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# Cupertino Safe Routes to School

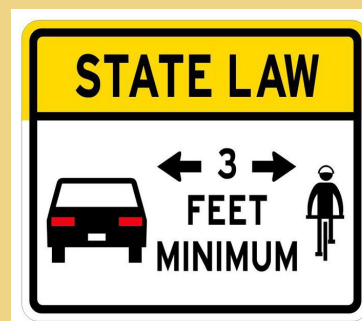


## New Walking School Bus at Garden Gate!

On January 29, 2019, Garden Gate Elementary piloted its first walking school bus! The event was a success with participation from 24 students and support from 18 parent chaperons and 2 school staff. The Cupertino Safe Routes to School Program looks forward to watching this program grow and supports any initiatives that work to build a culture of walking and biking at our schools.

## Survey: SR2S or SRTS?

Cupertino's Safe Routes to School Program would like to be consistent with the abbreviation of our name. We have been using SR2S and SRTS interchangeably, which we acknowledge can be confusing. To avoid confusion we will be choosing one standard abbreviation. However, we do not wish to make this decision alone. We are grateful for this community's continued support of Safe Routes to School and feel that any changes should reflect the overall wishes of the Partnership. We want this process to be community driven. To this end, we have created a survey that allows you to voice your opinion. Visit the link below to have your voice heard. [tinyurl.com/saferoutespoll](https://tinyurl.com/saferoutespoll)

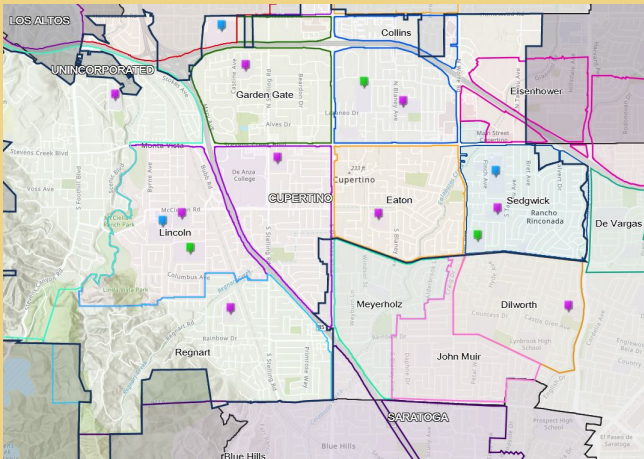


## Safety Tip of the Month

**Drivers:** Give cyclists three feet of space when you pass them.

## We Have New Maps!

Our amazing in-house Geographical Information Systems (GIS) team has created a new mapping tool. It shows the attendance boundaries for all schools in the Cupertino Union School District, Fremont Union High School District, and includes the ability to toggle on and off Cupertino's suggested routes to school. Use this new tool to better understand the City of Cupertino, the school districts, or to create your own routes to school. Access this map by going to [cupertino.org/saferoutes](http://cupertino.org/saferoutes) and clicking on GIS School Boundary Maps.



## Important Upcoming Events

**Working Group Meeting:** February 12, 2019 @ 4pm, Conference Room C, City Hall, 10300 Torre Ave.

**Homestead Road Corridor Study Public Meeting:** February 25, 2019 @ 6pm, Homestead High School Auditorium, 21370 Homestead Rd.

## Website Updates

We are in the process of updating our Safe Routes to School website and welcome feedback on how we can improve it. Check it out here: [cupertino.org/saferoutes](http://cupertino.org/saferoutes)

Please let us know if there is any functionality or content that would be useful to you. Email us with your suggestions!

## Crossing Flag Program Update

We recently installed new crossing flags at the intersection of Rainbow and Yorkshire. These new flags assist students traveling from the Seven Springs neighborhood to Regnart Elementary. If your school has an intersection that you feel could be improved with the installation of crossing flags please email us at [saferoutes@cupertino.org](mailto:saferoutes@cupertino.org). We require schools to maintain their own flags and request that every location have a designated flag caretaker.

## How to Get Involved!

Interested in helping Cupertino Safe Routes to School? Email us at [saferoutes@cupertino.org](mailto:saferoutes@cupertino.org).