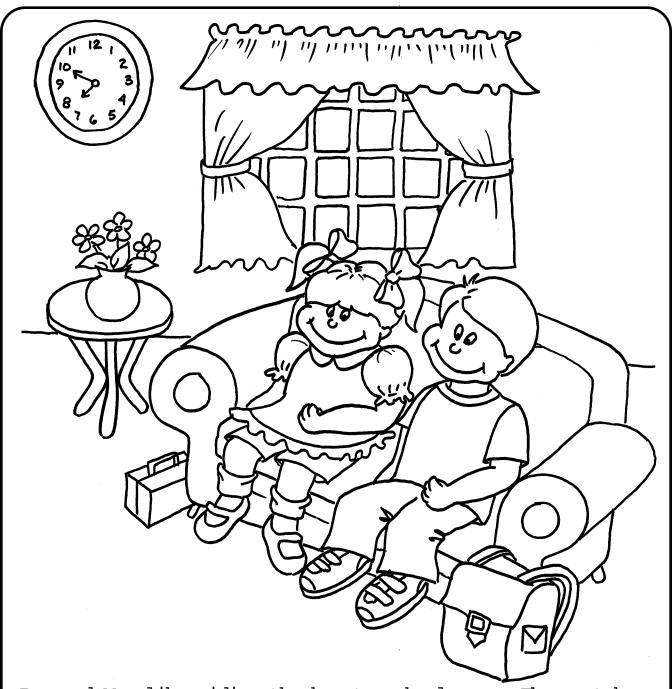


Safe Sam wants everyone to learn school bus safety.



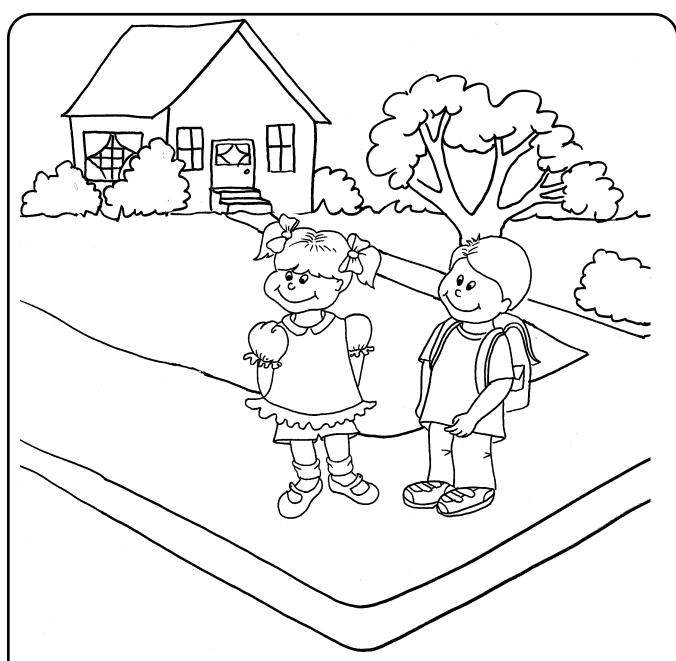


Ben and Meg like riding the bus to school . . . They watch the clock to make sure they get to the bus stop on time.



SAFE SAM SAYS....

Be at your bus stop on time.

