SCHOOL ZONE OFFENCES WHAT ARE YOU RISKING?*

FACT

Children are small, harder to see, behave unpredictably and are extremly vulnerable. They need you to take extra care when driving and parking around school zones.

NO PARKING

You have two minutes to drop-off or pick-up passengers and must stay within three metres of your vehicle.



NO STOPPING

You must not stop on a length of road to which a 'No Stopping' sign applies (unless otherwise signposted).

Yellow edge kerb lines are also used to indicate no stopping zones.

Drivers must not stop or park within 10 metres of an intersection without traffic lights and 20 metres of an intersection with traffic lights (unless otherwise signposted).



BUS ZONE

Only a bus can stop within a bus zone or at a bus stop.

You must not park within 20 metres before and 10 metres after a bus stop unless a sign says you can.



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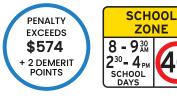
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SPEED LIMIT

Within school zones and during school zone times, the speed limit is reduced to 40km/h.



DRIVEWAYS, FOOTPATHS AND NATURE STRIPS

Do not park on, across or block access to driveways, footpaths, pedestrian ramps or on the nature strip area.

EXCEEDS

\$410

2 DEMERIT POINTS

This can obstruct property access, damage assets and increase risk to pedestrians.



PEDESTRIAN CROSSING

In queued traffic, do not stop your vehicle on a pedestrian or children's crossing. Wait on the approach side of the crossing until there is space on the departure

side to continue with the traffic queue.

Do not drop off or pick up passengers on a crossing. PENALTY EXCEEDS **\$544** + 2 DEMERIT POINTS

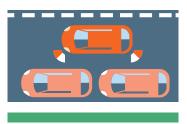
U TURNS AND THREE-POINT TURNS

U-turns and threepoint-turns are illegal on or near a pedestrian crossing and across a single or double white unbroken lines.

PENALTY EXCEEDS \$410 + 3 DEMERIT POINTS

DOUBLE PARKING Double parking is

illegal and is very dangerous in a school zone. PENALTY EXCEEDS \$410 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS



* Fines current as of September 2023. Fines and demerit points are subject to change. For more information check out the NSW Centre for Road Safety website.

