

**SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD  
(Part-Time Position)**

**DEFINITION**

To assist school children safely across streets; to notify appropriate personnel regarding problems requiring possible police action.

**SUPERVISION RECEIVED AND EXERCISED**

General supervision is provided by the day shift Patrol Watch Commander.

**EXAMPLES OF DUTIES** - Duties may include, but are not limited to the following:

Request school children to wait at the street curb for safe crossing and to dismount from bicycles or remove roller skates.

Halt traffic by hand signal or hand held traffic sign or device, giving due consideration to the distance required to stop and the avoidance of unnecessary traffic congestion.

Conduct children safely across the street.

Signals for traffic to resume.

Perform related duties as assigned.

**QUALIFICATIONS**

**Knowledge of:**

State and local traffic laws related to pedestrian traffic.

Safe and efficient work practices as they related to the assigned duties.

**Ability to:**

Understand and follow oral and written instructions.

Command respect and cooperation from children.

Deal effectively with the public.

Perform assigned duties using good eyesight and freedom from color blindness, and sufficient hearing.

**EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION**

Any combination of training and experience equivalent to completion of the eighth grade.

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