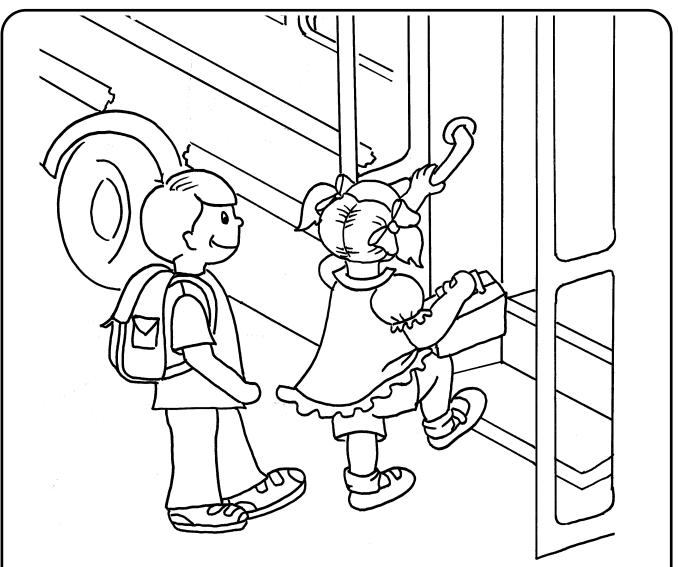


When they get to the corner, they say Hi, to their friends and stand away from the street. They are careful not to leave trash on the ground.



### SAFE SAM SAYS...

Stay away from the street while waiting for the bus.

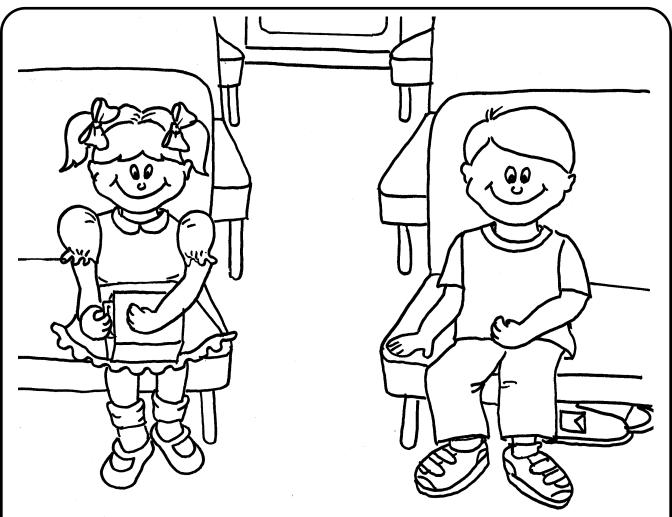


When they see their bus coming, Meg and Ben get in line. Once the bus stops, they wait their turn to walk up the steps. While they hold the handrail, they say, Good Morning, to Mrs. Lee, the bus driver. They go to their seats quickly so they are ready when the bus starts moving.



### SAFE SAM SAYS...

Politely form a line and use the handrail when entering or exiting the bus.

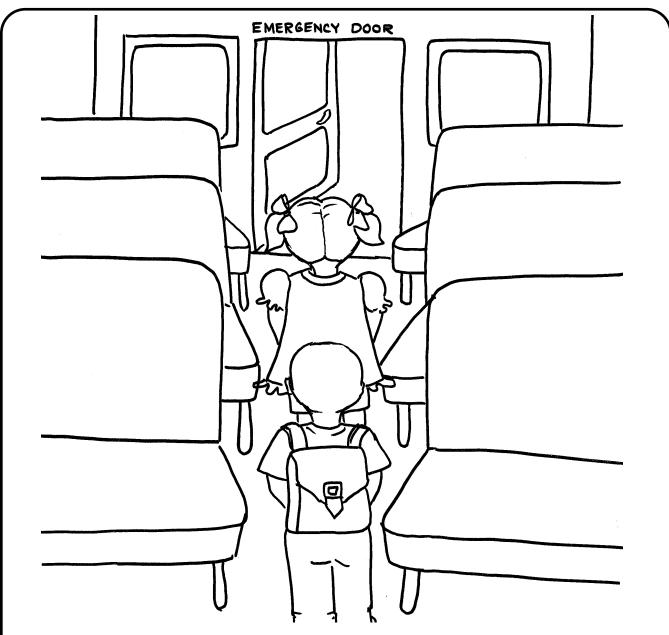


They talk quietly so they can hear Mrs. Lee if she needs to tell them something. They keep their voices low so Mrs. Lee can hear emergency vehicle sirens or the sounds of trains when the bus gets close to railroad crossings. Meg reminds Ben to keep his book bag under his seat so the aisle doesn t get cluttered. Meg keeps her lunch box on her lap.



