Firehouse – Mercer Mayer – Little Critter and his classmates are taking a trip to the firehouse--join Little Critter as he learns to stop, drop, and roll with Fireman Joe!" 32 pages
Beginning Readers M
E M

The Fire Station – Robert N Munsch – Children visit a fire station. 23 pages
E M

The Fire Fighters – Sue Whiting – After dressing up as fire fighters, building a fire truck out of a cardboard box, and extinguishing imaginary fires on the playground, Mrs. Iverson's students are surprised by the arrival of a real fire engine with real fire fighters on board.
E W

A Day in the Life of a Firefighter – Linda Hayward
32 pages
J 628.9 Hay

Police Officers on the Go – Alyse Sweeney – What officers do to help keep us safe. 24 pages
J 363.23 Swe

A Day in the Life of a Police Officer and His Dog – Mary Bowman-Kruhm – Describes a day in the life of a police officer and his police dog. 24 pages
J 363.2 Bow

Police: Hurrying! Helping! Saving! – Patricia Hubbell – Illustrations and rhyming text celebrate police officers and what they do.
E H

Police Officers on Patrol – K.R. Hamilton – Illustrations and brief rhyming text depict police officers responding to a variety of situations, from a broken traffic light to a robbery.
E H

Contain the Flame: Outdoor Fire Safety – Jill L. Donahue – This book is a good way for parents to share campfire safety with their children.
J 628.9 Don

Let's Grow: Safety First – The fun of learning continues with an all-new, safety-themed compilation starring Barney, Thomas & Friends, Bob the Builder, Fireman Sam, and Kipper, hosted by Sean and Chica from Sprout. These heartwarming stories will inspire and entertain while demonstrating valuable life lessons and important safety tips along the way. So grab your helmet, look both ways, buckle up, and get ready to learn that safety comes first. – Video/DVD
J 363.1 Lets