



# **SHERIFF**

## **SEMINOLE COUNTY**

### **PRESS RELEASE**

*Please remember that Seminole County will be starting back to school on Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup>. Motorists should be extra alert and take into consideration that there will be an increase in traffic and activity in the immediate area of schools, as well as the addition of crossing guards, student pedestrians, bicyclists, and school buses on the roadways.*

*Please allow yourself additional travel time when commuting near or through school zones and be especially mindful of reduced speed limits and school crossings. Avoid distractions in your vehicle. Be alert, especially where children are walking and biking to school.*

*Parents are encouraged to discuss pedestrian and bicycle safety with their children. Please remind them to utilize and follow instructions from crossing guards, and always use helmets when riding bicycles.*

*All motorists and pedestrians are asked to obey all traffic laws and practice common courtesy to ensure a safe commute for everyone. Thank you and, don't forget to Buckle Up!"*

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