AFTER SCHOOL SAFETY

Our School Bus Drivers strive to provide the safest transportation possible for your children. The bus ride is only part of the safety chain of your child's daily school routine; as such we would ask that you please take the time to consider the following:

Does your family have a safety plan in the event that your family's daily routine is suddenly and unexpectedly changed?

Here are some questions that may assist you with planning:

- 1) Can your child get into your house if you are not home? 'If so, is he/she old enough to be at home alone? Does he/she know who to call for assistance? Are the necessary phone numbers easy to find? 'If not, where should he/she go?
- 2) Have you made arrangements with a family member or neighbor in the event that your child comes home and you are not there to meet him/her as usual?
- 3) If your child takes the bus, have you given emergency contact information to the bus driver and the St. Paul Education Transportation Department in the event that you cannot be reached?

Your child's safety is important to all of us!

