## FAMILY TIME Educational Programs

## The Safety First Show

At FamilyTime Entertainment we love kids. And we hate to see kids hurt or harmed in any way. So we have researched the areas where education could help teach children how to stay out of harm's way.

The Safety Show is the result of that research. As it is with all of our school programs, the show features lots of activity and participation by the children, both in the audience and as assistants on the stage. The wacky and silly way most of the safety tips are presented makes them much more memorable for the children.

Some of the topics covered are:

Seat Belt Safety—Child restraints are proven to dramatically reduce injuries and fatalities of children who are using the proper seat belt or child safety seat.

School Bus Safety—Over 80% of school bus accidents are caused by drivers being distracted by unruly children.

Playground & School Safety—These are a collection of tips based on emergency room statistics of how school age children are hurt on the playground, going to or from school or in the classroom.

Gun Safety, Electrical Safety, Sharp Objects, Poisonous Substances, Bicycle and Skateboards are also briefly covered as well.

Unfortunately, this year we've seen the need to add a major section to the program dealing with how to avoid abductions. In a very practical and fun way the program teaches children how to avoid being an easy target. Statistics prove that children who typically don't go willingly and are trained to avoid dangerous situations are very seldom abducted (with the exception of family/friend abductions).

In many areas, we are proud to have been able to present the Safety First Program with participation and assistance from the state police, local police and sheriff's departments.

Also we can add (and have added) sections specific to a school on a pressing safety concern. For example: one school was very near major rail lines so we added a section on railroad safety. With a little red wagon we demonstrated how long it took to stop it with a large load, and encouraged children not to race the train at the crossing.



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## **Description & Requirements**

- The Safety First Show is from 45 minutes to one hour in length.
- It is suitable for children Pre-Kindergarten through 6th grade.
- The backdrop for the Safety First Show is made up of oversized cartoons and banners (some are as large as 6 feet tall and 5 feet wide).
- Sound system, if needed, and all props are provided.
- The school is required to provide one 6', 8' or 10' table, two 110 volt/20 amp circuits close to the performance area and one adult-size chair.
- The Safety First Show can be performed on a stage if steps to the front of the stage are provided or be presented at floor level.
- Children can be seated on the floor or in chairs.

For more information or to schedule a program, please call or write:



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