SCHOOL CROSSING GUARDS

School Crossing Guards play an important role in the lives of our children and families who walk or bicycle to and from school. In New York City, School Crossing Guards help children safely cross busy intersections and control traffic flow around schools in the morning, at lunch time and at the end of the school day. The NYPD recruits and trains school crossing guards.

The presence of a crossing guard can lead to more parents feeling comfortable about their children walking or bicycling to school. Crossing Guards can also help children develop the skills to cross streets safely at all times and remind drivers of the presence of pedestrians. They can act as role models helping children develop the skills necessary to cross streets safely.

Our dedicated School Crossing guards keep our children safe in all kinds of weather. It doesn't matter if it's 100 degrees or zero degrees. Crossing Guards are at their post. Remember to say "thank you".