CLASSES & PROGRAMS SAFE

FREE Snohomish County resources to help keep your child safe.





CAR SEATS

Learn how to safely use your car or booster seat from birth to the adult seat belt. Sign up for a free class: <u>southsnofire.org/carseats</u>

Get a free car seat check with a certified Child Passenger Safety Technician: cert.safekids.org/find-tech



BIKE HELMETS

Helmets should be worn for all wheeled activities including bike, scooter, skateboard and skates.

Need a bike helmet but cannot afford one? Contact us at <u>outreach@southsnofire.org</u> and we may be able to help. Please note that supplies are limited.



CHILD SAFETY

Learn how to keep your child safe whether at home, at play or on the road. Sign up for a free class: www.southsnofire.org/classes.

We also have a limited supply of child safety devices such as window locks to prevent window falls, cabinet locks to prevent poisoning and smoke alarms. Contact us at outreach@southsnofire.org to learn more.



LIFE JACKETS

Safe Kids Snohomish County partners with Snohomish County Parks and the Sheriff's Office to supply free day-use life jackets at participating locations throughout Snohomish County.

The cabinets are open Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day. For more information, visit: <u>Life-Jacket-Loaner-Program</u>

Please note, programs and services are subject to change.

SAFETY TIPS

TO KEEP YOUR FAMILY SAFE ♥



CAR SEATS



- You must read and follow both the car seat and vehicle owner's manual.
- Install your car seat with either lower anchors or seatbelt.
- Keep kids rearfacing as long as possible, minimum age is 2. Its the law!
- Boosters until 4 foot 9 inches tall.

FIRE SAFETY



- Install smoke alarms inside & outside every sleeping area.
- Replace alarms when they reach 10 years.
- Practice your home fire escape plan
- Teach kids the sound a smoke alarm makes, crawl low under smoke, and go to an outside meeting place.

PEDESTRIAN SAFETY



- Children under 10 should cross the street with an adult.
- Teach kids to look left, right & left again before crossing the street. Always make eye contact with drivers.
- Use sidewalks and cross at corners, using traffic signals and crosswalks.

SAFE SLEEP



- Baby sleeps alone, in their own crib, but in the same room as you for the first year.
- Baby sleeps on their back for naps and bedtime.
- Baby sleeps in a crib free of blankets, bumpers, pillows, and toys.
- Never prop a bottle.

WATER SAFETY



- Designate an adult as a Water Watcher, someone who can watch children in the water without distractions.
- Always wear a life jacket for boating or when swimming in open water.
- Never swim alone, learn CPR and swim safety skills.

WHEELED SPORTS SAFETY



- Wear a helmet for all wheeled sports.
- Wear bright or reflective clothing to be seen by drivers.
- Ride with your children until they are ready to ride on their own.
- Be predictable, ride in a straight line and don't swerve between cars.
- Follow all traffic laws.