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Bike Safety

A message from the Federation of Calgary Communities



1. Protect Your Noggin

 a. Toddlers to adults should think twice before getting on a bike without a helmet.
The helmet should fit nicely and cover the forehead. Calgarians under the age of 18 are required to wear a helmet.

2. Ring, Ring!

a. Having bell can let those around you know you're coming!

3. Stop!

- a. Being a cyclist follows similar rules to driving a vehicle. Pay attention to posted signs, speed limits and watch out for pedestrians.
- b. Know your route ahead of time. This can help you be aware of potential detours and hazards.

4. Increase visibility

a. Having reflector or lights can increase your visibility for other cyclists, pedestrians, and cars.

For more resources, check out the Federation of Calgary Communities website (www.calgarycommunities.com)