

How to contact your Florida legislator to help with the Safe at School Bill

1) If you do not know your legislators, go to <http://www.myflorida.com> . Scroll down and at the bottom right of the screen will be a place to enter your zip code +4. It is very helpful to have the +4 for your zip code. If you do not know that, you can get it at <http://zip4.usps.com/zip4/welcome.jsp> . Once the results appear, click on your State Senate District number to see your Senator. You will have to click on Florida Representatives and find your District number in the list to find your Representative. You can get their Tallahassee addresses/phone numbers from each legislator's website.

2) Thank you letters/phone calls should be sent to Senators and Representatives who have sponsored the bill. These include - Senators Peaden; Jones; Fasano; Sobel; Lawson; Detert; and Storms and Representatives N. Thompson; Kreegel; Renuart; and Van Zant. If your legislator is anyone if these people, please write them a thank you letter. It is very important that they know we appreciate their support.

3) Requests for support should go to everyone else. Please personalize your letter by including your story and why this legislation is important to your family. Also include the main points about the bill in your letter. Your child can write a letter, too. Even if it's just a picture he/she draws or "Please keep me safe at school."

4) Share this information with Florida family and friends and ask them to contact their legislators.

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