

What do flashing yellow lights on a school bus indicate?

Flashing yellow lights mean the bus is preparing to stop to load or unload children. Slow down and prepare to stop.



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School Bus Safety Reminder

When a stopped school bus flashes its red light(s) and deploys its stop-arm, motorists approaching from either direction must stop before reaching the bus. You should stop at least 20 feet away from the bus.



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What do flashing red lights on a school bus indicate?

Flashing red lights mean the bus has stopped and children are getting on or off. You cannot drive again until the flashing red lights stop and the stop-arm is retracted.



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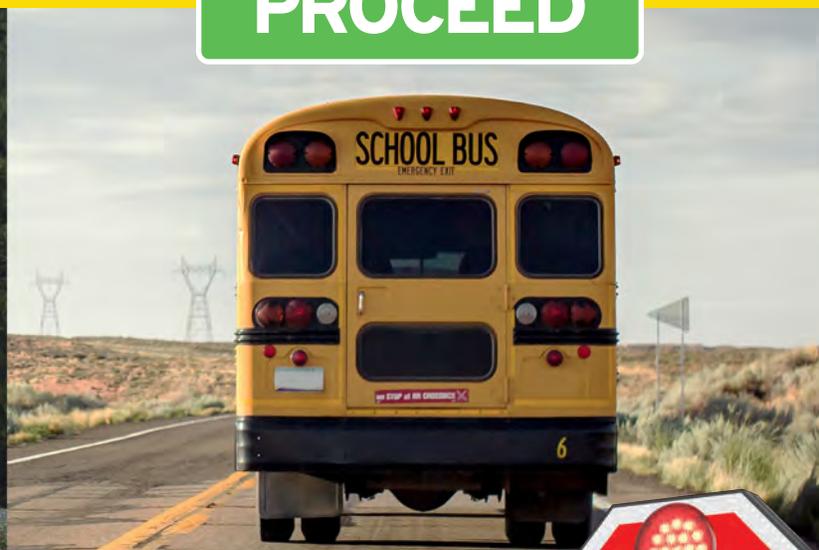
When is it safe to proceed after stopping for a school bus?

When you stop for a school bus, you cannot drive again until the flashing red lights stop and the stop-arm is retracted.

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Proceed with extreme caution
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Children are most at risk as they
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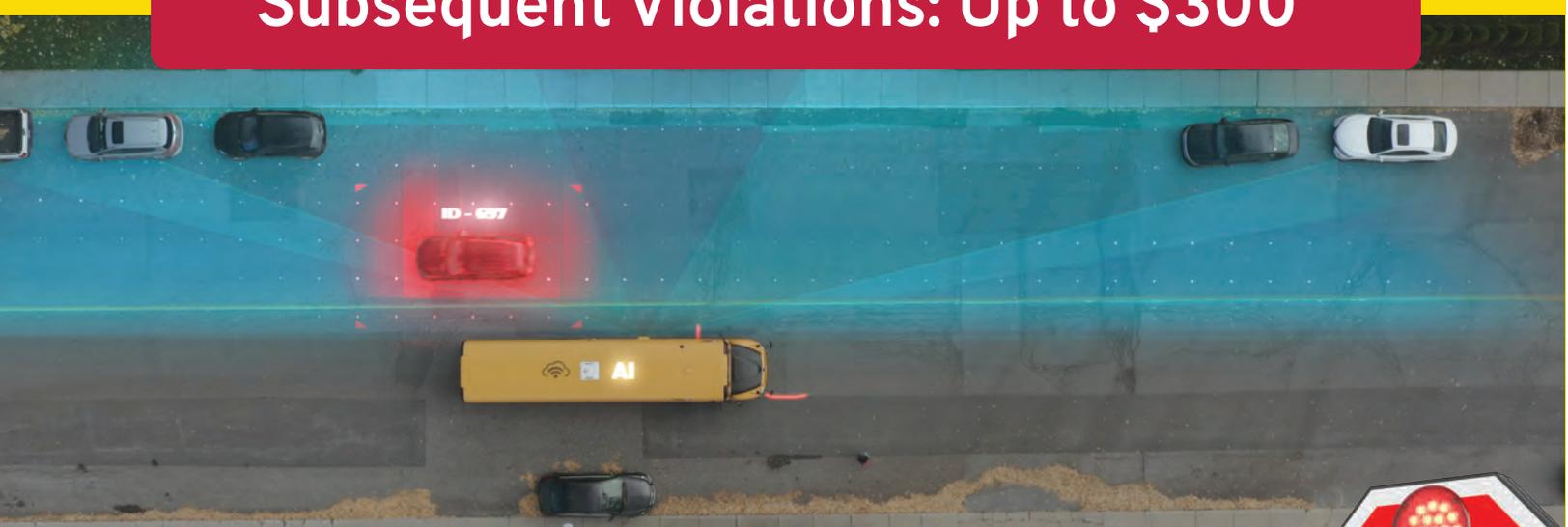


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Violation Information

School bus stop-arm cameras identify illegal passers by license plate number. Tickets are issued to a vehicle's registered owner.

1st Violation: \$250
Subsequent Violations: Up to \$300



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Suffolk School Bus Safety Program Information

When a school bus stops, flashes its red lights, and deploys its stop-arm, **traffic approaching from either direction*** must stop before reaching the bus:



*At this time, when a physical barrier separates a divided highway, automated enforcement technology will not issue violations to motorists on the side of the highway opposite the stopped school bus.

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