### SAFE SAM SAYS...

Sit quietly and keep the aisle of the bus clear.



Meg and Ben know what Mrs. Lee taught them about keeping the aisles clear in case they need to get out the emergency door.



### SAFE SAM SAYS...

Only use the emergency door in an emergency.

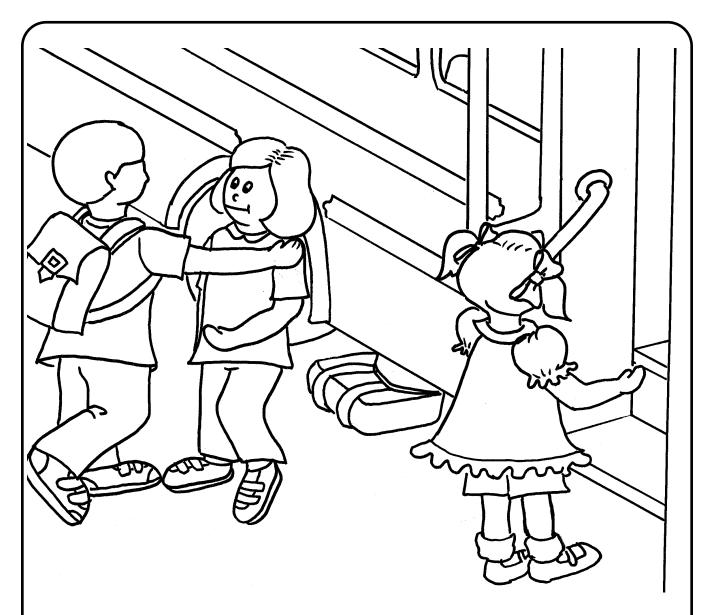


When they get to school, Ben and Meg know cars must stop when the red lights on the bus are flashing. They hold the handrail as they get off and look both ways before crossing the street. Ben and Meg walk in front of the bus and wave goodbye to Mrs. Lee.



#### SAFE SAM SAYS...

Always walk away from the bus so the bus driver can see you and you can see the bus driver.



Once Meg s friend, Amy, dropped her book bag beside the bus. Meg quickly went to tell Mrs. Lee while Ben reminded Amy never to pick up things close to the bus. Always wait for an adult to help you, Amy, says Ben.



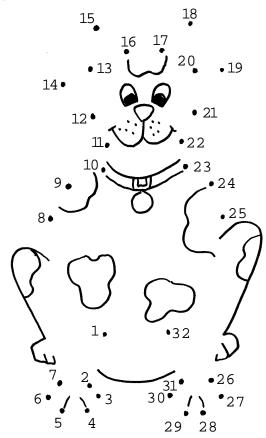
### SAFE SAM SAYS...

Never pick up items that were dropped near the bus. Ask the bus driver for help.

## Activity Page

### Sparky

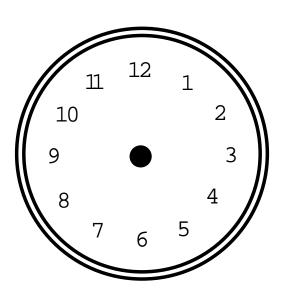
Ben and Meg have a dog named Sparky. Sparky is not allowed to follow them to the bus stop. Follow the dots and then color his spots brown.



### What time is it?

Ben and Meg must be at their bus stop 5 minutes before the bus arrives.

Their bus arrives at 8 o clock. Draw the hands on the clock to show what time Ben and Meg must be at their bus stop.





Fill in the correct word or draw a line to it. When you have learned all of the safety rules you can fill in your name on the Safe Sam Safety Award on the next page.

1. Get to your bus stop on	emergency
2. Stay away from the	
while waiting for the bus.	see
3. Form a line and use the	
when entering or exiting the bus.	time
4. Sit quietly and keep the aisle	
5. Only use the emergency door in an	street
6. Always walk away from the bus so the	handrail
bus driver can see you and you can	
the bus driver.	clear

# Safe Sam Safety Award



I \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name

have learned the rules for school bus safety.

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