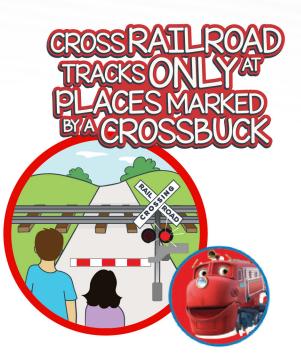
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## STAY SAFE AROUND TRAINS WITH THESE TIPS:



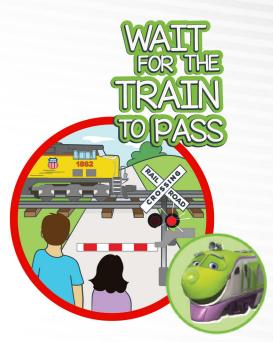
## DON'T WALK ALONG TRAIN TRACKS.

Walking near or on tracks is against the law and trains can overhang tracks by at least 3 feet. Trains are big!



CROSS RAILROAD TRACKS ONLY AT PLACES MARKED BY A CROSSBUCK.

lights or a gate. And look both ways before you cross. Trains are quiet!



### WAIT FOR THE TRAIN TO PASS.

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## FOR CAREGIVERS, PARENTS & EDUCATORS

# HAVE A CONVERSATION WITH YOUR CHILDREN ABOUT THE IMPORTANCE OF RAIL SAFETY



## **TOP TIPS ABOUT RAILROAD SAFETY:**

- Only cross train tracks at a designated crossing. Designated crossings are marked by a crossbuck, lights or a gate.
- If lights are flashing or the gate is down at a railroad crossing, wait for the train to pass completely, the gates to lift and the lights to stop flashing before crossing. It is never okay to rush across and try to beat the train. Trains may be closer and faster than you think.
- Allow enough space for your vehicle to completely clear the entire railroad crossing, not just the tracks, before you attempt to cross. Remember, trains are at least three feet wider than the tracks on either side, so even though you clear the tracks, you may still get hit by the train.
- If you are using a cell phone, headphones or playing a game on your mobile phone, remember: Heads Up, Devices Down when you cross the tracks. Once a train starts to brake, it can take at least a mile to stop for the train. So, when you see a train, it's already too late for it to stop for you.
- Don't be tempted to walk along the train tracks. It might be a shortcut, but it is dangerous and not worth the risk. It is also against the law to walk on the track and the land around it because it is private property.

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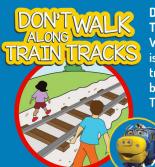








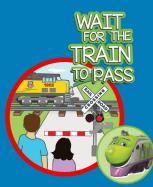
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I promise to be safe around trains and railroad tracks. By following Rail Safety tips and teaching others about rail safety, I will make myself and my community safer and stronger!

## TO EARN MY RAIL SAFETY BADGE, I PLEDGE:

- **TO ONLY CROSS RAILROAD TRACKS AT PLACES MARKED BY A CROSSBUCK**
- **TO ALWAYS WAIT FOR THE TRAIN TO PASS**
- **TO NOT WALK ALONG TRAIN TRACKS**































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