

## **Media statement**

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### **Rules save lives**

Tasmanians should apply the behaviours for restricting the spread of the coronavirus to road behaviour, Road Safety Advisory Council Chair Garry Bailey said today.

“Those rules include slowing to 40km/h or less in school zones that include school buses. Those zones will be back in operation when primary schools return on Monday.

“Drivers must be particularly cautious in school zones and beyond.

“The road safety message is the same as the coronavirus message: look after the health and safety of yourself and others by following the rules. We are doing a magnificent job restricting the spread of coronavirus and we can do the same to restrict death and injury on our roads.

“Just like the Covid rules, the road rules are to protect all of us, so stick to the rules, including slowing to 40km/h or less in primary school zones, and stay safe off and on the road.”

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